

We Thank Thee O God for a Prophet Rebus

How to Play:

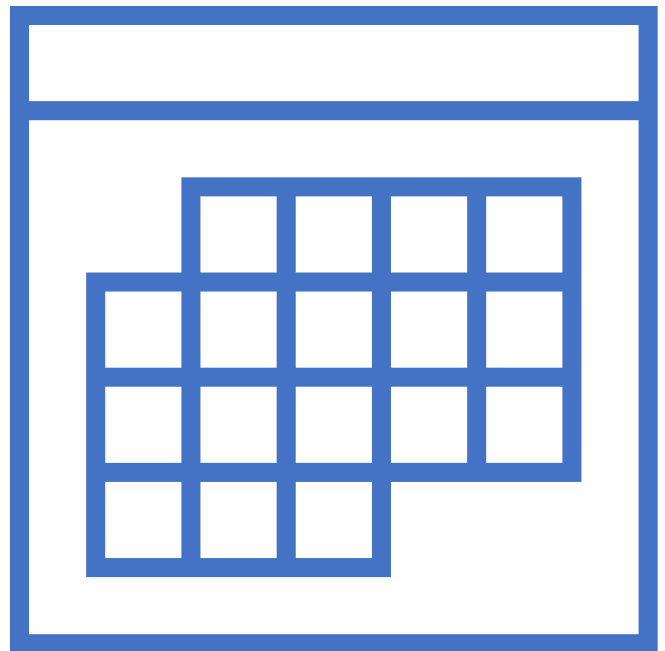
- Sing through We Thank Thee, O God, for a Prophet once before introducing the activity.
- Show the first Rebus puzzle. Ask the children to try to decode what they see. What lyrics does this word puzzle go with? Let's try it!
- Sing through either the entire verse or just the specific line you're focusing on.
- Ask the children to tell you what connections they see. What might the symbols represent. Can they decode the word puzzle?
- Continue working your way through the song decoding the 4 rebus puzzles for the verse you choose to work on.
- Ask the kids which one of the rebus puzzles is their favorite? Talk about that specific part of the song and the meaning behind it and how they can apply it to their own life.

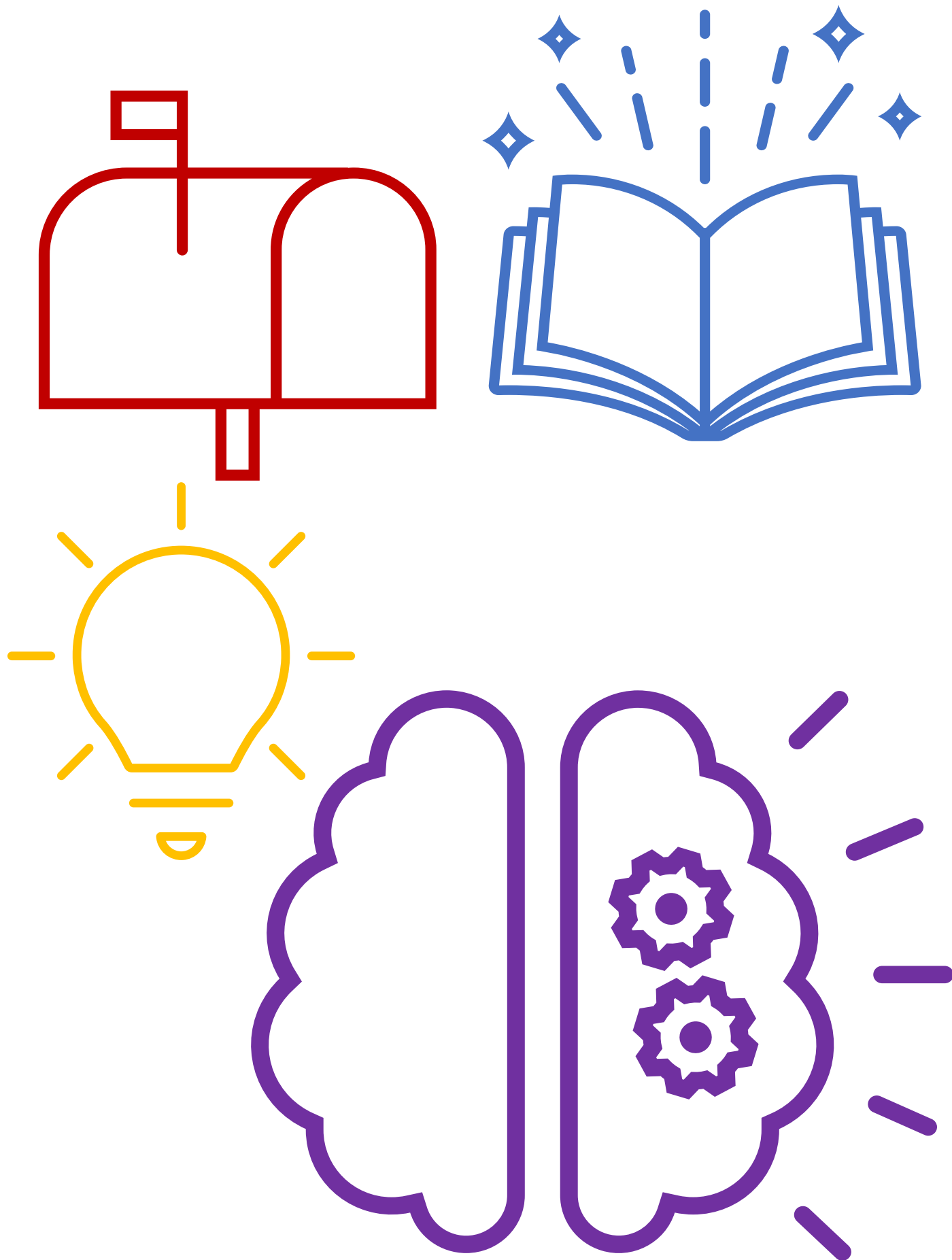
Extension Activities:

- Shuffle all of the rebus cards so you pick one in a random order. Have the Primary children raise their hands while you sing through the song when they think you are at the right part of the song. When several (or most) of the hands are up, you can pause singing and say, let's check! Sign the previous line again and see if it's a match!
- Flip over one of the rebus puzzles and have the kids sing only the flipped over phrase. Help them visualize and picture those icons to help them remember the lyrics. Before flipping it back over, ask a child to tell you or come up and draw the hidden symbols! Now start again with a different puzzle.
- Divide the Primary into 2 or 4 groups. Assign them specific lines of the song. You could write their number on the whiteboard above their parts to sing! Then, switch it up and give them different parts to sing.
- Use the black and white rebus word puzzles and let the kids help add in some color!



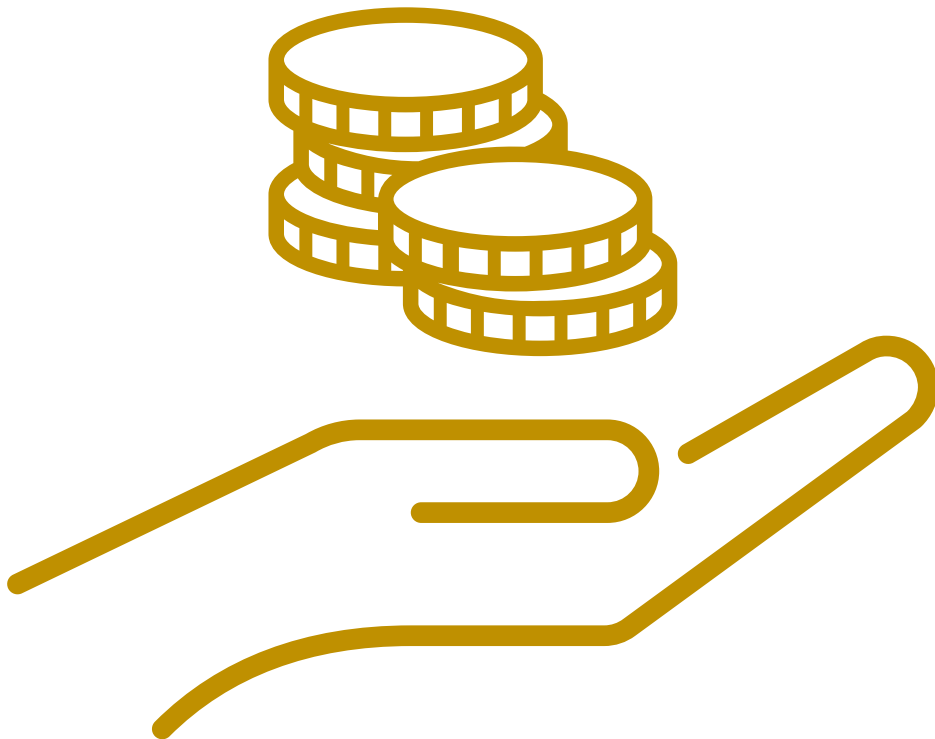
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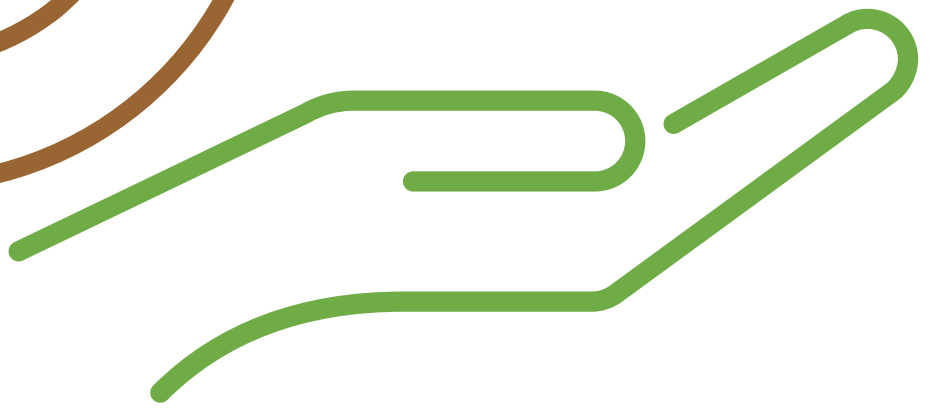






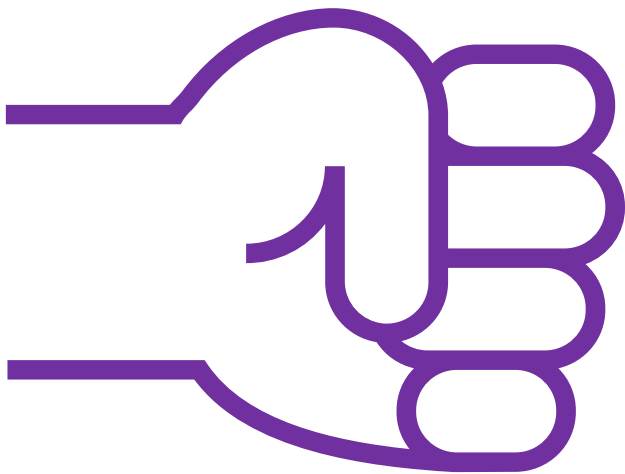
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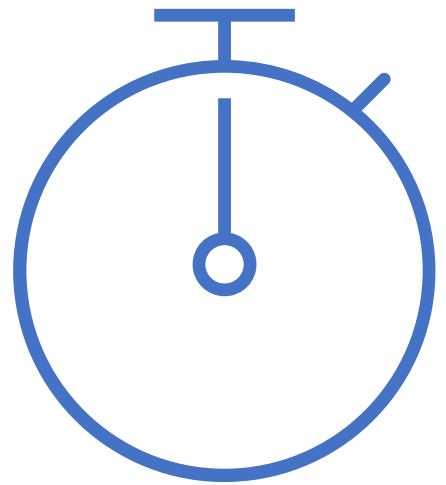


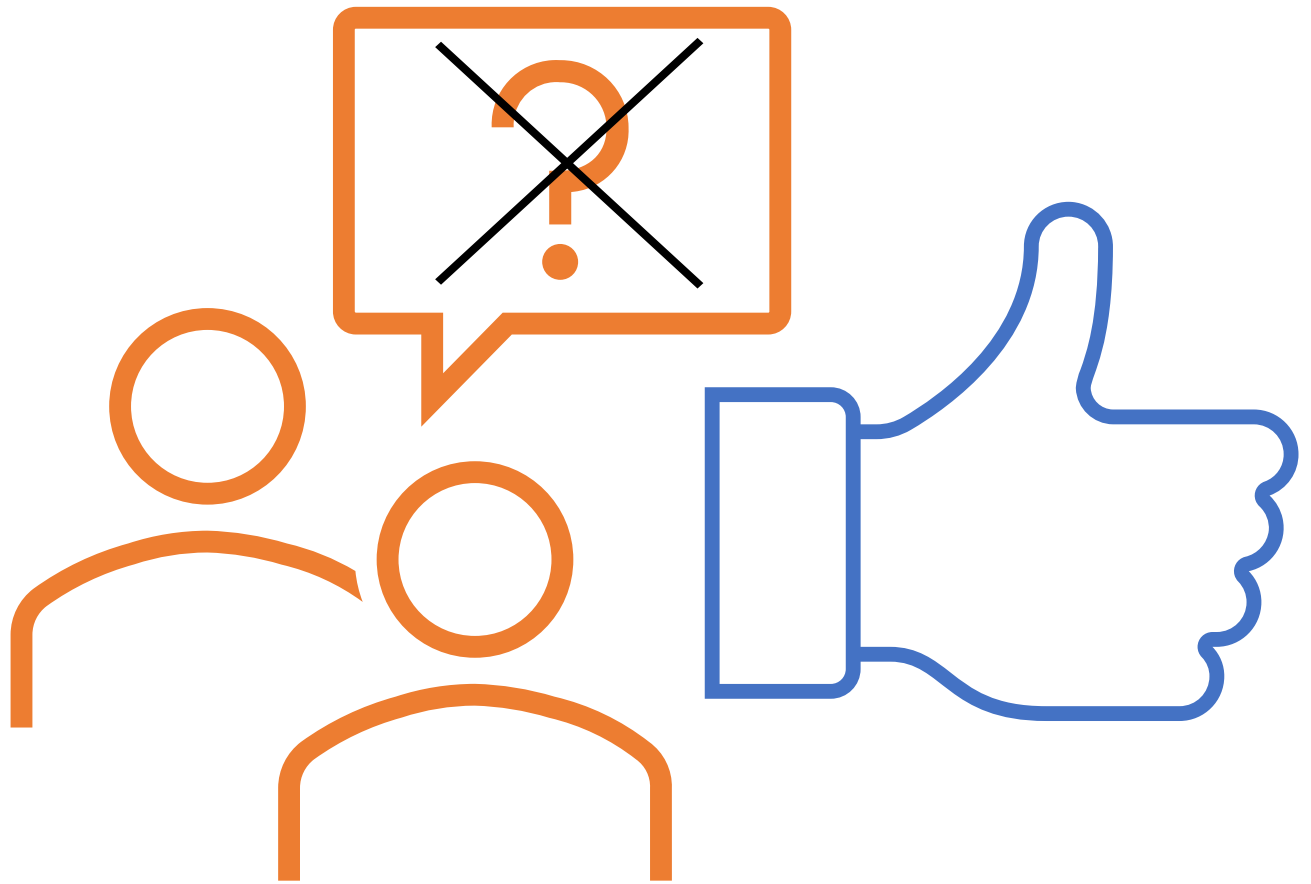
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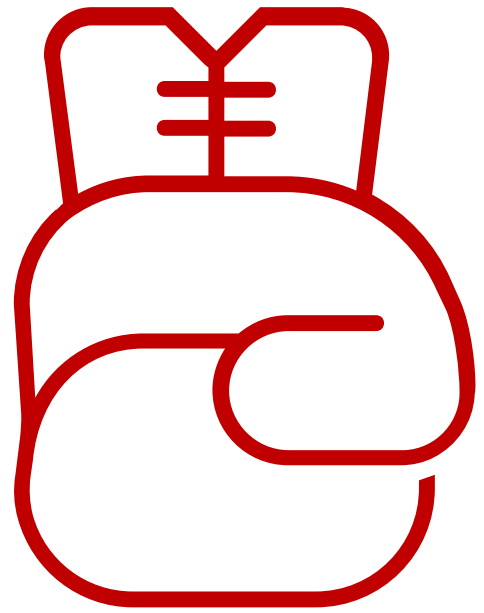
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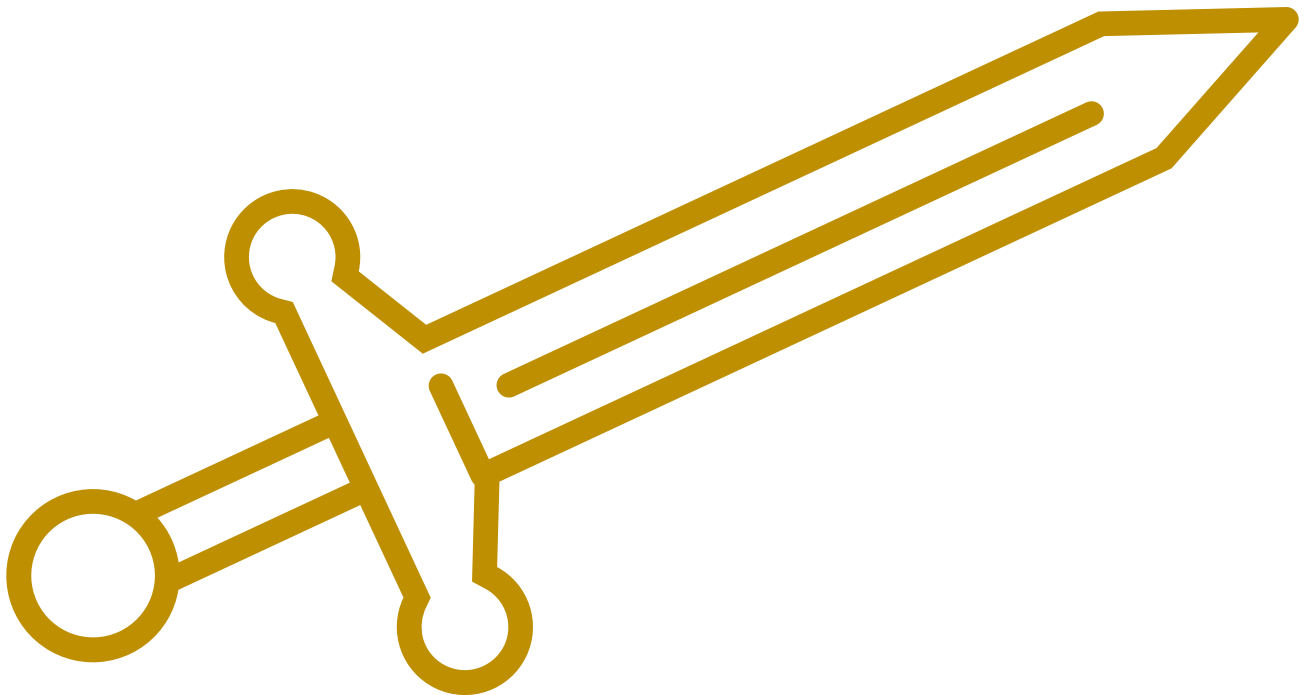
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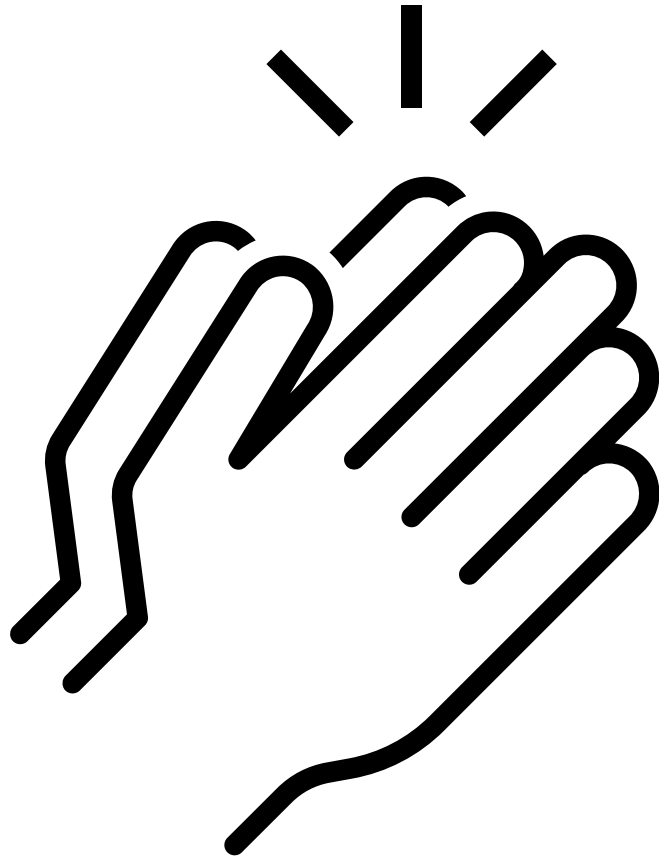




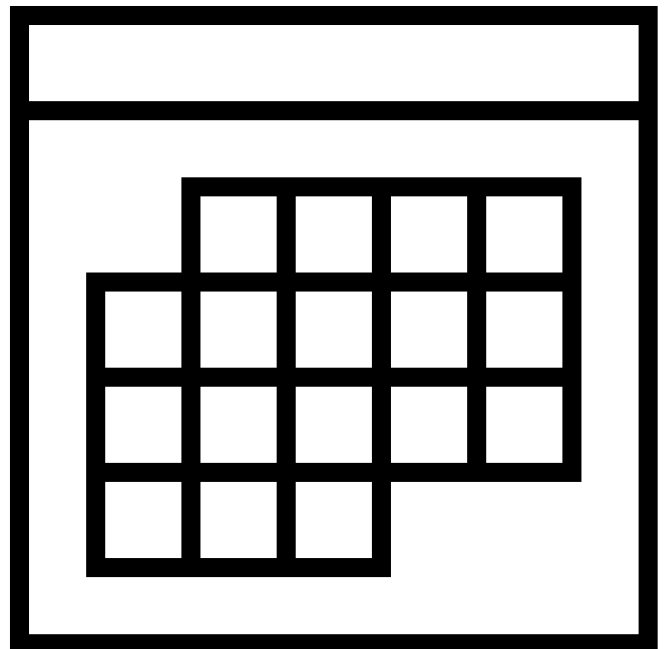
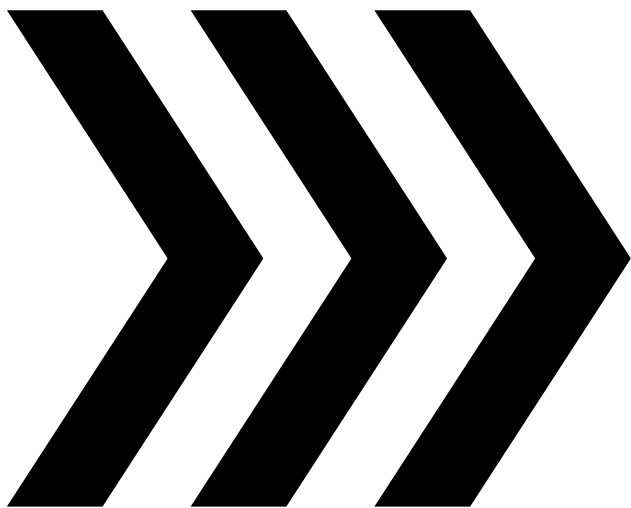


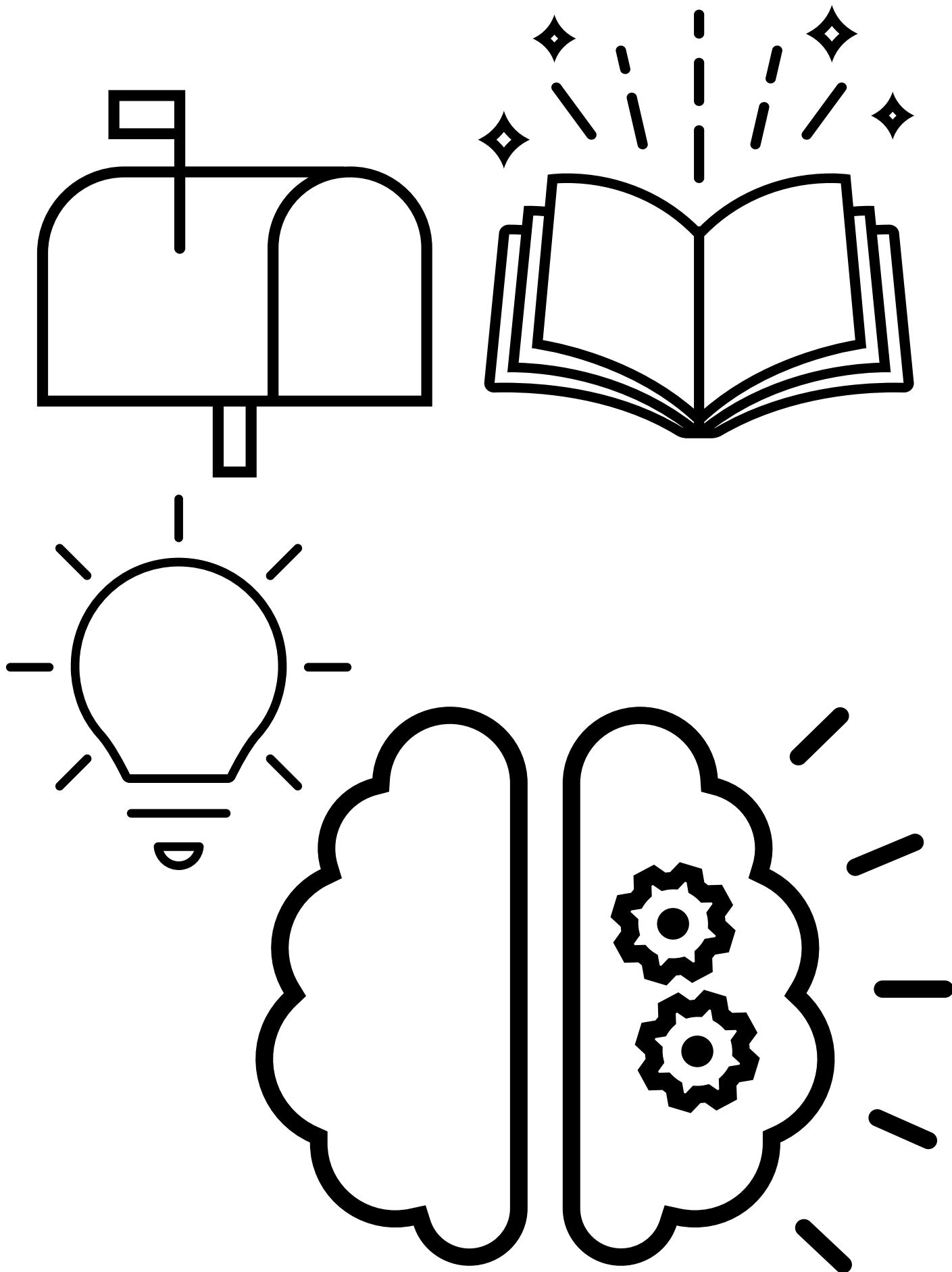
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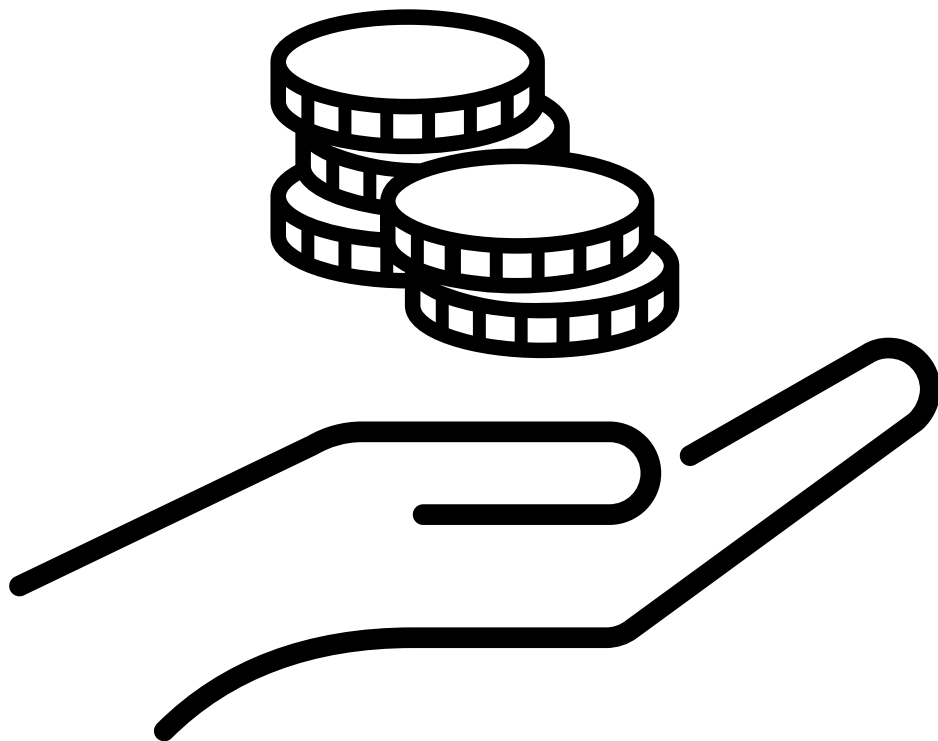
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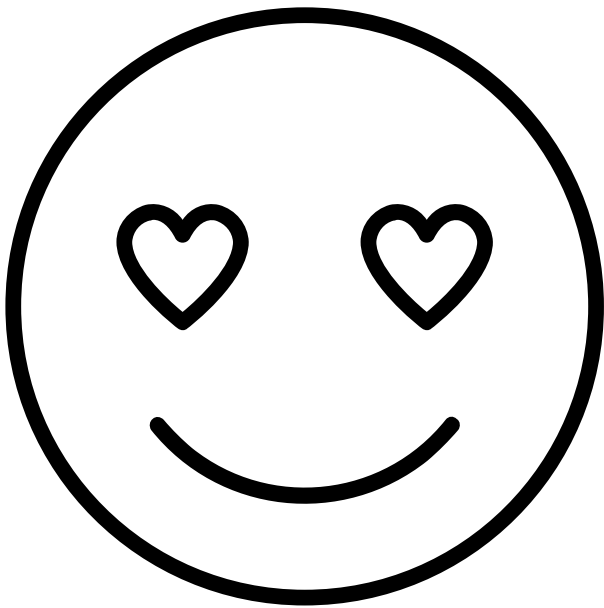






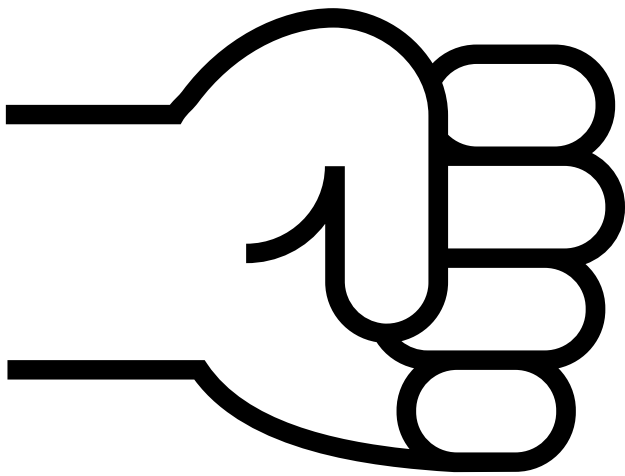
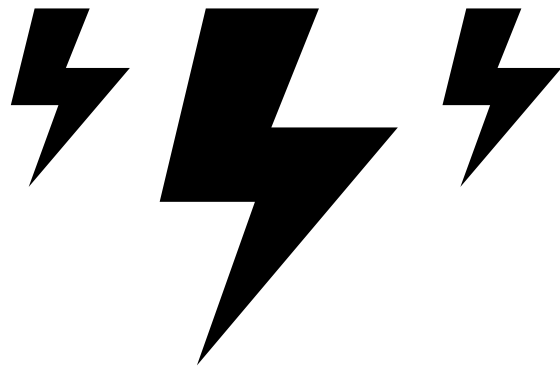
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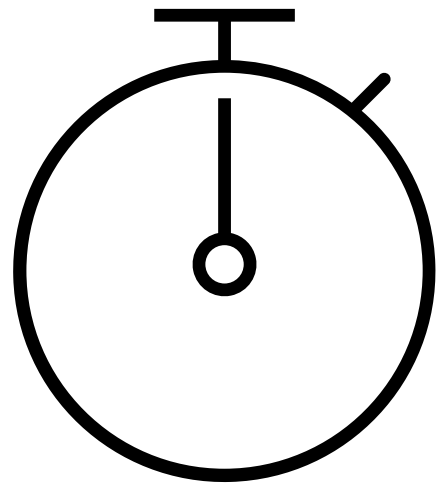
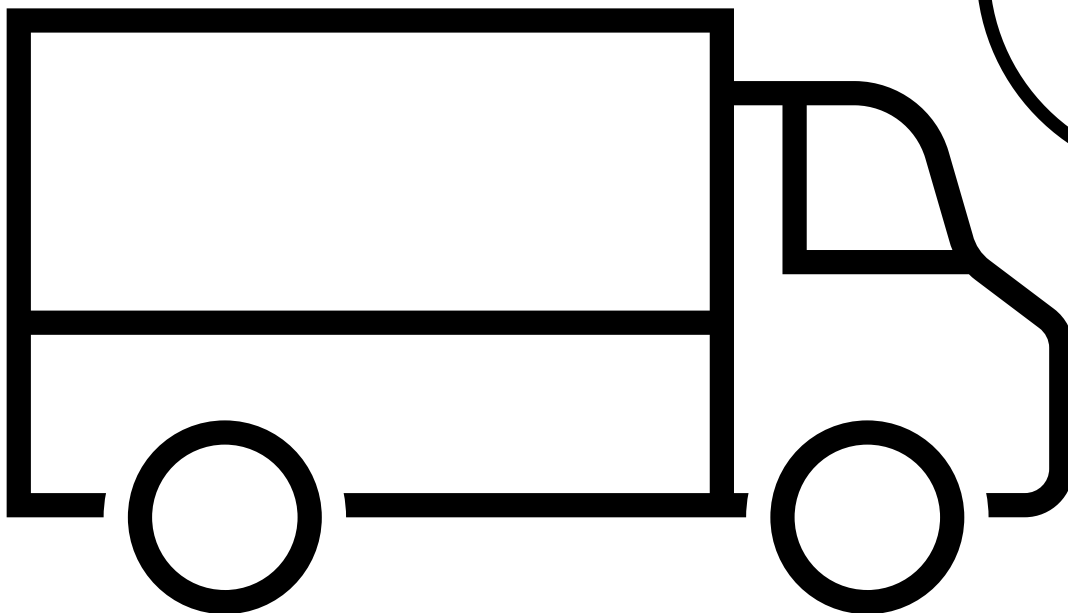
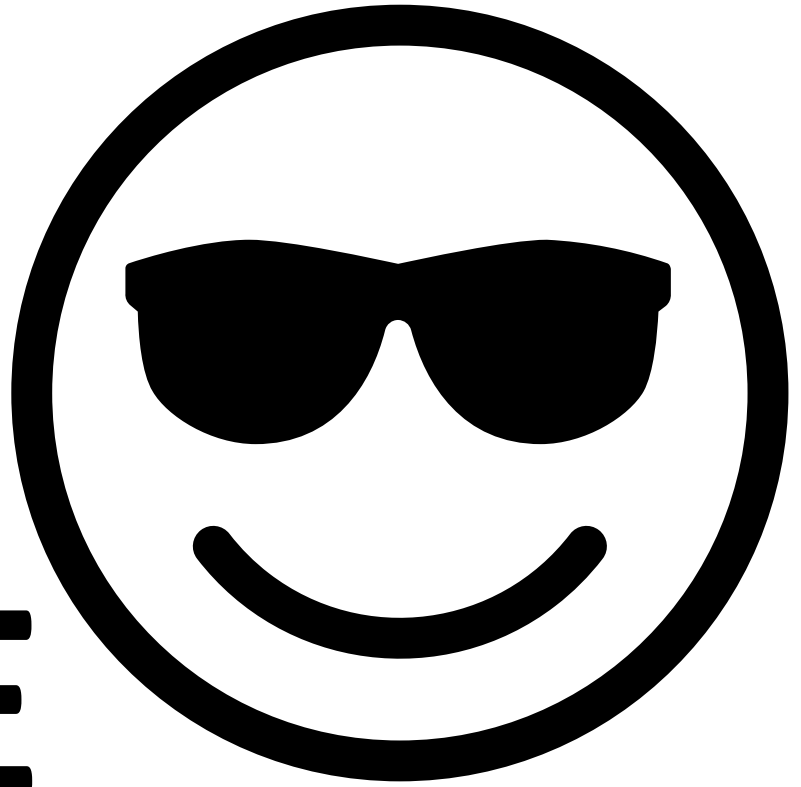


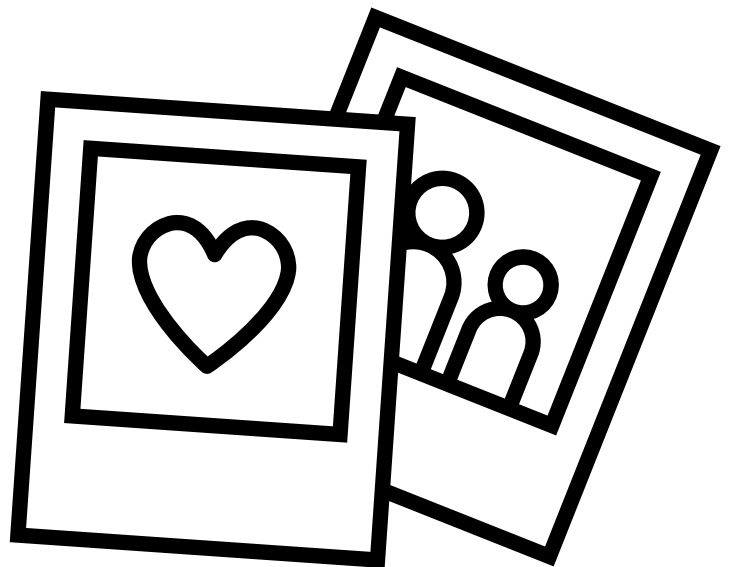
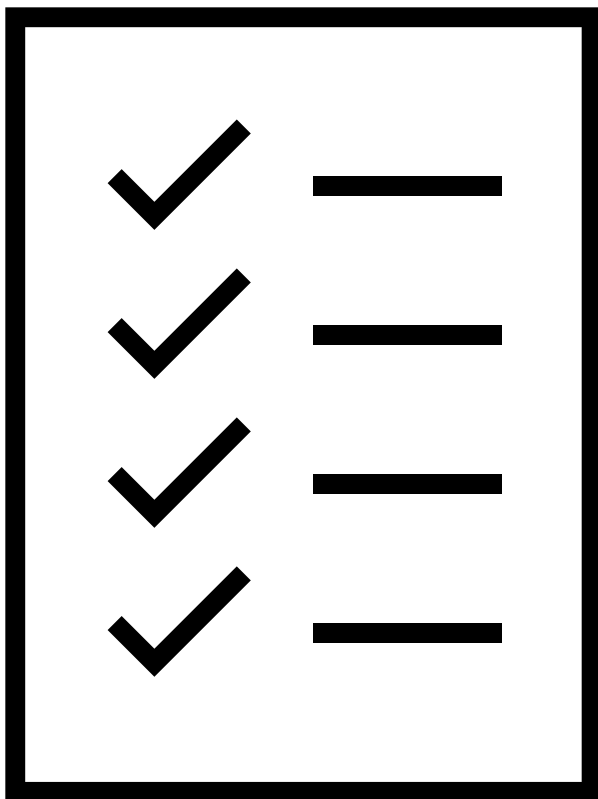
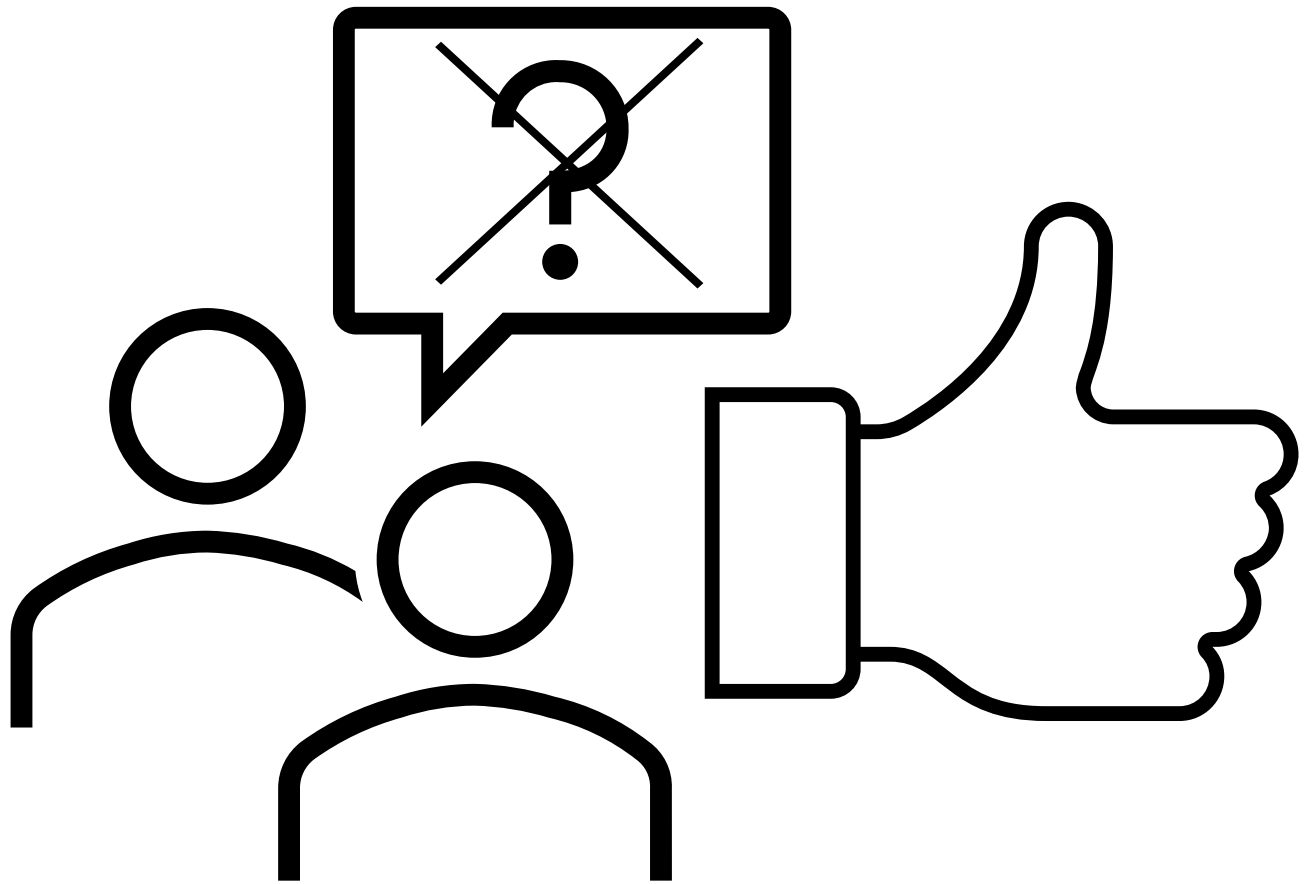
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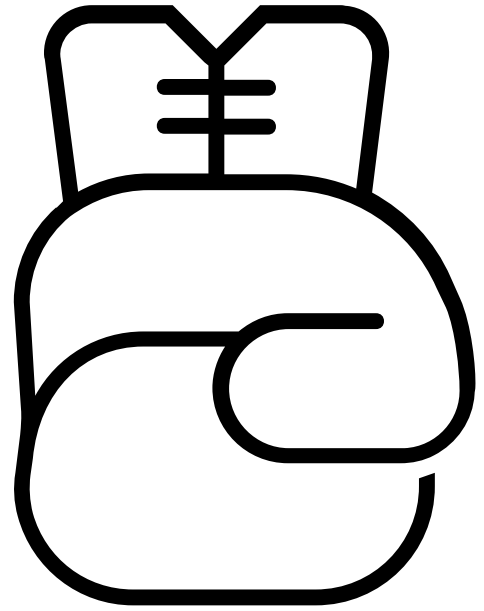
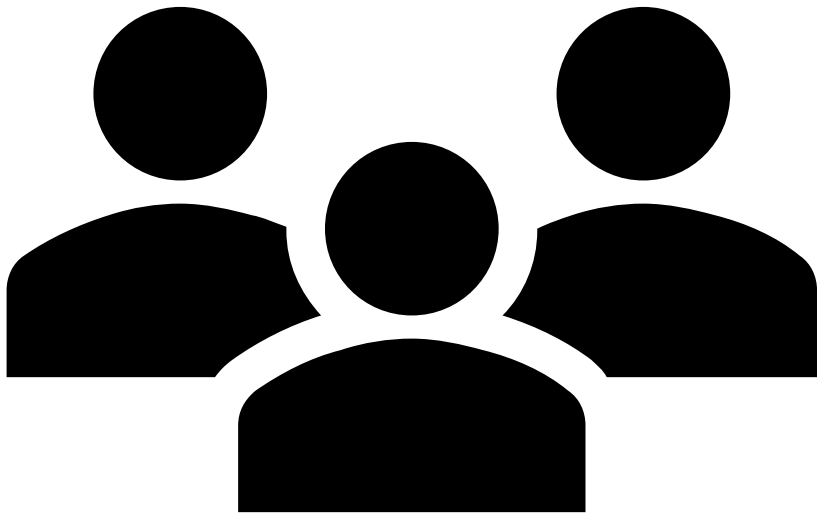
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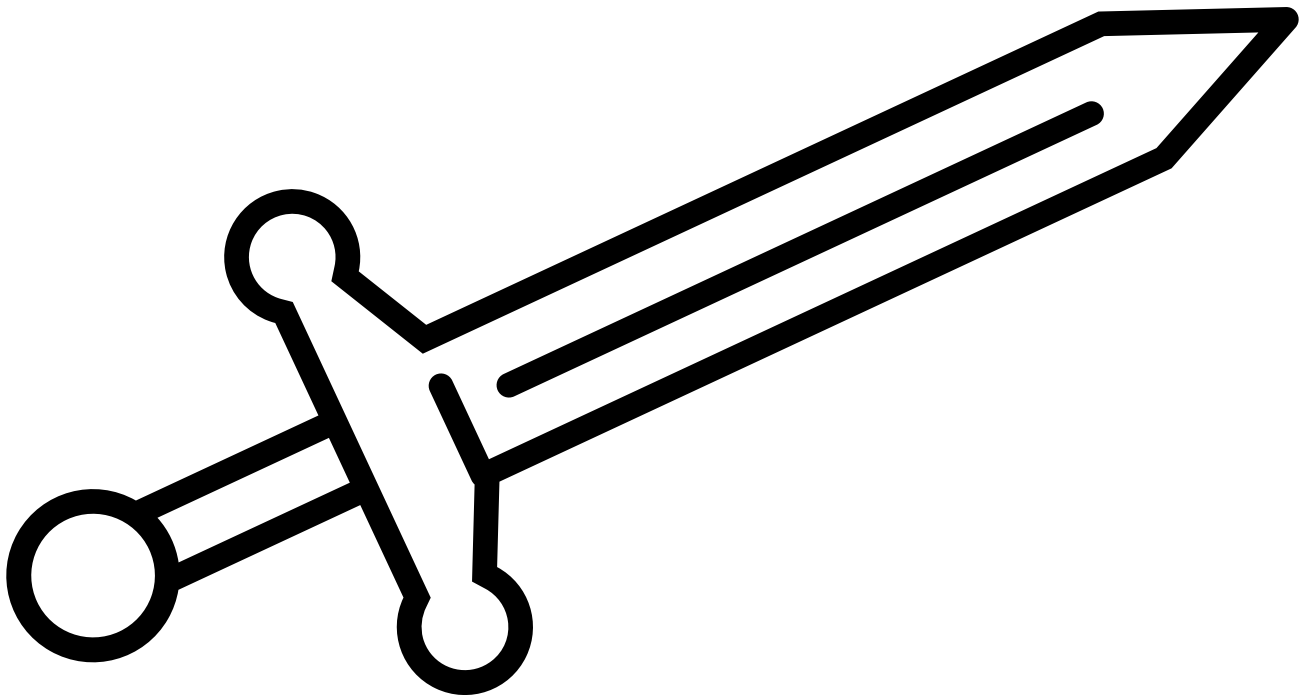
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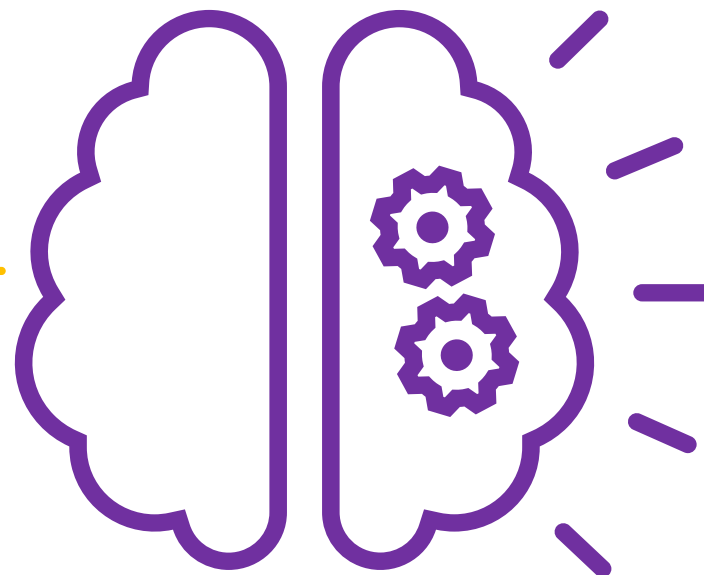
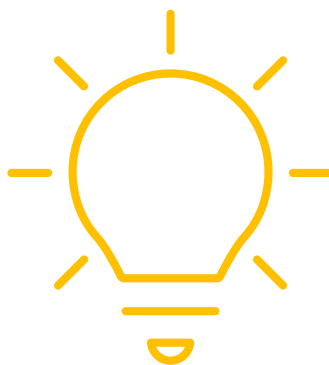
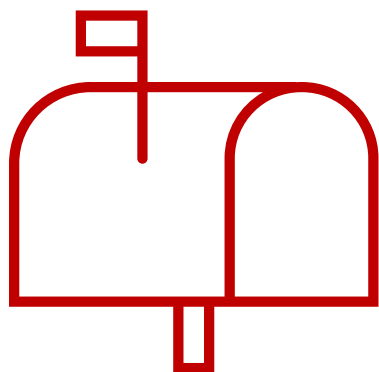
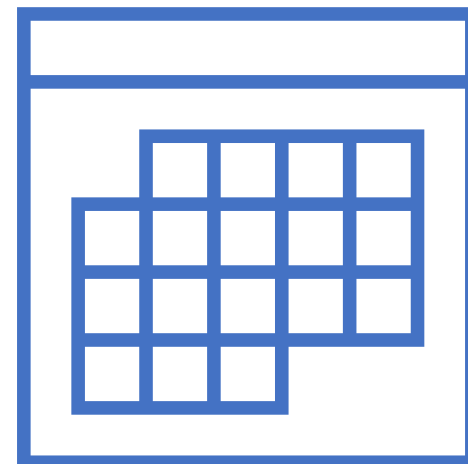


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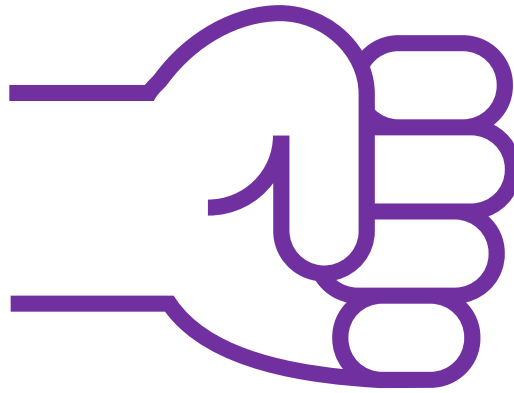




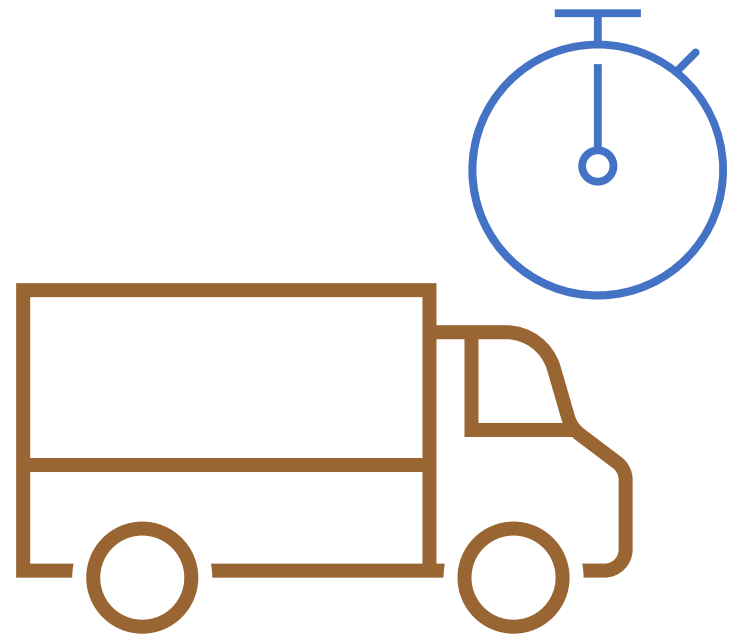
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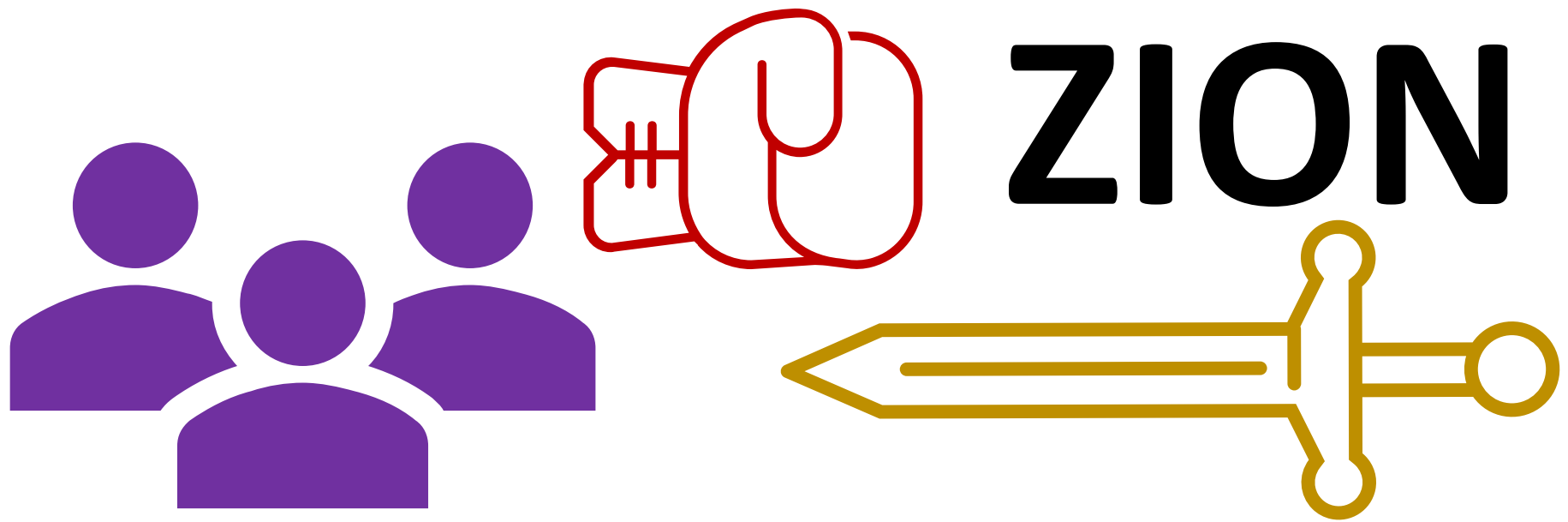


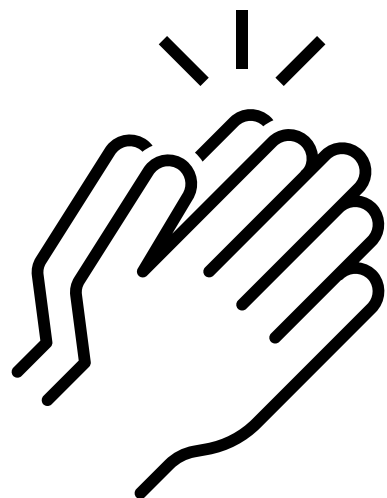
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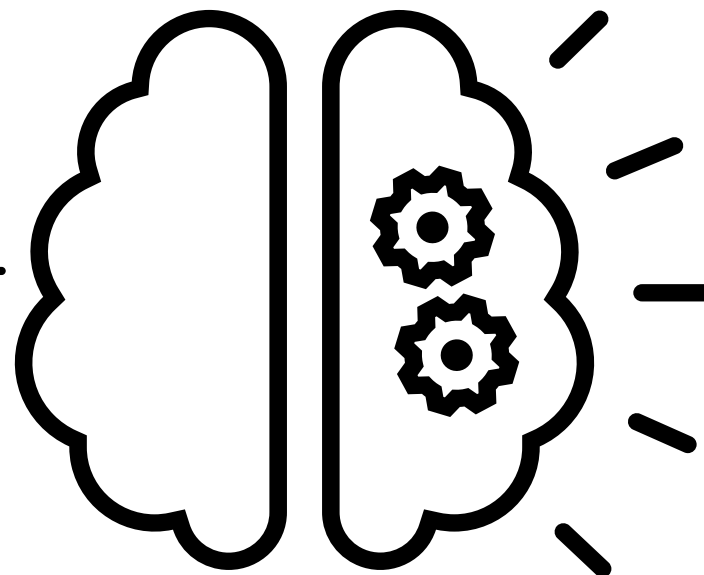
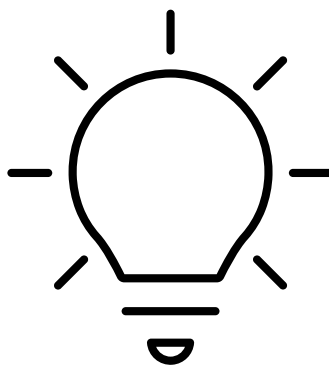
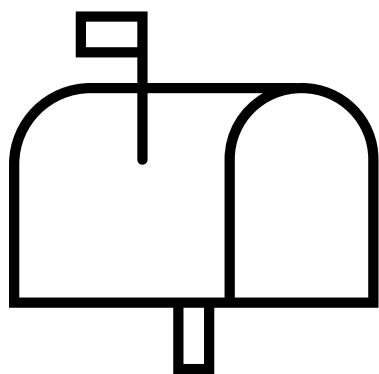
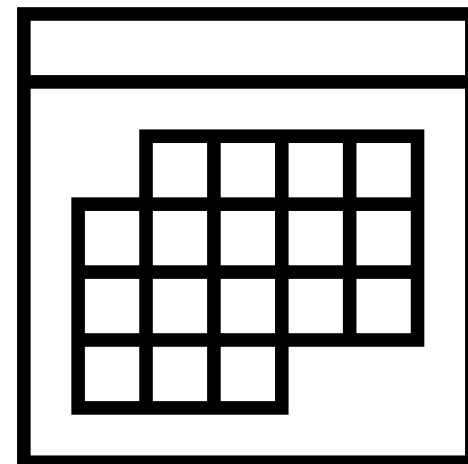
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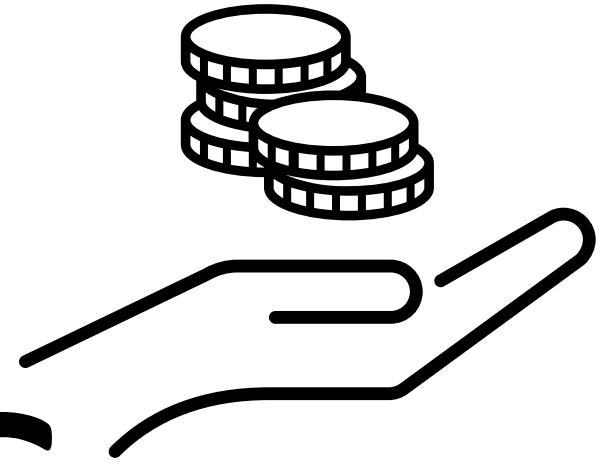
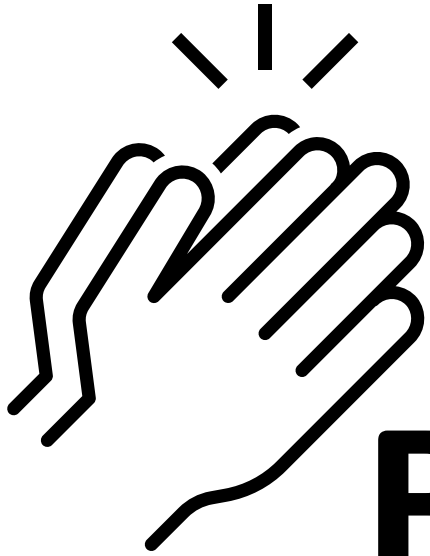




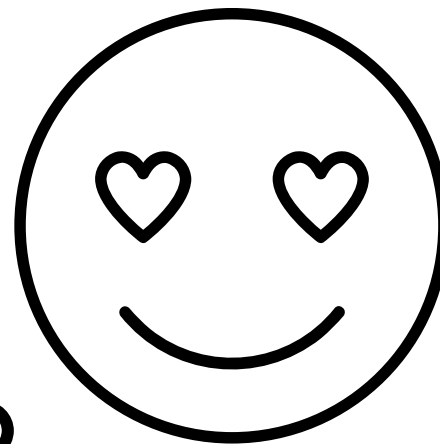
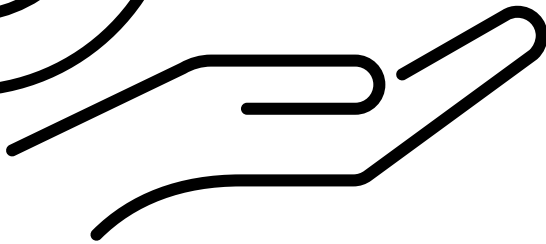
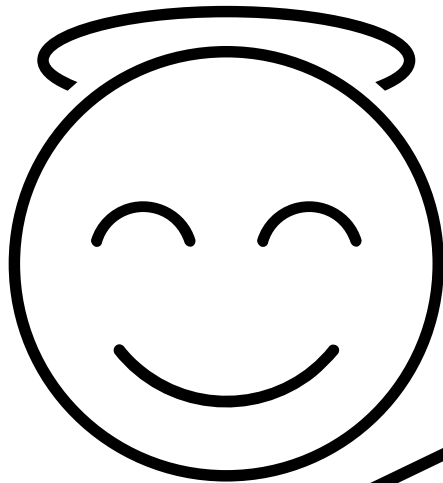


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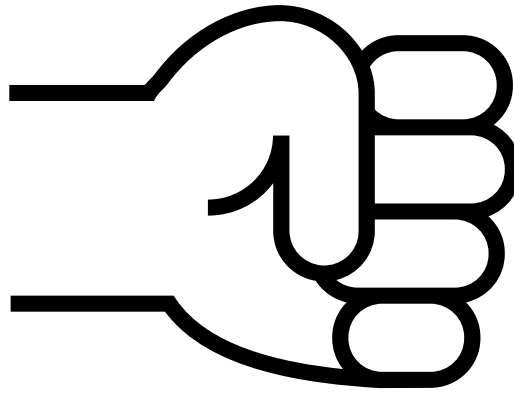
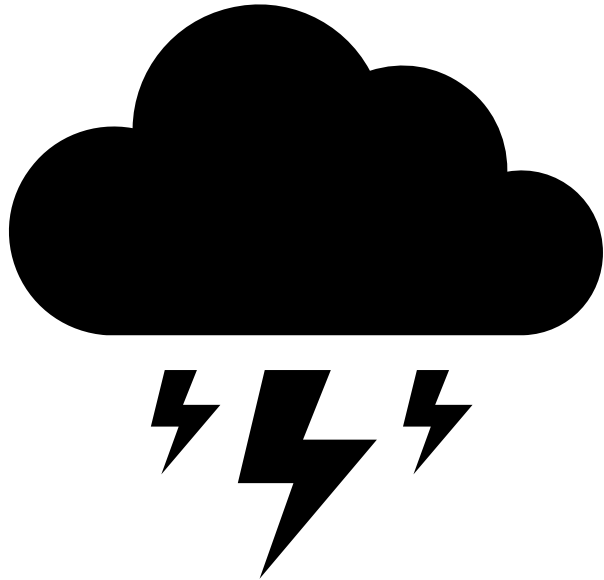


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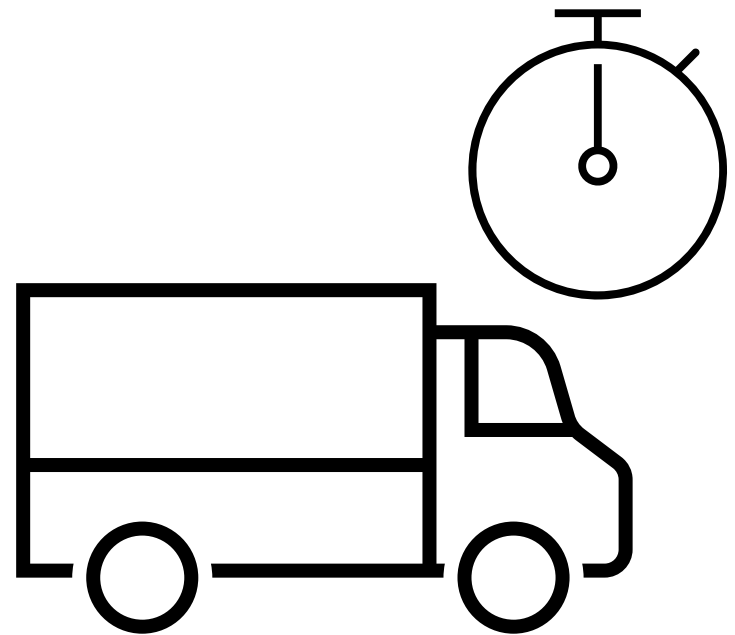
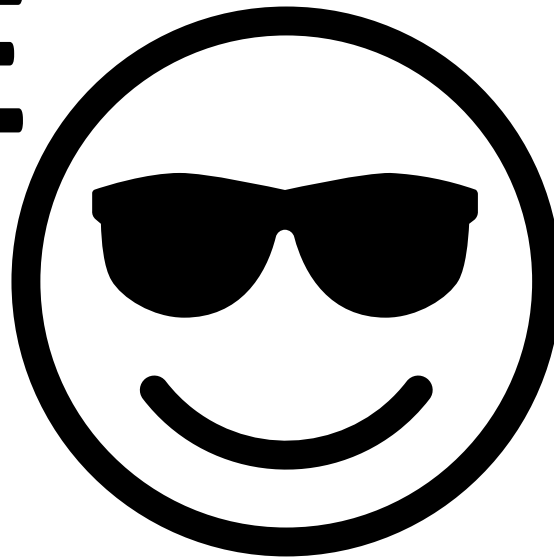


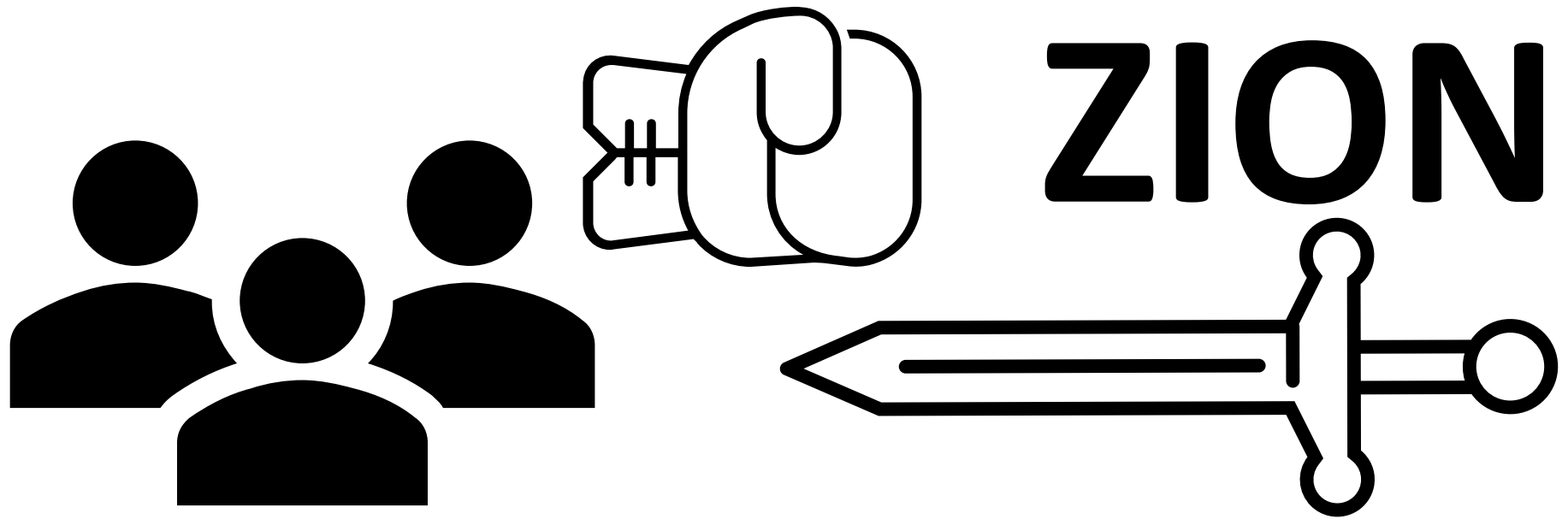
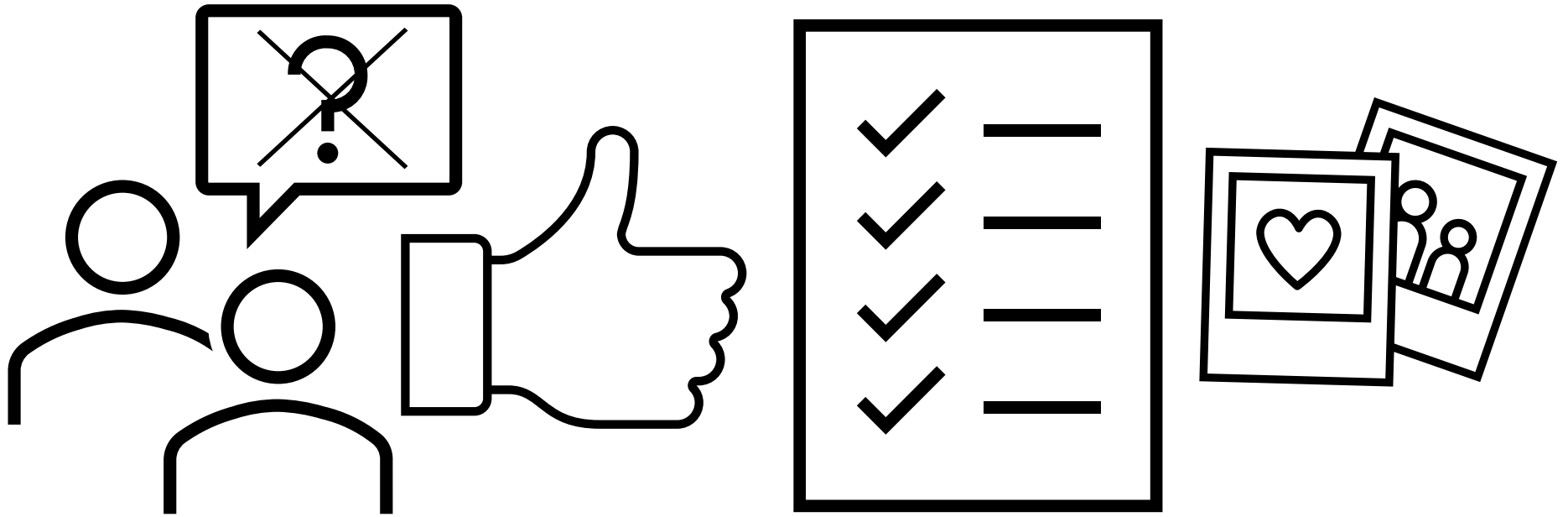
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