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The study of the brain and nervous system.

A neurotransmitter that stimulates brain activity; makes brain functions more active.

A system in your body that is made up of your brain, spinal cord, and nerves. This system sends messages between the brain and other parts of your body that are responsible for controlling movement and feeling.

A neurotransmitter that slows down brain activity.

A nerve cell; a special cell that carries messages between the brain and other parts of the body.

A chemical substance that can boost the effects of other chemicals in the brain.

A chemical substance that reduces the effects of other chemicals in the brain.