

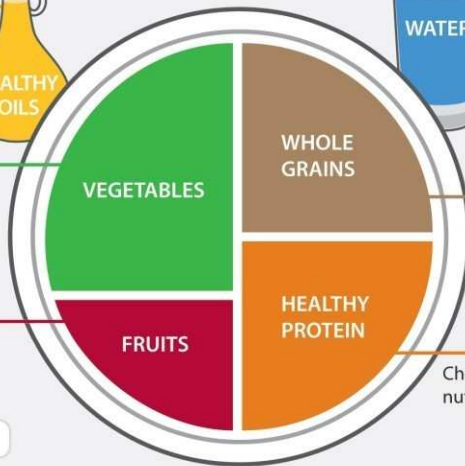
HEALTHY EATING PLATE

Use healthy oils (like olive and canola oil) for cooking, on salad, and at the table. Limit butter. Avoid trans fat.



Drink water, tea, or coffee (with little or no sugar). Limit milk/dairy (1-2 servings/day) and juice (1 small glass/day). Avoid sugary drinks.

The more veggies – and the greater the variety – the better. Potatoes and French fries don't count.



Eat a variety of whole grains (like whole-wheat bread, whole-grain pasta, and brown rice). Limit refined grains (like white rice and white bread).

Eat plenty of fruits of all colors.

Choose fish, poultry, beans, and nuts; limit red meat and cheese; avoid bacon, cold cuts, and other processed meats.



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How to use the Pyramid

The recommended number of servings for children (from 5 years of age*) and adults is highlighted beside each shelf. For example, to get at least 4 servings from the Fruit and Veg shelf you could have:

$\frac{1}{2}$ a glass of fruit juice = 1

3 dessertspoons of veg = 1

1 apple = 1

1 banana = 1

TOTAL = 4

Use the FOOD PYRAMID to Plan Your Healthy Food Choices

For serving sizes and daily eating plan see over →→→→



DRINK WATER REGULARLY - AT LEAST 8 CUPS OF FLUID PER DAY

Folic Acid - An essential ingredient in making a baby. If there is any possibility that you could become pregnant, then you should be taking a folic acid tablet (400 micrograms a day)

* For younger children, start with smaller and fewer servings and increase up to the guidelines recommended, according to the child's own growth and appetite.