

Celebrate Food Fitness and Fun!

Traditionally, when people try to “get healthier” they simply go on a “diet”. This typically lead to feelings of deprivation and for children, diets can impede healthier growth and development. Restrictive eating without exercise can lead to muscle loss, which only reduces the number of calories you need to sustain your weight and makes you weaker.

Daily, healthy living should be a fun and enjoyable experience. It requires a balance of healthy eating coupled with daily activity. It's not about a restrictive diet and painful exercise. It means learning to fill your plate with a variety of protein-rich foods, fruits and vegetables and moderate portions of grains that are all filled with flavor.

It means finding one or more activities you enjoy and accumulating at least 60 minutes of movement in your daily life. If you don't like to run, don't run. If you like to dance, then dance! To keep exercise fun, create a schedule and rotate activities throughout the days of the week.

For example, maybe you walk on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, dance on Tuesday, ride a stationary bike on Thursday and Saturday and leave Sunday open for whatever you choose to do that day. Achieving fitness does require creating a plan, but it should be a plan that you and your family find enjoyable. When things are fun you tend to return to them day after day.



Sodexo is committed to promoting healthier food choices and encourages students and families to use the USDA MyPlate to build healthy and balanced meals.

BREAKFAST

BEFORE SCHOOL

Benefit Bar
Cinnamon Bun
Muffin & Yogurt
Bagel w/Cream Cheese
Yogurt Parfait
Cereal w/choice of Sunflower Seeds, String Cheese, Graham Cracker

Milk, Juice, Fruit Offered Daily

MONDAY: BREAKFAST WRAP

TUESDAY: BREAKFAST PIZZA

WEDNESDAY: FRENCH TOAST AND SAUSAGE

THURSDAY: BREAKFAST SANDWICH

FRIDAY: BREAKFAST PIZZA

YOU MUST TAKE A FRUIT OR JUICE

Fresh Pick Recipe

STRAWBERRY SALSA WITH BAKED CORN CHIPS

- ¼ c Red onion (small dice)
- 1 Jalapeno pepper (minced)
- 1 Yellow bell pepper (medium dice)
- 1 Green pepper (medium dice)
- 1/2 Cucumber (medium dice)
- 1 Pint Strawberries (large dice)
- 1/2 c Pineapple (medium dice)
- 1/2 Cilantro leaves
- 1/2 c Orange juice
- 2 T Lime juice
- 2 T Extra virgin olive oil
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Baked tortilla chips/scoops

1. Prepare all ingredients as directed.
2. In medium bowl mix all of the ingredients except for the chips.
3. Serve the salsa with the chips on the side.



MAY NATIONAL CELEBRATION DAYS

National Bike Month, Barbeque Month, Hamburger Month, Salad Month
5th-Cinco De Mayo
7th-Teacher's Day
8th-School Nurses Day
12th-Mother's Day
27th-Memorial Day

Nutrition Information is available upon request.

