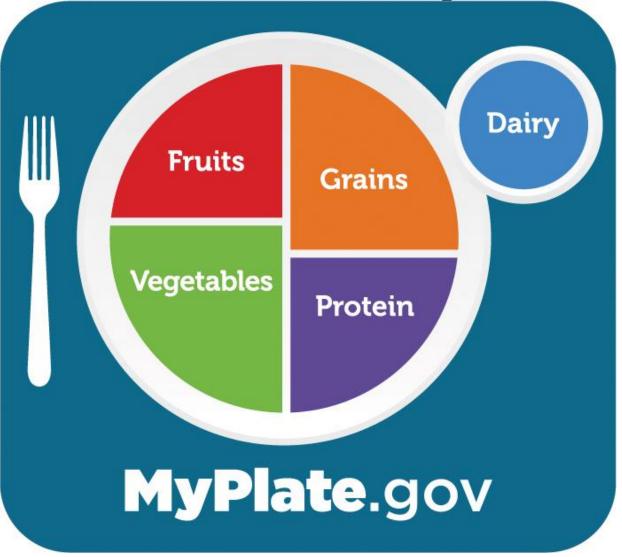
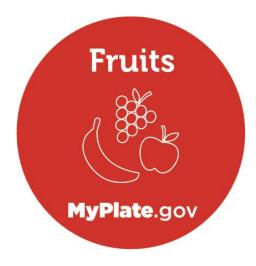
What is on My Plate?

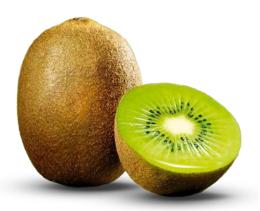


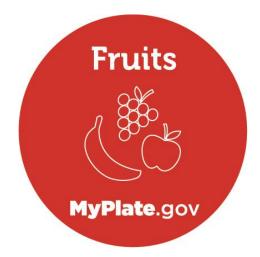






- Fuel up with fruits at meals or snacks
- Youth 9-13 years old need 1 ½ cups of fruit a day
 - Choose fresh fruits
 - Make sure juice is 100% fruit juices
 - Frozen fruit is ok





Which is a Healthier Choice? Fruit Cups or canned fruit in <u>fruit juice</u> OR <u>syrup</u>







- Color your plate with great tasting veggies
- Youth 9-13 years old need 2 ½ cups of vegetables a day
 - Try to eat darker green, red and orange vegetables
- Choose canned vegetables with no salt added, or frozen vegetables





Which is a Healthier Choice? Vegetables: <u>Fried</u> or <u>Grilled/Baked</u>?









- Make at least half your grains whole grains
- Youth 9-13 years old need 3-6 ounces of grains a day
- 1 slice of bread, 1 cup of ready-to-eat cereal, or ½ cup of cooked rice, cooked pasta, or cooked cereal = 1 ounce-equivalent from the Grains Group
- Choose whole-grain foods such as whole wheat bread and tortillas, brown rice

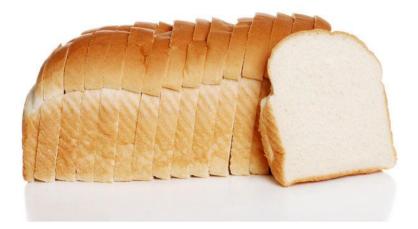


oatmeal and popcorn more often



Which is a Healthier Choice? <u>Wheat</u> Bread or <u>White</u> Bread?











- Vary your Protein foods
- Youth 9-13 years old need 5 ounces of protein a day
- 1 ounce of meat, poultry or fish, ¼ cup cooked beans, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon of peanut butter = 1 ounce-equivalent from the Protein Foods Group
 - Try fish, shellfish, beans and peas more often
 - Grilling and Baking meat is healthier choice than frying
 - Beans and peas are in both Vegetable and Protein Food Groups



Which is a Healthier Choice? <u>Grilled Chicken</u> or <u>Fried Chicken</u>?









- Get your calcium-rich foods for strong bones and healthy teeth!
 - Youth 9-13 years old need 3 cups of dairy foods a day
- 1 cup of milk, yogurt, or soy milk, or 1 ½ ounces of natural cheese = 1 cup from

the Dairy Group



• Choose fat free or low fat



Which is a Healthier Choice? <u>White Milk</u> or <u>Chocolate Milk</u>?







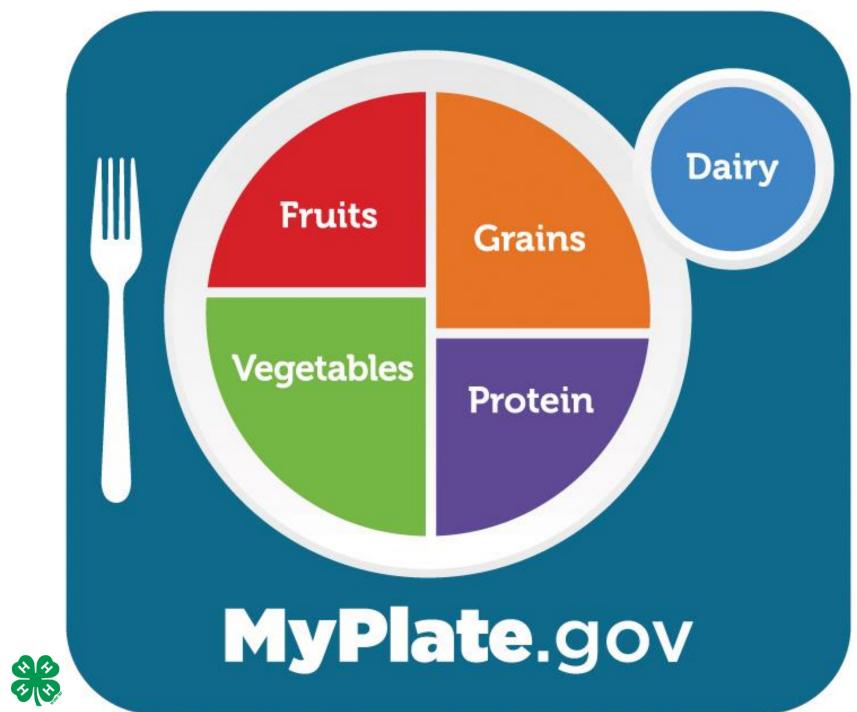


- Know your "sometimes" foods that have added sugars or solid fats
- Examples: candy, cake, cookies, chips, ice cream, soda, fruit punch, hotdogs
 - Don't have room for healthy food if eat these
 - Choose these once in a while not everyday











Old Food Label

Nutrition	Facts
Serving Size 2/3 cup (55g)	

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Amount Per Serving Calories 230 Calories from Fat 70 % Daily Value* Total Fat 8g 12% Saturated Fat 1g 5% Trans Fat 0g Cholesterol Omg 0% Sodium 160mg 7% 12% Total Carbohydrate 37g **Dietary Fiber 4q** 16% Sugars 12g Protein 3q 10% Vitamin A Vitamin C 8% Calcium 20% 45% Iron * Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your Daily Value may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs. Calories: 2,000 2,500 80g Total Fat 65g Less than Sat Fat Less than 20g 25g Cholesterol Less than 300mg 300mg 2,400mg 2,400mg Sodium Less than Total Carbohydrate 300g 375g **Dietary Fiber** 25g 30g

New Food Label Nutrition Facts 8 servings per container 2/3 cup (55g) Serving size Amount per serving 230 Calories % Daily Value* 10% Total Fat 8q 5% Saturated Fat 1g Trans Fat Og 0% Cholesterol Omg Sodium 160mg 7% Total Carbohydrate 37g 13% 14% **Dietary Fiber 4g** Total Sugars 12g Includes 10g Added Sugars 20% Protein 3q Vitamin D 2mcg 10% 20% Calcium 260mg 45% Iron 8mg 6% Potassium 240mg * The % Daily Value (DV) tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition advice.



4-H Healthy Living Drawing Contest

Due at School by Monday, December 16 (before next 4-H program)



Here's another opportunity to show your knowledge on being healthy and win a prize too. Create a poster using the theme "Healthy Living". Follow the contest rules listed below:

- 1. The poster must portray healthy choices people make in their daily lives.
- 2. No need to buy special poster paper, regular 8.5 x 11-inch paper is fine.
- 3. Use any artistic media (crayons, colored pencils, markers, etc.) that you choose as long as your poster is flat.
- 4. Complete and turn in your poster to your teacher no later than December 9.
- 5. Be creative and have fun!

Posters will be judged on creativity, accuracy of information and visual appeal. Each poster will earn your class 25 points for club of the month competition. Winners will be announced in the January newsletter.



Pumpkin Contest Winners

Athens-Clarke County 4-H received some very creative submissions from Athens-Clarke County 5th grade students. The Judges were very impressed with the art submitted.

Paper Drawing Winner: Queen Huff: Timothy Road Elementary School





- Athens-Clarke County 4-H received some very creative submissions from
- Athens-Clarke County 5th grade students for the 4-H Holiday Card
- Contest. The Judges were very impressed with the over 200 art
- submissions. Due to this two Winners were chosen!
- Samantha Ortiz Gonzalez : JJ Harris
- Camilla Dominguez: St. Joseph Catholic Parish School



Project Fun Day! (CPA)

Saturday, February 8 at 9:30am-12pm Athens-Clarke County 4-H Extension Facility <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9jhfxp17gxl</u>



- To compete in this activity, students can sign up in their classroom or have Parent contact Ms. Conway at <u>ebarber@uga.edu</u>
- Students will choose a topic from the Project List, prepare an informative presentation with visuals and then present speech at Athens-Clarke County 4-H Extension Facility on February 8
- Winners from the CPA competition in February may compete at District Project Achievement (DPA) in Jackson County on <u>March 22</u>
- Only students who participate at the district competition (DPA) in March may apply for the need-based <u>scholarships</u> to reduce the cost of <u>4-H Summer Camp</u> <u>held at Rock Eagle</u> in June.



Upcoming 4-H Activities



• <u>4-H Healthy Living Drawing Contest:</u> Due at School by Monday,

December 16 (Pickup 18) (before next 4-H program)



 Project Fun Day(CPA): Sign up with Teacher or have Parent email Ms. Conway; Saturday, February 8 at 9:30am-12pm at ACC 4-H Extension Facility; First step in Summer Camp scholarship process



4-H Pledge

I pledge:



my HEAD to clearer thinking my HEART to greater loyalty my HANDS to larger service and my HEALTH to better living for my club, my community, my country and my world