My Daily Food Plan

Based on the information you provided, this is your daily recommended amount for each food group.



Make half your grains whole

Aim for at least **2 1/2 ounces** of whole grains a day



VEGETABLES 1 1/2 cups

Vary your veggies

Aim for these amounts each week:

Dark green veggies

= 1 cup

Red & orange veggies

= 3 cups

Beans & peas

= 1/2 cup

Starchy veggies

= 3 1/2 cups

Other veggies

= 2 1/2 cups

FRUITS 1 1/2 cups

Focus on fruits

Eat a variety of fruit

Choose whole or cut-up fruits more often than fruit juice



2 cups

Get your calcium-rich foods

Drink fat-free or low-fat (1%) milk, for the same amount of calcium and other nutrients as whole milk, but less fat and Calories

Select fat-free or low-fat yogurt and cheese, or try calcium-fortified soy products



PROTEIN FOODS 4 ounces

Go lean with protein

Twice a week, make seafood the protein on your plate

Vary your protein routine choose beans, peas, nuts, and seeds more often

Keep meat and poultry portions small and lean

Find your balance between food and physical activity

Children 2 to 5 years old should play actively every day.

Know your limits on fats, sugars, and sodium

Your allowance for oils is **4 teaspoons** a day. Limit Calories from solid fats and added sugars to **120 Calories** a day. Reduce sodium intake to less than **2300 mg** a day.

Your results are based on a 1400 Calorie pattern.

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