# Healthy Choices

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Healthy eating means choosing the right foods in the right amounts. Choose foods that are lower in fat, sodium and sugar,

Raw leafy vegetables 250 mL (1 cup)

Cooked leafy vegetables 125 mL (½ cup)

as recommended in *Eating Well* with Canada's Food Guide\*.



Bread 1 slice (35 g)

Bagel 1/2 bagel (45 g)

Cooked rice, bulgur or quinoa

125 mL (½ cup)
Cooked pasta
or couscous
125 mL (½ cup)

Vegetables & Fruit What is one serving?

Grain Products
What is one serving?

Milk & Alternatives

What is one serving?

Yogurt or kefir 175 g (¾ cup)

## Meat & Alternatives

What is one serving?

Cooked fish, shellfish, poultry, lean meat 75 g (2½ oz) / 125 mL (½ cup)

Peanut or nut butters 30 mL (2 Tbsp)

Tofu 150 g or 175 mL (¾ cup)

Cooked legumes 175 mL (¾ cup)

Shelled nuts and seeds 60 mL (¼ cup)

Eggs 2 eggs





Milk or powdered milk (reconstituted) 250 mL (1 cup)

Canned milk (evaporated) 125 mL (½ cup)

Fortified soy beverage 250 mL (1 cup)



Fresh, frozen or canned vegetables 125 mL (½ cup)

100% juice 125 mL (½ cup)





### How many servings of each food group do you need per day?

#### Vegetables & Fruit

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Age [ in years ]	Females	Males
<b>Children</b> 2-3	4	4
4-8	5	5
9-13	6	6
<b>Teens</b> 14-18	7	8
<b>Adults</b> 19-50	7-8	8-10
51+	7	7

#### Grain Products

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<b>Age</b> [ in years ]	Females	Males
<b>Children</b> 2-3	3	3
4-8	4	4
9-13	6	6
<b>Teens</b> 14-18	6	7
<b>Adults</b> 19-50	6-7	8
51+	6	7

Milk & Alternatives

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<b>Age</b> [ in years ]	Females	Males
<b>Children</b> 2-3	2	2
4-8	2	2
9-13	3-4	3-4
<b>Teens</b> 14-18	3-4	3-4
<b>Adults</b> 19-50	2	2
51+	3	3

Meat & Alternatives

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<b>Age</b> [ in years ]	Females	Males
<b>Children</b> 2-3	1	1
4-8	1	1
9-13	1-2	1-2
<b>Teens</b> 14-18	2	3
<b>Adults</b> 19-50	2	3
51+	2	3



## PORK, A HEALTHY CHOICE

Pork provides energy and many nutrients such as high quality protein, six essential B-vitamins and four important minerals (phosphorus, magnesium, zinc and iron), that are all important for the maintenance of good health.

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