# Healthy family food



### Healthy food

#### Eat a variety of foods each day ...



· lots of colourful vegetables and fruit



 some wholegrain breads and cereals or starchy vegetables, eg, potatoes, kumara.



some milk and milk products



• a small serving of meat (eg, chicken, fish, lamb) or a meat alternative (eg, lentils, chick peas, dried beans).

#### Healthy snacks



Offer children healthy snacks between meals.



These foods and drinks make healthy snacks.



These foods contain lots of fat, sugar and salt. Avoid them – or eat only occasionally.

#### Healthy drinks



Milk or water is the best drink for children.





Healthy drinks.



These drinks contain lots of sugar. Try to avoid them.

#### Healthy school lunches



Use a variety of breads. Wholegrain breads are best



Try new fillings.



Include fruit and vegetables every day!

## Healthy eating and keeping active

Be active every day.



Healthy eating and regular physical activity help to keep you a healthy weight ...





... and protect your family from diabetes, heart disease and other illnesses.







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