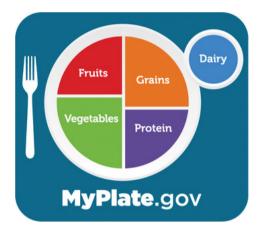
## **HEALTHY SNACKING**

Healthy snacks can help you get the energy and nutrition you need in a day. Snacks should contain foods from at least 2 **MyPlate food groups (vegetables, fruits, grains, protein,** and **dairy**). For example, pair fruits or vegetables with protein, dairy, or grains for a healthy snack that will keep you full.

## **Tips for Snacking**

- Add healthy snack ingredients to your shopping list.
- Pre-portion snacks into small containers or bags to take with you to work or while running errands.
- Be mindful of snacking while in front of the TV, computer, or smartphone.
- Choose from a variety of fruits and vegetables weekly to keep your snacks nutritious and interesting.



## Try some of these healthy snack ideas.



Low-fat yogurt with berries



Carrots & hummus



Apples & peanut butter



Low-fat cheese & grapes



Low-fat cottage cheese with pineapple



Nuts or seeds & fruit



Whole grain cereal & low-fat milk



Whole wheat crackers & low-fat cheese



Hard-boiled eggs with whole grain bread or corn tortilla



Avocado on whole wheat bread



Cherry tomatoes with low-fat mozzarella cheese



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