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MyPlate Plans for Toddlers to Age 7

This chart was designed to provide an estimate of daily food needs based on the recommendations at www.choosemyplate.gov. On the following chart, find the child's gender, age and activity level.

Mark the row with your plan. Visit www.choosemyplate.gov for more information.

Gender/Age/Activity Level		Grain	Vegetables	Fruits	Dairy	Protein
Boy – Age 2 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Boy – Age 2 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Boy – Age 2 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Girl – Age 2 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Girl – Age 2 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Girl – Age 2 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Boy – Age 3 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cup	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Boy – Age 3 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 3 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Girl – Age 3 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	3 ounces	1 cup	1 cup	2 cups	2 ounces
Girl – Age 3 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cup	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Girl – Age 3 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 4 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cups	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Boy – Age 4 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 4 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Girl – Age 4 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cups	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Girl – Age 4 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Girl – Age 4 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 5 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cups	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Boy – Age 5 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 5 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Girl – Age 5 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cups	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Girl – Age 5 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Girl – Age 5 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Boy – Age 6 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 6 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Boy – Age 6 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	6 ounces	2.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Girl – Age 6 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cups	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Girl – Age 6 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Girl – Age 6 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Boy – Age 7 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	1.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	4 ounces
Boy – Age 7 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Boy – Age 7 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	6 ounces	2.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Girl – Age 7 Les	ss than 30 minutes of physical activity per day	4 ounces	1.5 cups	1 cup	2.5 cups	3 ounces
Girl – Age 7 30-	-60 minutes of physical activity per day	5 ounces	2 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces
Girl – Age 7 Mo	ore than 60 minutes of physical activity per day	6 ounces	2.5 cups	1.5 cups	2.5 cups	5 ounces



EXTENSION

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