

Shopping List^{*}

Make a shopping list. Include the items you need for your menus and any basic items you need to restock your kitchen.

Produce

- _____ Fresh fruits (bananas, apples, oranges, grapes)
- _____ Fresh vegetables (cabbage, lettuce, carrots, greens, onions, tomatoes, squash, sweet potatoes, green peppers, okra)



Whole Grain Breads, Muffins, and Rolls

- _____ Bread, bagels, biscuits
- _____ English muffins
- ____ Dinner rolls

- Cereals, Rice, Crackers, Pasta, and Noodles
 - Unsweetened cereal, dry or cooked
 Brown rice
 Whole grain pasta (noodles, spaghetti)
 Soda crackers
 - ____ Graham crackers

Milk Products⁺

- ____ Fat-free or low-fat (1%) milk
- ____ Fat-free or low-fat (1%) cottage cheese
- ____ Low-fat cheeses
- ____ Fat-free or low-fat yogurt
- _____ Fat-free sour cream
- ____ Fat-free cream cheese
- ___ Eggs

Proteins

- ____ Chicken
- ____ Turkey
- _____ Fish (salmon, catfish,
 - whiting, flounder)
- _____ Beef (round or sirloin)
- ____ Extra-lean ground beef
- ____ Pork tenderloin, leg, shoulder
 - No-salt, lower fat lunch meats (turkey, chicken, and lean roast beef)
 - ____ Dry beans and peas, tofu
 - ____ Unsalted roasted nuts



*Use the nutrition label to choose foods lowest in saturated fat, sugar, and sodium. [†] Or lactose-free milk and milk products, or fortified nondairy nut milks, such as soymilk.



Baking Items

- _____ Flour, whole wheat and white
- _____ Sugar
- _____ Vegetable oil spray
- _____ Fat-free canned evaporated milk
- _____ Fat-free dry milk powder
- ____ Unsweetened cocoa powder
- _____ Baking powder



Canned Fruits, Vegetables, Beans, and Soups

- ____ Canned fruit in juice (not syrup)
- ____ Unsweetened applesauce
- Canned tomatoes
 (no salt added)
- ____ Low-sodium tomato sauce or paste
- ____ Other canned vegetables (no salt added)
 - Canned broth (fat-free, low-sodium)
 - _ Other canned soups
 - Canned beans or peas (no salt or seasoning added)

Frozen

- ____ Fat-free or low-fat frozen yogurt and desserts (sherbet)
- ____ Frozen vegetables without sauces
 - _ Frozen 100% fruit juices

Other

Herbs and spices (oregano, cumin, red pepper, garlic, parsley, paprika, sage)

Fats and Oils

- Soft tub margarine
- Canola, olive, or vegetable oil

