## SAMPLE MENUS FOR STUDENT NUTRITION PROGRAMS WITH LIMITED ON-SITE FOOD PREPARATION FACILITIES

These sample menus are designed for Student Nutrition Programs (SNPs) with limited food preparation facilities and/or volunteers to help prepare foods. For information on safe food handling practices and food safety training requirements, please visit <u>york.ca/foodsafety</u>.

## **Sample Snack Menu:**

- A snack is made up of at least one vegetable or fruit PLUS one protein food OR one whole grain food.
- Refer to the Student Nutrition Program Nutrition Guidelines to ensure all foods and beverages offered meet the 'Serve' criteria.
- · Tap water should be available with all snacks.

DAY	WEEK ONE	WEEK TWO	WEEK THREE
1	Apple	Clementine	Unsweetened applesauce cup
	Cheese string	Yogurt cup	Whole grain melba toast
2	Mini cucumber	Fruit cup	Mixed berries
	Whole grain crackers	Whole grain breadsticks	Yogurt cup
3	Peach	Pear	Snap peas
	Whole grain-based bar	Cheese string	Roasted chickpeas
4	Banana	Baby carrots	Grapes
	Mini whole grain bagel	Whole grain crackers	Whole wheat muffin
5	Mini peppers	Cherry tomatoes	Orange
	Hummus	Boiled egg	Whole grain crackers

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## Sample Breakfast or Morning Meal Menu:

- A meal is made up of at least one vegetable or fruit PLUS one protein food PLUS one whole grain food.
- Refer to the Student Nutrition Program Nutrition Guidelines to ensure all foods and beverages offered meet the 'Serve' criteria.
- Tap water should be available with all meals.

DAY	WEEK ONE	WEEK TWO	WEEK THREE
1	Cherry tomatoes Cheese string Whole wheat mini pitas	Clementine Yogurt cup Brown rice cake	Unsweetened applesauce cup Milk or unsweetened/unflavoured fortified soy beverage carton Whole grain-based bar
2	Mini peppers Hummus Whole wheat naan	Fruit cup Roasted chickpeas Whole grain breadsticks	Snap peas Cheese string Whole grain melba toast
3	Peach Milk or unsweetened/unflavoured fortified soy beverage carton Whole grain-based bar	Pear Cheese string Whole grain bagel	Banana Nut-free butter (e.g., soy or sunflower seed butter)* Whole wheat bun
4	Mixed berries Yogurt cup Whole grain bagel	Baby carrots Hummus Whole grain crackers	Grapes Milk carton Whole grain cereal
5	Apple Mixed seeds (pumpkin and sunflower) Whole grain cereal	Mini cucumber Boiled egg Whole wheat pita	Orange Yogurt cup Whole wheat muffin

<sup>\*</sup>Always follow your school's allergy and anaphylaxis policy.

To request support with choosing nutritious foods and menu planning in your program, please contact <a href="mailto:HealthySchools@york.ca">HealthySchools@york.ca</a> or call 1-877-464-9675 ext. 74407. For information about food safety and Food Handler Certification programs, visit <a href="mailto:york.ca/foodsafety">york.ca/foodsafety</a>.