## Science - Year 3

Animals incl. Humans - Block 3AH

## Keeping Healthy

Session 1
Resource Pack

## Researchers' Names

Number of portions of Fruit and Vegetables eaten each day

Number of portions

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
Saturday
Sunday

Number of Teaspoons of Sugar Eaten per Day


Monday

## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name:
Age:
Occupation:
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking $2 x$ a day for 15 minutes or swimming $1 x$ a week for 45 minutes)

Do you take sugar in tea and coffee?
If yes, how many teaspoons in each?

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Monday |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tuesday |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wednesday |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thursday |  |  |  |  |  |
| Friday |  |  |  |  |  |
| Saturday |  |  |  |  |  |

## Animal Sort Cards

| Fish | Plants, nuts and insects | Grass |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Leaves | Flies | Vegetables, meat, eggs, grains, milk, fish |
| Leaves | Berries, nuts, insects | Mice, rabbits, berries, frogs |
| Plants, nuts, berries | Mice, rats, rabbits, birds | Snail <br> Plants and fungi |



| Grains, fruits, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| seeds |
| Plants, shrubs, |
| fruit, grains |$\quad$ Leaves

## How to Play Diet Riot

## You need

- 2 P.E. hoops for each group
- A set of animal cards for each group (each set printed on a different colour of paper or card and cut up into 30 individual cards)
- A set of 5 Diet Riot labels for each group
- Access to a large space, e.g. hall if possible (for a more active game) but it can also be played in the classroom


## How to play

1. Allocate each group a base - a piece of floor around the edge of the playing space (or a table if using the classroom) where they can set out their hoops and label them as below:

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\text { Eats Animals } \quad \text { Eats Plants }
$$


2. Allocate each group a colour that corresponds to a set of animal cards.
3. The groups should now decide where to place their other 3 labels-Carnivores, Herbivores and Omnivores (putting one into each of the sections created). Before continuing with the game the teacher should check that groups have done this correctly:

4. The teacher should now scatter all the cards mixed together around the centre of the playing space. It doesn't matter which way up they fall. If playing in the classroom this could be between the tables and chairs or even under them!
5. The members of each group should number themselves $1,2,3,4$, etc.
6. When the teacher gives the signal " 123 Diet Riot!" all the children numbered 1 should quickly and carefully tread between the scattered animal cards and retrieve a card of their own colour. They should return to their group and place it in the correct section of their Venn diagram. The other group members can offer suggestions but only the child who picked it up can place it. Once the card is placed, player number 2 may go and retrieve another card and sort it in the same way.
7. Each player sorts a card of their colour in turn as described until every member of the group has done so, then player number 1 goes again and so on until all the cards of that group's colour have been placed inside the Venn diagram.
8. No player can leave the base to collect a card unless the previous card has been placed.
9. If one member of the group thinks that a card has been mistakenly placed in the wrong section they can use their next turn to re-sort that card instead of retrieving a new one.
10. Once the group have found and sorted all 30 cards they should sit beside their Venn diagram and shout "Sorted"
11. The winning group is the first group to correctly sort all 30 cards of their colour.

## Variations of the game and alternative games to continue reinforcing the scientific vacabulary

- Try playing again without the "Eats Animals" and "Eats Plants" labels to ensure children are learning the scientific vocabulary.
- Play Diet Riot snap - divide the cards between the group members. Take turns to lay cards face up on a pile. Everyone looks to see if that card is a Carnivore, Herbivore or Omnivore. Say "Snap" if 2 consecutive cards are in the same dietary group. The first child to say "snap" wins the whole pile. The player with the most cards at the end of the game is the winner (the teacher will signal-Time's Up).
- Play Diet Riot Pairs. Spread out all the cards face down. Group members take turns to turn over a pair of cards and name each one "Carnivore", Herbivore" or "Omnivore." If the 2 cards are in the same dietary group, that player wins the pair. When there are no more pairs, the player who has won the most, wins the game!


## Eats Animals Eats Animals

 Eats Plants Eats Plants Carnivores Carnivores Herbivores Herbivores Omnivores OmnivoresHow many Teaspoons of Sugar are hidden in the foods we enjoy?

| Drinks |  | Cereals (per serving) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Small orange juice | 3 | Corn flakes | 1 |
| Small Apple Juice | 4 | Muesli | 2 |
| Small Glass of coke | 4 | Sweet cereal, e.g. Sugar Puffs | 3 |
| Small glass of lemonade | 4 |  |  |
| Can of coke | 9 | Cakes and Snacks |  |
| Can of lemonade | 9 | Typical chocolate bar | 8 |
| Med glass of fruit smoothie | 9 | Cereal bar | 3 |
| Tea and coffee (check the survey for |  | Flapjack | 4 |
| number added) |  | Muffin | 4 |
| Hot chocolate | 6 | Cupcake | 4 |
| Milkshake | 8 | Medium slice of cake | 5 |
| Squash | 4 | Doughnut | 3 |
|  |  | Biscuit, e.g. Oreo | 1 |
| Puddings |  |  |  |
| Ice cream | 5 | Spreads per portion |  |
| Yogurt | 4 | Jam | 2 |
| Fruit salad | 5 | Marmalade | 2 |
| Fruit tart | 4 | Honey | 3 |
| Fruit crumble | 5 |  |  |
| Banoffee Pie | 4 | Sweets |  |
| Chocolate pudding | 5 | Small bag of sweets, e.g. skittles | 12 |
| Custard | 3 | Tube of sweets, e.g. Starburst | 8 |

If you cannot find a food or drink on the list, estimate by finding something that is similar to it.

## Client 1

Name: Joe
Age: 22


## Gender: Male

## Background Information

Joe is a student but in his spare time he belongs to a street dance troop. The troop performs dance routines at events all over the city and Joe loves to take part in these. Street dance needs good muscle strength in arms and legs, all round fitness and very good balance. Recently while rehearsing, Joe injured his knee. He missed the warm up session that day because he arrived late. His doctor has advised that he does not dance for the next 6 weeks to allow his knee to mend.

## Advice needed by Joe

- What sort of meals should I eat to help me stay fit and healthy? I need meals that will give me energy, but help me not put on weight.
- Are there any foods I can eat to help my knee joint to mend?
- How can I cut down the risk of an injury like this happening in the future?
- How can I keep my fitness up over the next few weeks whilst not doing street dance?
- Is there anything I can do to improve my balance?


## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name: Joe
Age: 22
Occupation: Student
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking 2 x a day for 15 minutes or swimming 1 x a week for 45 minutes)

Since I injured my knee I haven't been exercising much. I walk to my college $4 x$ a week so altogether that's 8 short walks of 5 minutes each.

Do you take sugar in tea and coffee? Yes
If yes, how many teaspoons in each? 2 sugars in coffee and 1 in tea

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Monday | Corn flakes <br> Toast and <br> Jam | Sausage roll <br> apple | Chicken curry <br> Rice <br> Naan bread | Chocolate bar | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of coke |
| Tuesday | Corn flakes <br> Toast and <br> Jam | Cornish Pasty <br> Banana | Beef lasagne <br> Garlic bread, <br> Peas | Crisps <br> Apple | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of <br> lemonade |
| Wednesday | Corn flakes <br> Toast and <br> Jam | 2 Pizza slices | Sausages, <br> mash and <br> baked beans | Cup cake | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea |
| Thursday | Corn flakes <br> Toast and <br> Jam | Cheese <br> sandwich <br> Banana | Meat pie, <br> chips, peas | Apple <br> Doughnut | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of coke |
| Friday | Corn flakes <br> Toast and <br> Jam | Sausage roll <br> Crisps | Macaroni <br> Cheese <br> salad | 2 biscuits <br> Banana | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Mineral water |
| Saturday | Corn flakes <br> Toast and <br> Jam | Chicken pie <br> chips | Pizza <br> Salad | Chocolate bar | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> 2 glasses of <br> coke |
| Sunday | Sausage, <br> bacon, egg, <br> beans, toast | Tuna <br> sandwich <br> Apple | Roast Chicken <br> Potatoes <br> Carrots <br> Broccoli <br> Plum crumble <br> and custard | Choc chip <br> Muffin | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of <br> Lemonade |

## Client 2



Name: Kim
Age: 26
Gender: Female

## Background Information

Kim is a singer. She sings with a band called "Spirit" and also performs as a solo artist. If Kim gets a cough or cold it affects her voice and sometimes she is unable to perform. She needs to stand up for long periods of time whilst on stage which can make her tired and give her back ache. Kim often needs to sing long phrases without a breath and sometimes needs to hold a very long note.

## Advice needed by Kim

- What sort of meals will give me plenty of energy for my busy lifestyle but help me avoid putting on weight?
- What foods should I eat to help me avoid catching coughs and colds?
- What can I do to improve my general fitness and avoid getting back ache on stage?
- How can I improve my breath control and lung capacity so that I can hold very long notes whilst singing?


## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name: Kim
Age: 26
Occupation: Singer
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking 2 x a day for 15 minutes or swimming 1 x a week for 45 minutes)

Dance class $1 x$ a week 60 minutes I walk my friend's dog every Sunday for 45 minutes
Do you take sugar in tea and coffee? Yes
If yes, how many teaspoons in each? 1 sugar in coffee and 1 in tea

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monday | Sugar puffs Toast and honey | Ham <br> Sandwich <br> Tangerine | Fish, chips, peas | Cup cake banana | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> squash |
| Tuesday | Sugar puffs Toast and honey | Egg Sandwich Banana | Spaghetti <br> Bolognaise <br> Garlic bread, <br> Peas | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Crisps } \\ & \text { Apple } \end{aligned}$ | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> squash |
| Wednesday | Sugar puffs Toast and honey | Tuna <br> Sandwich Crisps | Pasta bake with grated cheese salad | Muffin | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Apple juice <br> Can of coke |
| Thursday | Sugar puffs Toast and honey | Cheese sandwich flapjack | Lamb curry <br> Rice <br> Naan bread | 2 biscuits <br> Banana | 2 coffee <br> 3 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Glass of coke |
| Friday | Sugar puffs <br> Toast and honey | Sausage roll Crisps | Sausages, mash and baked beans | Apple Chocolate bar | 2 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> squash |
| Saturday | Porridge with sugar Toast and marmalade | Pizza Slice Apple | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} \hline \text { Pizza } \\ \text { Salad } \end{array}$ | Chocolate bar | 3 coffee <br> 3 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of coke |
| Sunday | Porridge with sugar Toast and marmalade | Roast Chicken <br> Potatoes <br> Carrots <br> Broccoli <br> Chocolate <br> Pudding | Tomato Soup <br> Toast <br> Cup cake | Choc chip muffin | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> 2 glasses of <br> Lemonade |



Name: Rosa
Age: 19
Gender: Female

## Background Information

Rosa is a student and she has recently joined a wheelchair users' basketball team. She loves team games and has good ball skills but she feels her general fitness could improve. At the moment she gets puffed out quite quickly at basketball training sessions. It is more than 2 years since she played sport regularly. Rosa tries to eat healthily but she has a fondness for chocolate and sweets!

## Advice needed by Rosa

- What sort of meals will give me plenty of energy for my busy lifestyle but help me avoid putting on weight?
- Can I still eat chocolate and sweets if I want to get fit?
- What can I do to improve my general fitness and stop me getting out of breath so quickly?
- What should I do to build up strength in my shoulder muscles to help me manoeuvre more quickly around the court?
- Are there any particular foods that help to build up muscle strength?


## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name: Rosa
Age: 19
Occupation: Student
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking 2 X a day for 15 minutes or swimming 1 X a week for 45 minutes)

Basketball training 60 minutes per week
Do you take sugar in tea and coffee? Yes
If yes, how many teaspoons in each? 1 sugar in coffee but none in tea

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monday | muesli <br> Toast and Jam | Tuna and sweetcorn Sandwich apple | Chicken curry Rice <br> Naan bread | Chocolate bar Pear | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice |
| Tuesday | muesli <br> Toast and Jam | Tomato Soup <br> Bread <br> Banana | Spanish omelette Garlic bread, Peas | Tube of sweets Crisps Apple | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \text { coffee } \\ & 2 \text { tea } \\ & \text { Orange juice } \end{aligned}$ |
| Wednesday | muesli <br> Toast and Jam | Leek and potato soup Bread Tangerine | Macaroni Cheese salad | Chocolate bar Pear | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Apple juice |
| Thursday | muesli <br> Toast and Jam | Cheese sandwich Banana | Fish cakes, mash and sweetcorn and peas | Chocolate bar Apple | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \text { coffee } \\ & 2 \text { tea } \\ & \text { Orange juice } \end{aligned}$ |
| Friday | muesli <br> Toast and Jam | Vegetable soup <br> Bread apple | Fish, Chips peas | Chocolate bar Banana | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of <br> Lemonade |
| Saturday | Croissant with jam | Lentil Soup chips | Pizza <br> Garlic bread <br> Salad <br> Fruit salad | 2 Chocolate bars | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice 2 glasses of coke |
| Sunday | Croissant with jam | cheese sandwich Apple | Nut roast <br> Potatoes <br> Carrots <br> Green beans <br> Banoffee Pie | Chocolate bar Bag of sweets | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of <br> Lemonade |

Client 4


Name: Elsa
Age: 31

## Gender: Female

## Background Information

Elsa is a sales assistant in a local clothes shop. She has always enjoyed swimming but recently she has joined a free divers' group. Free divers learn how to swim underwater without oxygen tanks. Elsa finds that she can't swim as fast as some of the more experienced divers and can't hold her breath underwater for as long. She really enjoys
this new sport and would like to improve her fitness and skill.

## Advice needed by Elsa

- What sort of meals will give me plenty of energy for my busy lifestyle but help me avoid putting on weight?
- What can I do to improve my general fitness and stop me getting out of breath so quickly?
- What should I do to build up strength in my arm and leg muscles to help me become a stronger swimmer?
- Are there any particular foods that help to build up muscle strength?
- Is there anything I can do to help improve my lung capacity and breath control?


## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name: Elsa
Age: 31
Occupation: Sales Assistant
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking $2 x$ a day for 15 minutes or swimming $1 x$ a week for 45 minutes)

60 minutes a week at Free Divers' training in the local swimming pool
I walk to the bus stop and back 5 days a week - 5 minutes each way
Do you take sugar in tea and coffee? Yes
If yes, how many teaspoons in each? 2 sugars in coffee and none in tea

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monday | Yoghurt <br> Muesli | Vegetable soup Cereal bar apple | Spaghetti bolognaise Garlic bread, Peas | 2 biscuits | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \text { coffee } \\ & 2 \text { tea } \\ & \text { Orange juice } \end{aligned}$ |
| Tuesday | Yoghurt <br> Muesli | Tuna <br> Sandwich <br> flapjack <br> Banana | Pasta with Pesto <br> Salad | Crisps Apple | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 3 \text { coffee } \\ & 2 \text { tea } \\ & \text { Orange juice } \end{aligned}$ |
| Wednesday | Yoghurt <br> Muesli | Tomato soup Bread grapes | Sausages, mash and baked beans | Cup cake | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 2 \text { coffee } \\ & 2 \text { tea } \\ & \text { Apple juice } \end{aligned}$ |
| Thursday | Yoghurt <br> Muesli | Cheese sandwich Banana | Ham <br> Omelette, chips, peas | Apple | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Hot Chocolate |
| Friday | Yoghurt <br> Muesli | Chicken soup <br> Crisps <br> Apple | Pasta Bake with grated Cheese salad | 2 biscuits Banana | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Mineral water |
| Saturday | Sausage, bacon, egg, beans, toast | Egg and lettuce baguette | Chicken curry Rice <br> Naan bread | Apple | 2 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Apple Juice <br> Milk shake |
| Sunday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Roast Chicken <br> Potatoes <br> Carrots <br> Broccoli | Scones cream and Jam Slice of cake | grapes | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Can of <br> Lemonade |

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## Client Profile 5



Name: Jamal
Age: 43
Gender: Male

## Background Information

Jamal is a primary school teacher. He and his wife are also carers for Jamal's father Rajeev who is old and unwell. Jamal is worried about catching coughs and colds at school, as it would be dangerous for Rajeev's health. Jamal drives 2 km to school and back each day. He finds his neck aches at the end of the day or when he has spent too long working at his laptop. He does not have much time and often skips lunch. He usually eats a few snack bars to keep him going. He wants to improve his general fitness

## Advice needed by Jamal

- I need some good advice on healthy meals and snacks that will fit in with my busy life style
- What sort of foods should I eat to help protect me from catching every cough and cold that goes round at school?
- How can I improve my general level of fitness?
- Is there anything I can do to prevent neck ache when I use my laptop?


## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name: Jamal
Age: 43
Occupation: Teacher
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking $2 x$ a day for 15 minutes or swimming $1 x$ a week for 45 minutes)

I try to go for a cycle ride every Sunday for about 60 minutes
Do you take sugar in tea and coffee? Yes If yes, how many teaspoons in each? 2 sugars in coffee and 1 in tea

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monday | Fruit <br> Yoghurt <br> Toast and Jam | Cereal bar | Chicken curry <br> Rice <br> Naan bread | Chocolate bar | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Hot Chocolate |
| Tuesday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Chocolate bar | Vegetable stir fry Rice | Crisps Apple | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> lemonade <br> Hot Chocolate |
| Wednesday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Cereal bar | Seafood Paella <br> Salad <br> bread | Chocolate bar | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Apple juice <br> Hot Chocolate |
| Thursday | Fruit <br> Yoghurt <br> Toast and Jam | Chocolate bar | Vegetable <br> curry <br> Rice <br> samosas | Cereal bar Apple | 3 coffee <br> 2 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Hot Chocolate |
| Friday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Chocolate bar | Fishcakes Rice and peas | Choc chip muffin | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Hot Chocolate |
| Saturday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Cheese and tomato Baguette Crisps grapes | Pizza <br> Salad <br> Garlic bread | Chocolate bar | 3 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Hot chocolate |


| Sunday | Fruit <br> Yoghurt <br> Toast and Jam | Tuna <br> sandwich <br> Cereal bar <br> Apple | Lamb curry <br> Rice, naan <br> Bargees | 2 biscuits <br> Banana | 4 coffee <br> 1 tea <br> Orange juice <br> Mineral water |
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## Client 6



## Name: Will

Age: 13

## Gender: Male

## Background Information

Will has recently started at a gymnastics club. He loves the sessions and is learning lots of new skills. His teacher says he will soon be ready to do an award but he will need to build up his balance, strength and fitness. Will's mum thinks he drinks too many sweet fizzy drinks. Will's friend Kieran has had to drop out of the gym club for 2 months because of an injury to his shoulder.

## Advice needed by Will

- What sort of meals should I eat to help me build up more strength in my muscles?
- Is my mum right that fizzy drinks will affect my health and fitness?
- How can I improve my balance and general fitness?
- What can I do to avoid getting an injury like my friend Kieran?


## Client Diet and Exercise Survey

Name: Will
Age: 13
Occupation: School Pupil
How much exercise do you take each week? (Please list each activity and how long you spend doing it, e.g. Walking 2 x a day for 15 minutes or swimming 1 x a week for 45 minutes)

1 session a week of gymnastics lasting 60 minutes and 2 school PE lessons each lasting 1 hour
Do you take sugar in tea and coffee? No, I don't like tea or coffee If yes, how many teaspoons in each

|  | Breakfast | Lunch | Evening Meal | Snacks | Drinks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Monday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Sausage roll <br> Baked beans <br> Apple tart | Chicken curry Rice <br> Naan bread | Chocolate bar | Orange juice 2 glasses of coke Hot chocolate |
| Tuesday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Jacket potato with cheese and salad Fresh fruit salad | Beef lasagne Garlic bread, Peas | Crisps Apple | Orange juice 2 glasses of lemonade Hot chocolate |
| Wednesday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Sausage mashed potato Carrots Gravy Ice cream | Macaroni <br> Cheese <br> salad | 3 biscuits | Apple juice <br> 2 glasses of coke Hot chocolate |
| Thursday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Pizza slice <br> Salad <br> Crumble and custard | Seafood Stir fry <br> Herb bread Salad | Apple Cereal bar | Orange juice 2 glasses of coke Hot chocolate |
| Friday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Pasty <br> Potato wedges <br> Salad <br> Slice of cake | Fish <br> Chips <br> Peas | 2 biscuits Banana | Orange juice 2 glasses of lemonade Hot chocolate |
| Saturday | Sausage, bacon, egg, beans, toast | Steak pie Chips peas | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pizza } \\ & \text { Salad } \end{aligned}$ | Chocolate bar | Orange juice 2 glasses of coke Hot chocolate |
| Sunday | Corn flakes Toast and Jam | Roast Chicken <br> Potatoes <br> Carrots <br> Broccoli | Chicken sandwiches Cake | Choc chip muffin | Orange juice 3 glasses of coke Hot chocolate |

## Client's name

Researcher's names
Number of portions of Fruit and Vegetables eaten per day during the survey week

| Day | Fruit and Vegetable <br> Portions Eaten | Total Number of Portions |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Monday |  |  |
| Tuesday |  |  |
| Wednesday |  |  |
| Thursday |  |  |
| Friday |  |  |
| Saturday |  |  |
| Sunday |  |  |

## Researcher's Notes

Our research shows that

Client's name $\qquad$
Researcher's names
Number of teaspoons of sugar eaten per day during the survey week

| Day | Sweetened food and drinks | Total Teaspoons of sugar |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Monday |  |  |
| Tuesday |  |  |
| Wednesday |  |  |
| Thursday |  |  |
| Friday |  |  |
| Saturday |  |  |
| Sunday |  |  |

## Researcher's Notes

Our research shows that

## Teacher's Notes on Managing Session 1 of Keeping Healthy

## Children in role as personal trainers

During this Science block the children will become personal trainers for a client who is in need of dietary, health and training advice. The children will be introduced to the task during Session 1 when they will "meet" their client and learn about that person's background, health and training issues. Throughout the block, session by session, the children will gather the knowledge, skills and understanding needed to become "Health and Fitness Experts." Their work will include conducting some of their own research, so that by Session 6 they will be ready to give a Health and Fitness presentation tailored to their client's individual needs.

## Real or Imaginary Clients?

Taking on the role of a personal trainer will be highly motivating and give purpose to the learning of the block, not just in the topic objectives (Animals including Humans) but also in many aspects of Working Scientifically. It will also give a tangible outcome at the end of the block for assessment purposes (a group presentation). To get optimum motivational value, it would be desirable to arrange for "real" clients. These could be 6 parents, governors, friends, staff, siblings, etc. prepared to take on a few minutes of role play (about 30 minutes during Session 1 and about an hour during Session 6). Complete profiles of 6 imaginary clients are provided in the session resources that include background information, health questions and a week's dietary survey. With a small amount of tweaking (e.g. changes to name, age, gender and the change or removal of photographs), you could match these to your 6 volunteers. If you are feeling brave however, you could make your own profiles, questions and food surveys (a blank survey form is included for this purpose). If using real clients is not possible, you have all the resources needed to run the block with imaginary clients (see profile provided in the Session 1 resources).

## Groups

It is suggested that you divide the class into 6 mixed ability groups who will each be allocated their own client. Ideally the groups should have 4-6 pupils. If your class is small enough, you could decide to have fewer groups (and clients).

## Tasks

In Session 1, there are 2 tasks to be completed by the group, both of which will provide important information for their client. These tasks are also aimed at building up the children's skills in Working Scientifically. The task on calculating the portions of fruit and vegetables is easier than the task on calculating the number of teaspoons of sugar (see below).

## Fruit and Veg task:

- Counting individual items (from survey)
- Bar chart will not require a scale


## Sugar Task:

- Calculation required
- Cross referencing sugar values using a chart
- Bar Chart will need a scale in the vertical axis

You will be able to further differentiate the level of each task to your pupils by choosing to use, or not use the task sheets (blank tables and bar charts). There are 3 different bar chart templates or you could ask children to draw their own or use a data-handling program.


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