# Spring & Summer Week One Spring & Summer

#### MONDAY

Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake

**Crumble & Custard** 

#### **TUESDAY**

**Chicken or Tuna Wrap** 

**Lemon Drizzle Cake** 

#### WEDNESDAY

**Roast Pork** 

OR

Cheese & Red Onion Tart

Flap Jack

#### THURSDAY

Beef Burger in a Bun

OR

Vegetarian Burger in a Bun

Chocolate Cake & custard

#### FRIDAY

Fish Fingers & Chips

OR

Jacket Potato with cheese, beans or tuna

**Ice Cream** 

# Spring & Summer Week Two Spring & Summer

#### MONDAY

**Hot Dog** 

OR

**Vegetarian Hot Dog** 

Crumble

#### **TUESDAY**

**Chicken Curry & Rice** 

OR

**Vegetarian Curry & Rice** 

**Carrot Cake** 

# WEDNESDAY

**Roast Gammon** 

OR

**Creamy Vegetarian Pie** 

**Choc Krispy Cake** 

## THUR\$DAY

**Spaghetti Bolognese** 

OR

Vegetarian Bolognese

**Iced Sponge** 

## FRIDAY

Fish & Chips

OR

Jacket Potato with cheese, beans or tuna

Ice Cream

# Spring & Summer Week Three Spring & Summer

#### MONDAY

**Cheese & Tomato Pizza** 

**OR** 

Jacket Potato with cheese, beans

or tuna

Crunble

#### **TUESDAY**

Sausage & Mash

OR

**Vegetarian Sausge & Mash** 

**Sultana Sponge** 

#### WEDNESDAY

**Roast Turkey** 

OR

**Cheese & Red Pepper Whirl** 

**Fruit and Ice Cream** 

#### THUR\$DAY

**Chilli Wedge Bake** 

OR

**Vegetarian Chilli Wedge Bake** 

Shortbread

#### FRIDAY

Fish Cake & Chips

OR

Jacket Potato with cheese,

beans or tuna

**Ice Cream** 

# Why healthy lunchboxes?

It is very important for children to eat five portions of fruit and vegetables per day. Nutritious food helps children grow healthily, concentrate and feel happy. Children who eat a healthy diet are more likely to learn healthy habits for life and more likely to grow

# Packing your child's lunchbox...

Remember to pack a food from each food

**Dairy:** 

-> Cheese

-> Yoghurt

-> Milk

### Vegetables:

- -> Carrot Sticks
- -> Cherry Tomatoes
- -> Celery Sticks
- -> Cucumber Slices

#### Fruit:

- -> Satsumas
- -> Apples
- -> Bananas
- -> Raisins

#### Carbohydrates:

- -> Bread
- -> Bagel
- -> Rice
- -> Pasta

#### Proteins:

- -> Chicken
- -> Ham / Turkey
- -> Tuna
- -> Boiled Egg

# Sugar

Sugar is a high calorie food that leads to obesity, diabetes, heart disease and tooth decay if eaten too often. Make it the exception not the rule. Sugar makes children feel hyperactive so avoid sugar before taking naps or bed time.

Did you know...?

A carton of Ribena 288ml has 11 tsp of sugar!

A can of coke has 10 tsp of sugar!

# Water

It is very important that children drink plenty of water. It helps them:

- -> Stay refreshed
- -> Digest their food properly
- -> Keep alert

Your child should drink six to eight glasses of

# **Healthy Snacks!**

You can pack nutrition as well as offering children a healthy snacks.

- -> Dried Fruit
- -> Low sugar biscuits
- -> Fruit Loaf

# Meadow High School



Enclosed is our Autumn/Winter dinner menu which contains a wide range of dinners with a selection of fresh vegetables , homemade desserts and fresh fruit.

We would also like to offer you some healthy lunchbox suggestions to help provide your child with a healthy lunch which complies with the

Here are some useful websites that share information on healthy school dinners, tasty recipes and helpful tips for making healthy packed lunches.

https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/school-packed-lunch-inspiration

<u>https://www.nhs.uk/change4life/</u> recipes/healthier-lunchboxes

<u>https://www.gov.uk/school-meals-healthy-eating-standards</u>