

## Healthy Day Time Snacks

## 15 Grams of Carbohydrates or 1 Carbohydrate choice

- 1 small apple or orange
- 2 popcorn cakes
- 1 ½ graham crackers
- 1 low-fat ice cream
- 8 oz or 1 carton light yogurt
- 2 tbsp raisins
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup sugar-free pudding
- 18 small pretzel twists
- 1/2 small bagel + fat-free cream cheese

- 3 cups air popped or low-fat microwave popcorn
- 4-5 vanilla wafers, 5-6 saltines
- 1 fruit juice bar
- <sup>1</sup>⁄<sub>2</sub> cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1 fruit roll-up

## 30g of Carbohydrates or 2 carbohydrate choices

- 1 small bagel +fat free cream cheese
- 1 low-fat granola bar
- 4 oz individual fruit cup and 1 cup skim milk
- 2 caramel corn cakes
- 15 baked potato chips
- 2 fig cookies and 1 cup skim mil
- 1 oz baked tortilla chips with ¼ cup salsa
- 1 large banana or 2 small pieces of fruit
- 1 cup cheerios with ½ cup skim milk
- ¼ dried fruit
- 1 cereal bar
- 14 animal crackers and ½ cup skim milk
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- Encourage fresh fruit as a snack rather than juice, save the juice to treat low blood sugars.

 It's helpful if the child has what we call "free snacks" these snacks have zero or low carbs and can be used if the child is still hungry after a meal or snack without interfering with insulin dosage. Some options of these "free snacks" include: sugar free fruit popsicles, yogurt creamsicles, sugar free jello, baby carrots, string cheese, and almonds.