

ZERO SWEETENED BEVERAGES.

Sweet drinks pour on the pounds. Water fi rst.

#### KEEP THEM ON THE DOWN-LOW

No other single food or beverage contributes to obesity like sweetened beverages do. This includes soda, sport drinks, pouches, ades and energy drinks.

### SET LIMITS ON JUICE.

Though juice contains natural sugar, it has a lot of calories and few nutrients. Dilute it with water. Choose whole fruit over juice.

#### KEEP IT HANDY. KEEP IT COLD.

Have a pitcher of water in the fridge. Bring reusable water bottles with you wherever you go. Serve water at every meal.

# OUT TO EAT.

Choose water at restaurants to save money and calories. If you do get a sweet drink, don't get a refi II.



HEALTHY NUMBERS FOR KENTUCKY FAMILIES



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TWO orless hours of screen time



ONE HOUR O R MORE O F PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Z E R O sugary drinks



5-2-1-0 HEALTHY NUMBERS FOR KENTUCKY FAMILIES



EAT 5 O R MORE FRUITS AND **VEGETABLES EVERY DAY** 

Fresh, frozen, canned and dried fruits and vegetables all count.



#### TWO **TWO HOURS** O R LESS O F SCREEN TIME

Screen time includes TV. computers, cell phones and hand-held games. It's important to keep them all in check.



ONE **ONE HOUR** O R MORE O F PHYSICAL ACTIVITY.

Play every day, any way, to keep both body and brain fi t.

#### THE ORIGINAL FAST FOOD.

Wash and chop fruits and veggies so they're ready to eat.

#### PUT THEM IN SIGHT.

A bowl of fruit on the table is a great reminder to eat fruit.

#### DIP IN.

Low-fat Ranch dressing with carrots, vogurt with fruit and peanut butter with apples and celery make great snacks.

#### SHOW THEM HOW IT'S DONE

When parents eat fruits and veggies for snacks and meals, kids will too.

# MORE SIT, LESS FIT.

The more screen time children engage in, the more likely they are to be overweight.

# TURN OFF THE TV TO DEVELOP THE BRAIN.

TV and other interactive media can get in the way of exploring, playing and interacting with others.

# BE CHOOSY.

Pick what shows you're going to watch ahead of time. Don't leave the TV on all day.

#### NOT FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

No screen time for children under two. No more than one hour for children 2-5 years old.



Teach your children the games you played as a kid.

# IN ANY WEATHER.

Hula hoops, sponge balls and bats, and space for play can keep your family active, rain or shine

#### **NO CHILD** LEFT INSIDE.

Let children play outside so they can run, jump, skip and be in nature.

# GIFTS THAT KEEP ON GIVING

Give gifts that promote physical activity.

