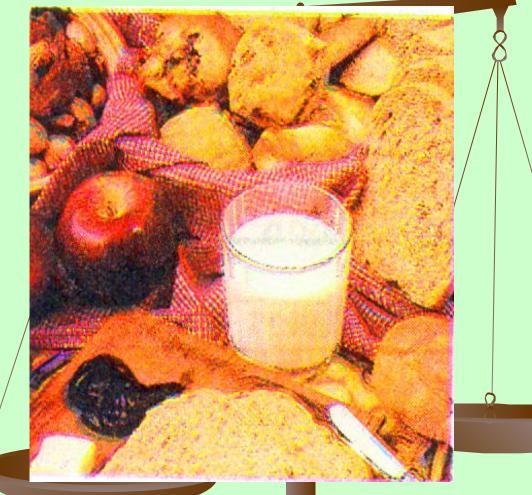
Health Habits

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People say that you are what you eat.



Our health depends on many things:
the food we eat, our good or bad habits, our physical activity.



You can eat a lot of tasty things if you want. But not to be overweight you should burn extra kilocalories. Many people who have lost weight used different methods.

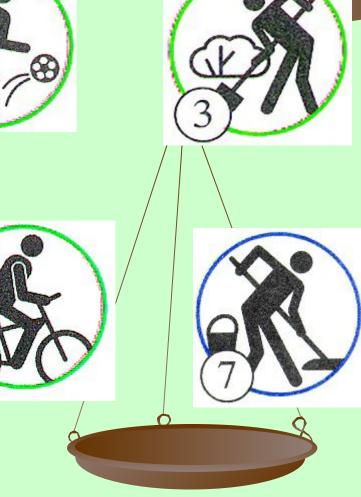


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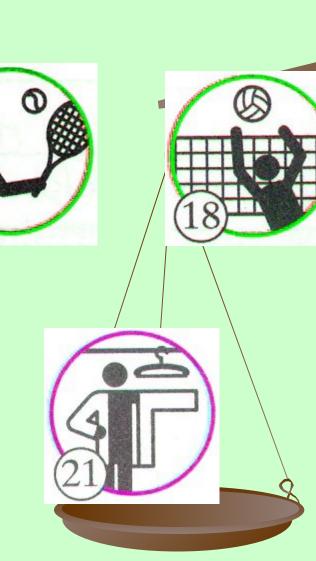


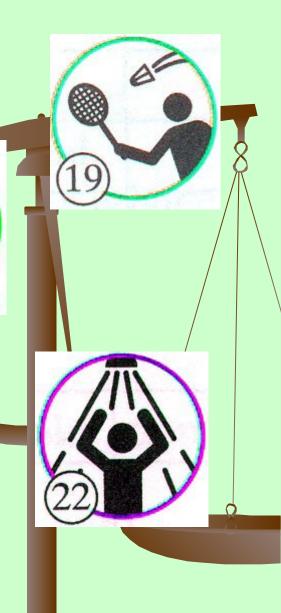




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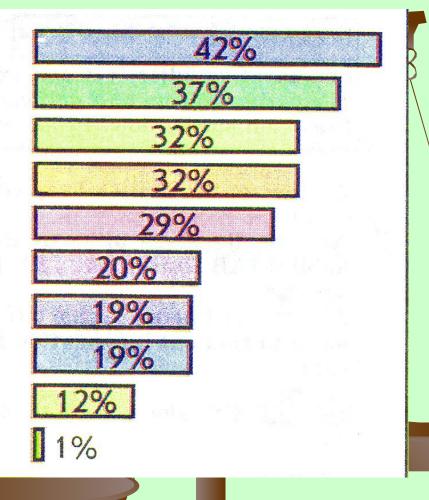






Simple ways to lose weight and avoid gaining it

Cut out snacks and desserts Eat less of everything Exercise more Cut down on fat Don't eat at night Eat more fruit and vegetables Count calories Eat less red meat Use low-calorie foods Follow a diet



Why do these teenagers look pale and tired?

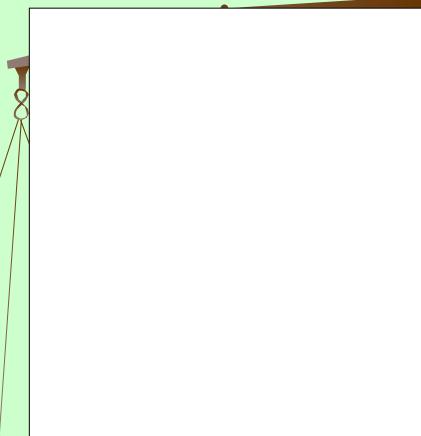
They may/might:

- smoke a lot.
- exercise too much/too little.
- don't get enough
- vitamins/minerals.
- sleep too much/too little,
- skip breakfast,
- constantly snack,
- diet too much,
- have anaemia,
- have anorexia.
- **–**

Your health habits influence your appearance greatly.

- Check your ideas:
- Recent studies in GB found that more than one in five 11-to-16-year-olds rarely discussed healthy eating at school. One in five skips breakfast, more than 16 per cent of girls also skip lunch. Many eat only chips, pizza, crisps and cola for lunch. They don't get enough iron which is necessary for healthy muscles and for some reactions in the brain. The low iron levels could cause obesity, heart disease, less healthy bones and anaemia

from the Daily Telegraph



Are they myths or facts?

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What should a balanced diet contain?

- Proteins
- Fats
- Carbohydrates
- Fibre
- Vitamins
- Minerals



What food can contain these things?



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Replace the underlined words with antonyms to get the correct answer.

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Put in necessary words:

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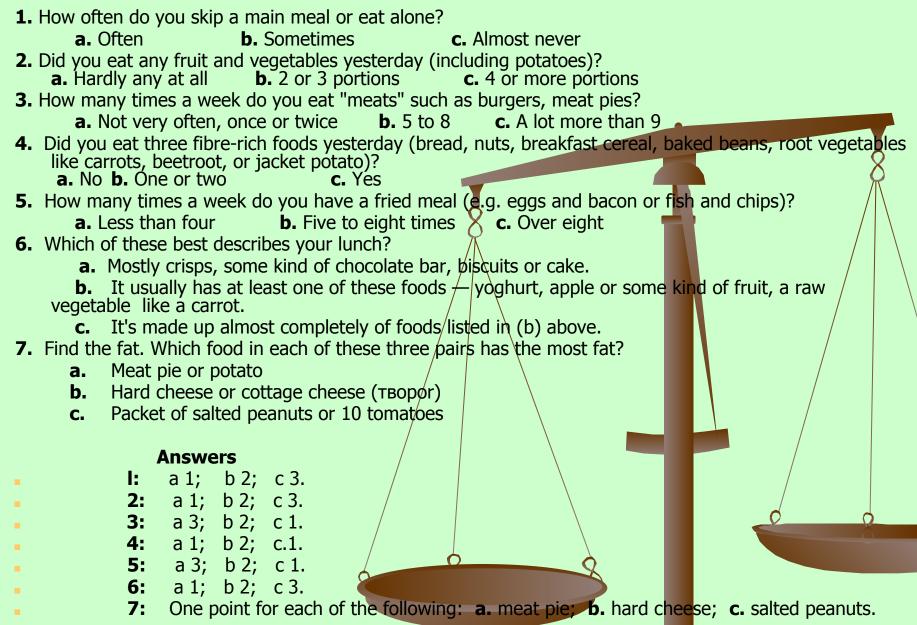


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Check Yourself:

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Do you know if your diet is healthy and balanced?



What are your results?

• Over 15 points:

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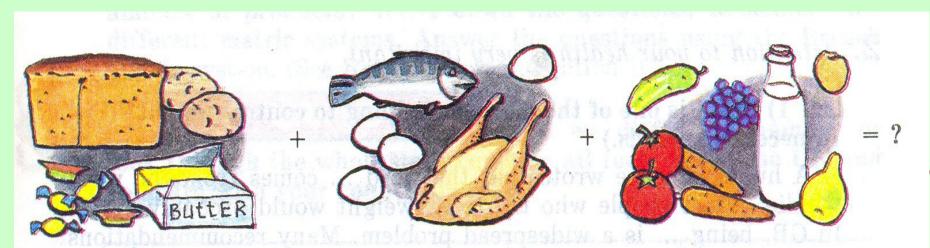
10-14 points:

Not bad, but you could improve your diet!

Under 10:

Your diet may cause health problems for you in the future, unless you change to a healthier one.

Can you create a balanced daily diet?



Energy rich foods (fats, oils, and carbohydrates (углеводы)

Body-building foods (proteins)

Protective and regulative foods (vitamins and minerals)

