## BRILLIANT BEVERAGES AND SMART SNACKS

## What is the best beverage to drink?

Read through the ingredients in both beverages below and circle the low-quality ingredients you learned about in a previous lesson. Then decide what is the best beverage choice.

Why? $\qquad$

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| Ingredients: |
| water, high fructose corn syrup |
| maltodextrin (glucose polymers), |
| citric acid, salt, potassium citrate, |
| modified food starch, potassium |
| phosphate, natural flavors, glycerol |
| ester of wood rosin, guar gum, |
| niacinamide (Vit B3), coconut oil, |
| brominated vegetable oil, pyridoxine |
| hydrochloride (vit B6) |
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| Water My Way |  |
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| Ingredients: |  |
| Water, and: |  |
|  | Splash of juice |
|  | Slice of orange or lemon |
|  | Sprig of mint |
| Your ideas: |  |
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Here are my ideas on how to drink more water after playing hard:

Now, create your own brilliant beverage recipe and write it down below. You share your recipe with others and try their ideas too! Be creative - - try mixing more than one flavor into your water, for example, a splash of watermelon AND a sprig of mint.

These are the ingredients I will try to use to flavor my water:

## Mix and Match Smart Snacks

Below is a chart to help you plan snacks. To create variety and balance for each snack, choose one item from two or three of the food groups. See if you can come up with 3 snack ideas. Share and swap your ideas with others!

Aim to get at least one fruit and/or vegetable into each of your ideas. For an extra challenge, try to come up with 2 snacks that contain green vegetables.

Here are a few examples to get you going:

- Whole grain crackers + cheese + apple
- Baked tortilla chips + refried beans + red bell pepper strips
- Yogurt Parfait: Granola + sliced fruit + low-fat yogurt

| Whole Grains | Vegetables \& Fruits | Protein | Fats |
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| Whole wheat bread <br> Quinoa <br> Pita Bread <br> Cereal <br> Whole grain crackers: <br> Corn Tortillas <br> Baked Tortilla chips <br> Popcorn <br> Baked potato <br> Whole wheat pasta <br> Other whole grains: | Vegetables: <br> Bell Peppers <br> Broccoli <br> Carrots <br> Cauliflower <br> Celery <br> Cucumber <br> Snow peas <br> Other: <br> Fruits: <br> Bananas <br> Berries <br> Grapes <br> Melon <br> Nectarines <br> Oranges <br> Raisins <br> Other: $\qquad$ | String cheese <br> Cottage cheese <br> Parmesan cheese <br> Feta cheese <br> Milk <br> Other type of milk <br> Low-fat yogurt <br> Refried beans <br> Soybeans <br> Black beans <br> Garbanzo beans <br> Hummus <br> Hardboiled egg <br> Lean meat <br> Tuna <br> Tofu <br> Nut butter <br> Other: $\qquad$ $\qquad$ $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | Butter <br> Avocado <br> Guacamole <br> Olive oil <br> Mayonnaise <br> Other healthy fat: $\qquad$ |

Here are my ideas for smart snacks that I can make:
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Don't forget to swap your smart snack ideas with others for more variety!

