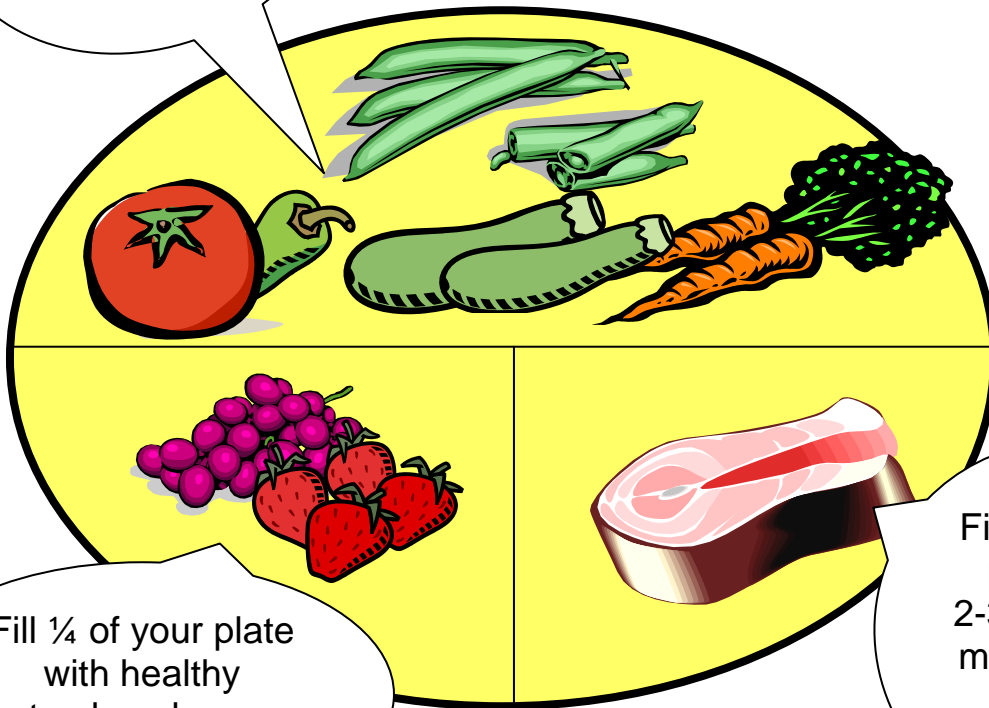


# Healthy Plate

Fill  $\frac{1}{2}$  or more of your plate with vegetables.

Drink low or no-calorie beverages.



Fill  $\frac{1}{4}$  of your plate with healthy starches, beans or fruit.

Fill  $\frac{1}{4}$  of your plate with 2-3 oz of lean meat, poultry or fish.

## Why build a healthy plate?

- Vegetables, fruits, whole grains and beans are low in calories, and full of fiber, vitamins and minerals. Filling  $\frac{3}{4}$  of your plate with these foods may reduce your risk of cancer and heart disease and help you to lose weight.
- Choose lean meats and skinless poultry since they are low in saturated fat and calories. Limit portions of meat to 2-3 oz, or the size of a deck of cards, to meet your protein needs.

