

HEALTHY KIDS

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### PARENTS' ENGAGEMENT ON SCHOOL MEALS PROGRAMME

We organized a Parents' Engagement event on our School Meals Program (SMP) on 22 Aug 23. We invited parents who were interested in learning more about what our students ate in school. 32 parents attended and shared what they liked and gave suggestions for improvement. The SATS Project Team, comprising Head of Commercial Catering, Mr Emmanuel Tan, and Dietician Ms Oh Chai Lee, were present at the event and shared HPB's Healthy Meals in School Meals Guidelines and addressed parents' queries on the nutritional value of their child's school meals.

Parents were also treated to a light breakfast provided by SATS, featuring options such as BBQ Chicken and Cheese Wrap, Satay Chicken with Fried Rice, Singapore Fried Bee Hoon with Vegetarian Fishball, Chicken Stroganoff with Buttered Rice, and Broccoli. These are the same meals that our students enjoy during their recess.



# HEALTHY BENTO-MAKING ADVENTURE: INSPIRING YOUNG CHEFS AT BRPS!



Term 3's bento-making session at BRPS brought together our Primary 1 students and SATS's in-house Dietitian, Ms. Oh, for an exciting culinary adventure. We believe in making healthy eating fun and educational.

Dressed in aprons, plastic gloves, and chef hats, students let their imaginations run wild with ingredients like mixed grain rice, BBQ minced chicken (or tofu for our vegetarian friends), scrambled eggs, and a colorful array of vegetables. The school canteen buzzed with excitement as it transformed into a lively kitchen of culinary discovery! The bento-making session was a great success! We hope that this experience will inspire them to keep making delicious and nutritious choices for a happy and healthy life!



## **KNOW YOUR**

#### **NUTRI-GRADE**











#### WHAT DO THEY MEAN?[1]



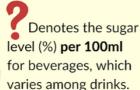


Lowest in sugar and saturated fat



**NUTRI-GRADE** 

level (%) per 100ml for beverages, which varies among drinks.



#### What is nutri-grade labelling for?

- Only for beverages, based on sugar and saturated fat content
- · Optional labelling for Grades A and B
- Mandatory labelling for Grades C and D



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**Highest** in sugar and saturated fat

#### Examples of nutri-grade A and B drinks:









Mineral water

Soy milk

Chrysanthemum tea (no sugar)

Cultured milk (less sugar)

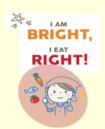
#### Why do some drinks show 0% sugar content but are Graded "C" or "D"?[1]

- · Drinks are graded based on both sugar and saturated fat content
- Even if the drink has 0% sugar level, it may still be high in saturated fats
- Example: full cream milk is graded "C" due to its high saturated fat content compared to low-fat milk. But, it is still a good source of protein and calcium, especially for children aged 1-2 years old.

#### Tips on choosing healthier beverages:

- Always choose water first
- Look out for healthier choice symbols (HCS) or nutri-grade A or B drinks
- Compare beverages within the same category (e.g. apple juice from brand X and brand Y) and choose Grade A or B
- Consume beverages in moderation if graded "C" or "D"

In SATS, we constantly source and provide healthier drinks that are lower in sugar.



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