National Fruits and Veggies Month Checklist

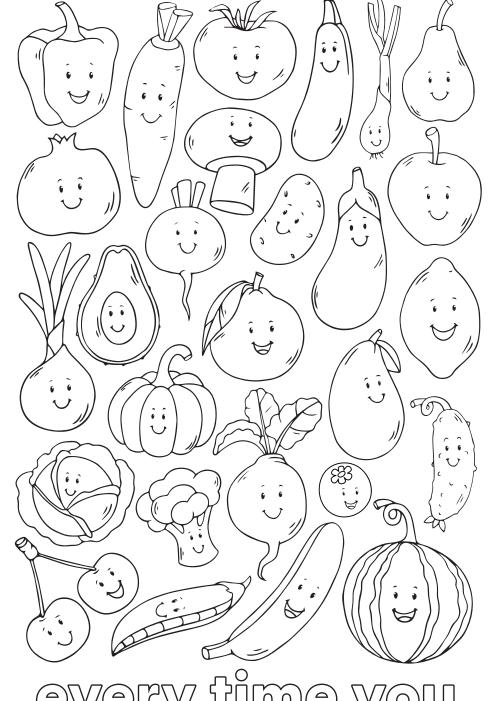
| ☐ Try a new fruit | ☐ Plan meals ahead of |
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| ☐ Try a new vegetable | time and make a grocery list – don't forget the |
| ☐ Enjoy seasonal fruits and veggies | fruits and veggies! |
| ☐ Plant a vegetable garden | ☐ Involve the whole family |
| ☐ Try a meatless meal | in shopping for produce |
| □ Enjoy a fruit smoothie | ☐ Make half your plate fruits and veggies |
| ☐ Make a colorful side dish | ☐ Take a produce-packed |
| ☐ Roast veggies | meal to a friend |
| ☐ Try grilled fruit | ☐ Prepare and freeze a |
| ☐ Enjoy fruit salad | veggie-packed soup for quick meals |
| ☐ Make a veggie omelet | ☐ Try steamed veggies |
| ☐ Add berries to cereal, | for a quick side dish |
| oatmeal, or yogurt | ☐ Learn about proper |
| ☐ Invigorate your water with fruit | produce storage to prevent waste |
| ☐ Make a veggie/fruit | ☐ Make fruits and veggies |
| tray for game day | fun to eat – get creative! |
| ☐ Choose frozen, canned, or dried fruit | ☐ Use seasonings to spice up veggies (and fruit!) |
| ☐ Try a homemade veggie dip | ☐ Apply for food assistance program(s) if you |
| ☐ Make fruit popsicles | need help accessing |
| ☐ Pack a picnic full | fruits and veggies |
| of produce | ☐ Color the fruit and |
| ☐ Prep fruits/veggies for on-the-go snacking | veggies picture on the back |



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