

**Note:** - Dear students, I hope you all are doing well and are healthy. As you all must have read the lesson, just go through it once again and complete the exercises given below in your EVS book page no 23, once you have the book. There are some worksheets for practice at home.

## UNIT 2 : MY NEEDS

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## FOOD

After reading this chapter, the children will know

- why we need food.
- vegetarian and non-vegetarian food.
- the time for meals.
- junk food.
- good eating habits.
- how to save food.

We need **food** to survive.

Food gives us **energy** to work and play.

It helps our body to **grow**.

It keeps our body **healthy** and **fit**.

It protects us from **diseases**.

Look at the pictures of some food items.



Tick (✓) the food items that you like to eat.



rice



milk



lady's finger



chicken



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fish



banana



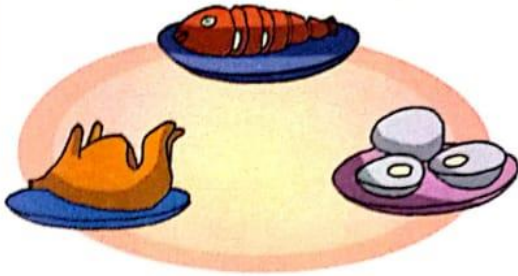
burger

### Teacher's Note

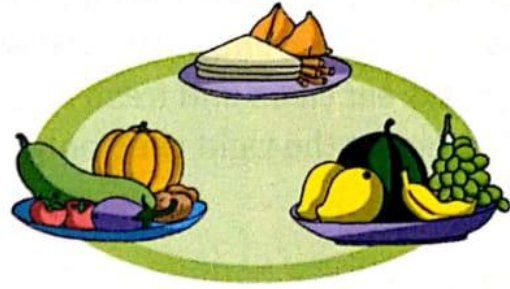
Ask the children about their favourite food items. Encourage them to eat different kinds of food. Help them understand why we should avoid junk food.

Many people eat **eggs, chicken, meat and fish**. They are called **non-vegetarians**.

People who **do not** eat eggs, chicken, meat and fish are called **vegetarians**.



Non-vegetarian food



Vegetarian food

## Eating Time

We eat food **three** times a day.



*We take breakfast in the morning.*



*We take lunch in the afternoon.*



*We take dinner at night.*

## Junk Food

Children like to eat chocolate, pizza, burger, chips, *samosa, pakora*, etc.



*These are junk food.*



These food items are called **junk food**.  
Doctors say that junk food is not good for health.

### Good Eating Habits

Wash your hands before and after eating food.  
Eat slowly and chew the food well.  
Always eat clean and fresh food.  
Eat food at the right time only.



### Save Food

We cannot live without food.  
So, we should not waste it. We should save it.  
Take as much food as you can eat.  
Keep the leftover food in a refrigerator.  
Keep your food away from flies and germs.



### Quick Review

Say YES or NO

1. When do you take lunch?
2. Name any one junk food.
3. Should we eat slowly or fast?
4. Where should we keep leftover food?

### QUICK REVISION

- \* Food gives us **energy** to work and play.
- \* **Milk** is a complete food.
- \* We eat food **three** times a day.
- \* We should **not** waste food.

**Explanation:** - After reading this lesson we come to know about the importance of food. We need food to live and grow, it makes us strong and healthy, it also gives us energy. We get fruits, vegetables, cereals etc from plants. We get food from animals like milk, meat, egg, chicken and fish.



## Worksheet I

# Food Spelling #1

Fill in the missing letters for the pictures shown to correctly spell the word.



\_ A R \_ \_ T



O L \_ V \_



O R \_ \_ G \_



A P \_ \_ \_



L \_ M \_ N



L \_ T \_ \_ C E



\_ H E \_ \_ E



G R \_ P \_ S



P \_ \_ P \_ R

## Worksheet II

# Healthy foods

1. Colour the foods that are healthy.
2. Circle the foods that you like.
3. Put an **x** on the foods that are not healthy.

