



THIS IS WHAT YOUR GRANDMA NEVER TAUGHT YOU

The vibrant colors of fruits & veggies aren't only nice to look at. They also tell us which special disease-fighting phytonutrients are inside. Learn what the phytonutrients do. And how much of each you need to fight disease and stay stronger for longer.

MOST PEOPLE DON'T GET ENOUGH PHYTONUTRIENTS.

These "color deficiencies" increase our risk of heart disease, osteoporosis, cancer, diabetes, and more.

31% get enough greens

22% get enough reds

21% get enough yellows and oranges

14% get enough whites

12% get enough purples and blues

To maximize your health, EAT

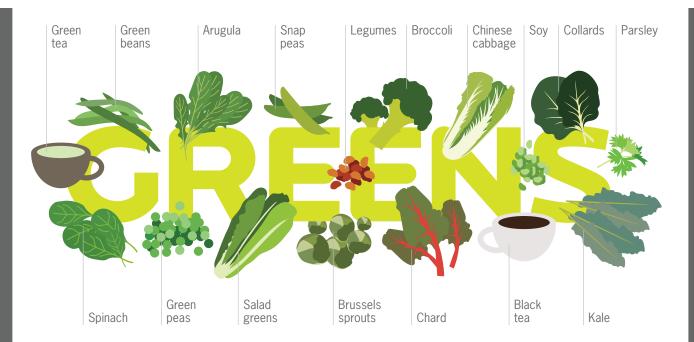


of EACH COLOR every day

10

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On average, adults eat

of POTATOES per year

By contrast, they only eat

Cut heart disease risk by

with 4 SERVINGS of legumes/week

GREEN FRUITS AND VEGGIES ARE RICH IN THESE PHYTONUTRIENTS:

of BRUSSELS SPROUTS

EGCG, isothiocyanate, lutein, zeaxanthin, isoflavones, flavonoids, coumestans

HERE'S HOW TO GET MORE GREENS IN YOUR DIET:

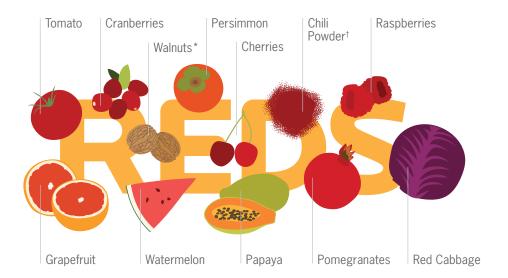
- Drink green tea
- Add kale, spinach, collards, and/or
 Make a bean salad with vinaigrette chard to smoothies
- Eat a variety of salad greens

 - Add parsley to hummus
- Microwave frozen green peas
- Add cabbage and green beans to a stir-fry
- Include steamed broccoli

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With a SPF of

25-50

raspberry seed oil can be used as sunscreen

It takes about

100

cherries to make one cup of cherry juice **Adults eat**

22-24

pounds of tomatoes/tomato products per year

RED FRUITS AND VEGGIES ARE RICH IN THESE PHYTONUTRIENTS:

Lycopene, ellagic acid, caffeoylquinic acids, hydroxybenzoic acids

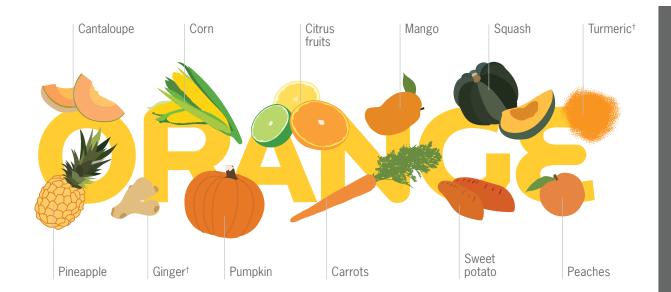
HERE'S HOW TO GET MORE REDS IN YOUR DIET:

- Use tomato sauce for veggies, pasta, lasagna, or pizza
- Make a cranberry bread
- Snack on watermelon or grapefruit
- Add raspberries and walnuts to oatmeal
- Try cherries with cocoa powder in a smoothie
- Make chili with tomatoes and chili powder
- Try red cabbage slaw
- Homemade tomato soup

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Adults eats

The bioavailability of beta-carotene increases by

Acorn squash has

3.5 lbs

85%

9 g

of sweet potatoes each year

when cooking carrots

of fiber per cooked cup

YELLOW/ORANGE FRUITS & VEGGIES ARE RICH IN THESE PHYTONUTRIENTS:

Alpha-carotene, beta-carotene, hesperetin, beta-cryptoxanthin, flavonols, terpenoids, phthalides

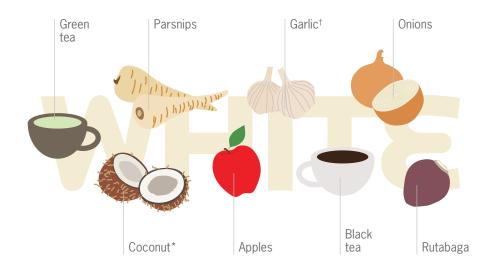
HERE'S HOW TO GET MORE YELLOWS / ORANGES IN YOUR DIET:

- Eat stuffed squash and pumpkin
- Try carrot and sweet potato soup
- Add turmeric to sauces, soups, dressings
- Add peaches or pineapple to smoothies
- Eat oranges, clementines, and cantaloupe
- Make a mango salad
- Add ginger to sauces, soups, dressings

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Eating

Before cooking chopped garlic, wait

For an anticoagulant effect, eat

1 apple

10 min

1 clove

may help to reduce garlic breath

to preserve the phytonutrients

of garlic per day

WHITE FRUITS AND VEGGIES ARE RICH IN THESE PHYTONUTRIENTS:

Flavonols, allicin, quercetin, sulfides

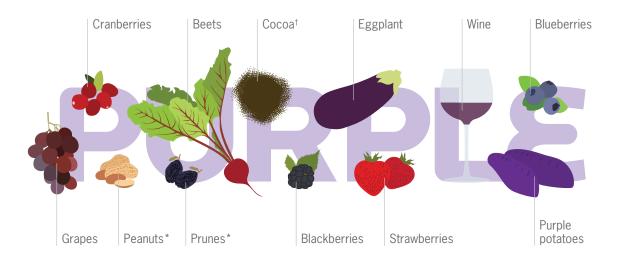
HERE'S HOW TO GET MORE WHITES IN YOUR DIET-

- Add garlic and onions to soup and stir-fries
- Drink some green or black tea
- Snack on apples
- Add coconut to a smoothie
- Make parsnip soup
- Try mashed cauliflower instead of potato

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After eating beets,

You can lower blood pressure with

A handful of dried plums has

10-15% 500 ml

of the population develop pink urine

of beet juice

of sorbitol, which has a laxative effect

PURPLE/BLUE FRUITS AND VEGGIES ARE RICH IN THESE PHYTONUTRIENTS:

Anthocyanins, resveratrol, hydroxycinnamic acids

HERE'S HOW TO GET MORE BLUES/PURPLES IN YOUR DIET:

- Snack on grapes
- Add blueberries to oatmeal
- Add blackberries to smoothies
- Make eggplant curry
- Try a roasted beet salad
- Snack on strawberries
- Make a cranberry oat crumble

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HOW MANY SERVINGS OF EACH COLOR ARE YOU GETTING TODAY?

Only 20% of us get enough of the health-promoting, disease-fighting phytonutrients in colorful fruits and vegetables. For your best health, eat two 1/2 cup servings of each color, every day.

AIM FOR



TWO 1/2 CUP SERVINGS EACH OF:

GREEN

Green or black tea, spinach, kale, salad greens, broccoli, collards, green peas, chard, parsley, watercress, green beans, Brussels sprouts, arugula, sugar snap peas, Chinese cabbage, legumes, etc.

RED

Tomato, watermelon, grapefruit, pomegranates, raspberries, walnuts*, persimmons, red cabbage, chili powder†, cherries, papaya, cranberries, etc.

WHITE

Garlic†, onions, apples, black tea, green tea, coconut*, parsnips, rutabaga, etc.

YELLOW

Cantaloupe, carrots, sweet potatoes, squash, citrus fruits, pumpkin, corn, peaches, turmeric[†], ginger[†], mango, corn, pineapple, etc.

PURPLE

Grapes, blueberries, cranberries, strawberries, blackberries, purple sweet potatoes, cocoa[†], peanuts *, wine, beets, eggplant, prunes *, purple potatoes, etc.

MONDAY	V V		
TUESDAY			
WEDNESDAY			
THURSDAY			
FRIDAY			
SATURDAY			
SUNDAY			

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