# NATIONAL DIET AND NUTRITION SURVEY <br> <br> Food and Drink Diary 

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## Adult 16+ (v2)

DIARY START DATE: $\qquad$


SERIAL NUMBER

Sex: Male / Female


Date of birth: $\square$

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[^0] between 8.30am-5.30pm.

## PLEASE READ THROUGH THESE PAGES BEFORE STARTING YOUR DIARY

We would like you to keep this diary of everything you eat and drink over 4 days. Please include all food consumed at home and outside the home e.g. work, college or restaurants. It is very important that you do not change what you normally eat and drink just because you are keeping this record. Please keep to your usual food habits.

## Day and Date

Please write down the day and date at the top of the page each time you start a new day of recording.

## Time Slots

Please note the time of each eating occasion into the space provided. For easy use each day is divided into sections, from the first thing in the morning to late evening and through the night.

## Where and with whom?

For each eating occasion, please tell us what room or part of the house you were in when you ate, e.g. kitchen, living room, if you ate at your work canteen, a restaurant, fast food chain or your car, write that location down. We would also like to know who you share your meals with, e.g. whether you ate alone or with others. If you ate with others please describe their relationship to you e.g. partner, children, colleagues, or friends. We would also like to know when you ate at a table and when you were watching television whilst eating. For those occasions where you were not at a table or watching TV please write 'Not at table' or 'No TV' rather than leaving it blank.

## What do you eat?

Please describe the food you eat in as much detail as possible. Be as specific as you can. Pages $23-29$ will help with the sort of detail we need, like cooking methods (fried, grilled, baked etc) and any additions (fats, sugar/sweeteners, sauces, pepper etc).

- Homemade dishes

If you have eaten any homemade dishes e.g. chicken casserole, please record the name of the recipe, ingredients with amounts (including water or other fluids) for the whole recipe, the number of people the recipe serves, and the cooking method. Write this down in the recipe section at the end of the record day. Record how much of the whole recipe you have eaten in the portion size column (see examples on pages 4-15).

## - Take-aways and eating out

If you have eaten take-aways or made up dishes not prepared at home such as at a restaurant or a friend's house, please record as much detail about the ingredients as you can e.g. vegetable curry containing chickpeas, aubergine, onion and tomato.

## Brand name

Please note the brand name (if known). Most packed foods will list a brand name, e.g. Bird's Eye, Hovis, or supermarket own brands.

- Labels/Wrappers

Labels are an important source of information for us. It helps us a great deal if you enclose, in the plastic bag provided, labels from all ready meals, labels from foods of lesser known brands and also from any supplements you take.

## Portion sizes

Examples for how to describe the quantity or portion size you had of a particular food or drink are shown on pages 23-29.
For foods, quantity can be described using:

- household measures, e.g. one teaspoon (tsp) of sugar, two thick slices of bread, 4 tablespoons (tbsp) of peas, $1 / 2$ cup of gravy. Be careful when describing amounts in spoons that you are referring to the correct spoon size. Compare the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 36 of this diary.
- weights from labels, e.g. 4 oz steak, 420 g tin of baked beans, 125 g pot of yoghurt
- number of items, e.g. 4 fish fingers, 2 pieces of chicken nuggets, 1 regular size jam filled doughnut
- picture examples for specific foods on pages 30-33 (for adults only).

For drinks, quantity can be described using:

- the size of glass, cup etc (e.g. large glass) or the volume (e.g. 300 ml ). Examples of typical drinks containers are on pages $34-35$. If you are able, please measure your usual drinking vessel and record the volume on page 34
- volumes from labels (e.g. 330 ml can of fizzy drink).

We would like to know the amount that was actually eaten which means taking leftovers into account. You can do this in two ways:

1. Record what was served and make notes of what was not eaten e.g. 3 tbsp of peas, only 2 tbsp eaten; 1 large sausage roll, ate only $1 / 2$
2. Only record the amount actually eaten i.e. 2 tbsp of peas, $1 / 2$ a large sausage roll

## Was it a typical day?

After each day of recording you will be prompted to tell us whether this was a typical day or whether there were any reasons why you ate and drank more or less than usual. We have provided a list of commonly forgotten food and drink to help jog your memory at the end of each day for anything you may have forgotten to record.

## Supplements

At the end of each recording day there is a section for providing information about any supplements you took. Brand name, full name of supplement, strength and the amount taken should be recorded.

## When to fill in the diary

Please record your eating as you go, not from memory at the end of the day. Use written notes on a pad if you forget to take your diary with you. Each diary day covers a 24 hr period, so please include any food or drinks that you may have had during the night. Remember to include foods and drinks between meals (snacks) including water.

Overleaf you can see 2 example days that have been filled in by different people. These examples show you how we would like you to record your food and drink, for example a ready meal and a homemade dish. Your instruction booklet contains further examples such as how to describe food eaten in a restaurant.

## It only takes a few minutes for each eating occasion!

For your convenience a separate booklet with instructions and examples is provided.

| Day: Thurs |  | Date: 31st March |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-29 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 6.30 \\ a m \end{array}$ | Kitchen Alone <br> No TV <br> Not at table | Filter coffee, decaffeinated milk (fresh, semi-skimmed) Sugar white | Douwe Egberts Silverspoon | Mug <br> A little <br> 1 level tsp |
| $\begin{aligned} & 7.30 \\ & a m \end{aligned}$ | Kitchen <br> Partner <br> TV on <br> At table | Filter coffee with milk and sugar Cornflakes Milk (fresh, semi-skimmed) Toast, granary medium sliced Light spread Marmalade | As above <br> Tesco's own <br> Hovis <br> Flora <br> Hartleys | As above 1b drowned 1 slice med spread 1 heaped tsp |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
| $10.15$ | Office desk <br> Alone <br> No TV <br> Not at table | Instant coffee, not decaffeinated Milk (fresh, whole) Sugar brown | Unknown brand | Mug A little 1 level tsp |
| 11 am | Office desk <br> Alone <br> No TV <br> Not at table | Digestive biscuit - chocolate coated on one side | McVities | 2 |


| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 12.30 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Tea room at work Colleagues No TV At table | Ham salad sandwich from home Bread, wholemeal, thick sliced Light spread <br> Low fat Mayonnaise <br> Smoked ham thinly sliced <br> Lettuce, iceberg <br> Cucumber with skin <br> Unsweetened orange juice from canteen <br> Apple with skin from home, Braeburn | Tesco's own Flora <br> Hellmans Tesco's own <br> Tropicana | 2 slices thin spread on 1 slice <br> 2 teaspoons <br> 2 slices <br> 1 leaf <br> 4 thin slices <br> 250 ml carton <br> medium size, core left |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
| 3 pm | Meeting room at work <br> With supervisor No TV Not at table | Tea, decaffeinated Milk (fresh, whole) Jaffa cake - mini variety | Twinings Tesco's own McVities | Mug Some 6 |


| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6.30 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Pub Partner TV on At table | Gin <br> Tonic water diet Lager 3.8\% alcohol Salted peanuts | Gordon's <br> Schweppes <br> Draught, Carlsberg <br> KP | Single measure <br> 1/2 small glass <br> 1 pint <br> 1 handful |
| 8 pm | Dining room <br> Family <br> No TV <br> At table | Spaghetti, wholemeal <br> Bolognese sauce (see recipe) <br> Courgettes (fried in butter) <br> Tinned peaches in juice (juice drained) <br> Single cream UHT <br> Orange squash No Added Sugar | Tesco's own <br> Prince's <br> Sainsbury's own cream Sainsbury's own | 3b <br> 6 tablespoons <br> 4 tablespoons <br> 3 halves <br> 1 tablespoon <br> 200ml glass, 1 <br> part squash, 3 <br> parts tap water |
| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
| 9 pm | Sitting room <br> Alone <br> TV on <br> Not at table | Grapes, green, seedless Chocolates, chocolate creams Potato crisps, Prawn Cocktail | Bendicks Walkers | $15$ $2$ <br> 25g bag (from multipack) |
| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 10.30 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Bed room <br> Partner <br> No TV <br> Not at table | Camomile tea (no milk or sugar) | Twinings | 1 mug |

- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?
Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Usual $\square$
Less than usual

More than usual

Too busy at work to stop for a drink
If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?

Yes



If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Alcoholic drinks
- Milk
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did you take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?
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If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.

Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes
NAME OF DISH: Bolognese sauce
SERVES: 4

| Ingredients |  | Amount | Ingredients |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Amount |  |  |  |
| Co-op low fat beef mince | 500 g | mixed herbs | (to include any oil or water/stock used!! |
| garlic | 3 cloves | Lea \& Perrins worcester sauce | dash |
| onion | 1 medium |  |  |
| sweet red pepper | 1 medium |  |  |
| Napoli chopped tomatoes | 400 g tin |  |  |
| Tesco tomato puree | 1 tablespoon |  |  |
| Tesco olive oil | 1 tablespoon |  |  |
| Brispoon |  |  |  |

## Brief description of cooking method

Fry onion \& garlic in oil, add mince and fry till brown.
Add pepper, tomatoes, puree, Worcester sauce \& herbs. Simmer for 30 mins

| Day: | Friday | Date: 28.09.2007 |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? At table? TV on? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-29 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 8.00 \\ a m \end{gathered}$ | Café take away eating on my way to work Alone | Cappuccino, no sugar <br> Blueberry muffin, regular not low fat | Starbucks <br> Starbucks | Medium size <br> One |
|  |  | Blueberry muffin, regular not low fat | Starbucks | One |
| $\begin{gathered} 8.45 \\ a m \end{gathered}$ | Office desk <br> Alone <br> No TV <br> Not at table | Tap water |  | 300 ml glass |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
| 10 am | Office desk <br> Alone <br> No TV <br> Not at table | Banana <br> Black tea <br> Semi-skimmed milk, no sugar | Typhoo Asda | One, medium size <br> Large Mug <br> A lot |


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| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
| 1 pm | Work tea room With colleague No TV At table | Crayfish sandwich multiseed bread, wholemeal, medium cut, crayfish in lemon mayonnaise, no other spread rocket leaves <br> Apple \& Raspberry fruit drink | M\&S pre-packed Sandwich $\mathrm{J} 20$ | 2 slices Medium filling 6 to 8 <br> 1 bottle, 275ml |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 4.30 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Friend's House <br> Lounge <br> With Friend <br> Not at table <br> TV on | Coffee, instant <br> Semi-skimmed milk <br> Fairy Cake, homemade, see recipe | Kenco | Medium mug <br> A lot <br> 1 cake |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 7.30 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Kitchen/Diner With boyfriend At table No TV | Chicken in creamy mushroom and white wine sauce for 2, oven <br> White rice, boiled <br> Wine 13\% alcohol | Sainsbury's, 370g (wrapper collected) <br> Easy cook, Italian, Sainsbury's <br> Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand | 1/2 pack <br> $2 C$ <br> 1 small glass, 125 ml |
| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9.15 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Sitting Room With boyfriend Not at table TV on | Squash, apple \& blackcurrant, no added sugar, Crisps | Sainsbury's <br> Pringles, sour cream and chives | 1 average glass, 200ml 5 |
| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 11.30 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Bedroom <br> Alone <br> Not at table <br> TV on | Water | tap | 1 medium glass |

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If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Holland \& Barrett | Evening Primrose Oil - 1000mg | 1 capsule |
| Holland \& Barrett | Super EPA fish oil - 1000mg | 1 capsule |
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## Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes

| NAME OF DISH: Fairy Cakes | SERVES: makes 20 cakes |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  | 140 g |
| Tate \& Lyle caster sugar | 175 g | Silver Spoon icing sugar |  |
| Anchor butter, unsalted | 175 g | Yellow food colouring | 3 drops |
| eggs | 3 | water | 2 tablespoons |
| Homepride self-raising flour | 175 g |  |  |
| Baking powder | 1 teaspoon |  |  |
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Brief description of cooking method
Mix together and bake for 15 min.
Mix icing sugar with water and add colouring. Approx. 1 teaspoon of icing on each cake

# PRACTICE PAGES 

Use this space to practise recording in the diary with your interviewer

Please do not use these pages for the recording period


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| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |


| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
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|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |
| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |
| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |

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Usual $\square$


If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?

No $\square$

If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NAME OF DISH: | Serves: |  |  |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |  |
|  |  | Page |  |
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| Brief description |  |  |  |

Spoon size does matter!!!! When describing amounts check the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 36

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bacon | Back, middle, streaky; smoked or un-smoked; fat eaten; dry-fried or <br> fried in oil/fat (type used) or grilled rashers | Number of rashers |
| Baked beans | Standard, reduced salt or reduced sugar | Spoons, weight of tin |
| Beefburger <br> (hamburger) | Home-made (ingredients), from a packet or take-away; fried (type of <br> oil/fat), microwaved or grilled; economy; with or without bread roll, <br> with or without salad e.g. lettuce, tomato | Large or small, ounces or <br> in grams if info on <br> package |
| Beer | What sort e.g. stout, bitter, lager; draught, canned, bottled; \% <br> alcohol or low-alcohol or home-made | Number of pints or half <br> pints, size of can or bottle |
| Biscuits | What sort e.g. cheese, wafer, crispbread, sweet, chocolate (fully or or <br> half coated), shortbread, home-made | Number, size (standard <br> or mini variety) |
| Bread <br> (see also sandwiches) | Wholemeal, granary, white or brown; currant, fruit, malt; large or <br> small loaf; sliced or unsliced loaf | Number of slices; thick, <br> medium or thin slices |
| Bread rolls | Wholemeal, white or brown; alone or with filling; crusty or soft | Size, number of rolls |
| Breakfast cereal (see <br> also porridge) | What sort e.g. Kellogg's cornflakes; any added fruit and/or nuts; <br> Muesli - with added fruit, no added sugar/salt variety | Spoons or picture 1 |
| Buns and pastries | What sort e.g. iced, currant or plain, jam, custard, fruit, cream; type <br> of pastry; homemade or bought | Size, number |
| Butter, margarine \& fat <br> spreads | Give full product name | Thick/average/thin <br> spread; spoons |

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| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Cake | What sort: fruit (rich), sponge, fresh cream, iced, chocolate coated; <br> type of filling e.g. buttercream, jam | Individual or size of slice, <br> packet weight, picture 10 |
| Cereal bars | What sort; with fruit/nuts, coated with chocolate/yoghurt; fortified <br> with vitamins/minerals | Weight/size of bar; from <br> multipack |
| Cheese | Type e.g. cheddar, cream, cottage, soft; low fat | Picture 9, or number of <br> slices, number of spoons |
| Chips | Fresh, frozen, oven, microwave, take-away (where from); <br> thick/straight/crinkle/fine cut; type of oil/fat used for cooking | Picture 4, number of <br> spoons, number of chips |
| Chocolate(s) | What sort e.g. plain, milk, white, fancy, diabetic; type of filling; | Weight/size of bar |
| Coffee | With milk (see section on milk); half milk/half water; all milk; <br> ground/filter, instant; decaffeinated. If café/takeaway, was it <br> cappuccino, latte etc | Cups or mugs, size of <br> takeaway e.g. small. <br> medium |
| Cook-in sauces | What sort; pasta, Indian, Chinese, Mexican; tomato, white or <br> cheese based; does meat or veg come in sauce; jar or can | Spoons, size of can or jar |
| Cream | Single, whipped, double or clotted; dairy or non-dairy; low-fat; fresh, <br> UHT/Longlife; imitation cream e.g. Elmlea | Spoons |
| Crisps | What sort e.g. potato, corn, wheat, maize, vegetable etc; low-fat or <br> low-salt; premium variety e.g. Kettle chips, Walker's Sensations | Packet weight, standard <br> or from multipack |
| Custard | Pouring custard or egg custard; made with powder and milk/sugar, <br> instant, ready to serve (tinned or carton); low fat, sugar free | Spoons |
| Egg | Boiled, poached, fried, scrambled, omelette (with or without filling); <br> type of oil/fat, milk added | Number of eggs, large, <br> medium or small |

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| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fish (including canned) | What sort e.g. cod, tuna; fried (type of oil/fat), grilled, poached <br> (water or milk) or steamed; with batter or breadcrumbs; canned in <br> oil, brine or tomato sauce | Size of can or spoons <br> (for canned fish) or <br> picture 7 for battered fish |
| Fish cakes \& fish fingers | Type of fish; plain or battered or in breadcrumbs; fried, grilled, <br> baked or microwaved; economy | Size, number, <br> packet weight |
| Fruit - fresh | What sort; eaten with or without skin | Small, medium or large |
| Fruit - stewed/canned | What sort; sweetened or unsweetened; in fruit juice or syrup; juice <br> or syrup eaten | Spoons, weight of can |
| Fruit - juice (pure) | What sort e.g. apple, orange; sweetened or unsweetened; <br> pasteurised or UHT/Longlife; freshly squeezed; added <br> vitamins/minerals, omega 3 | Glass (size or volume) or <br> carton size |
| Ice cream | Flavour; dairy or non-dairy alternatives e.g. soya; luxury/premium | Spoons/ scoops |
| Jam, honey | What sort; low-sugar/diabetic; shop bought/brand or homemade | Spoons, heaped or level, <br> or thin or thick spread |
| Marmalade | Type; low-sugar; thick cut; shop bought/brand or homemade | Spoons, heaped or level, <br> or thin or thick spread |
| Meat (see also bacon, <br> burgers \& sausages) | What sort; cut of meat e.g. chop, breast, minced; lean or fatty; fat <br> removed or eaten; skin removed or eaten; how cooked; with or <br> without gravy | Large/small/medium, <br> spoons, or picture 6 for <br> stew portion |

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| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Milk | What sort; whole, semi-skimmed, skimmed or 1\% fat; fresh, <br> sterilized, UHT, dried; soya milk (sweetened/unsweetened), goats' <br> milk, rice milk, oat milk; flavoured; fortified with added vitamins <br> and/or minerals | Pints, glass (size or <br> volume) or cup. <br> On cereal: damp/normal/ <br> drowned. In tea/coffee: a <br> little/some/a lot |
| Nuts | What sort; dry roasted, ordinary salted, honey roasted; unsalted | Packet weight, handful |
| Pie (sweet or savoury) | What sort/filling; one pastry crust or two; type of pastry | Individual or slice, or <br> picture 8 |
| Pizza | Thin base/deep pan or French bread; topping e.g. meat, fish, veg; <br> stuffed crust | Individual, slice, fraction <br> of large pizza e.g. $1 / 4$ |
| Porridge | Made with oats or cornmeal or instant oat cereal; made with milk <br> and/or water; added sugar, honey, syrup or salt; with milk or cream | Bowls, spoons |
| Potatoes <br> (see also chips) | Old or new; baked, boiled, roast (type of oil/fat); skin eaten; mashed <br> (with butter/spread and with or without milk); fried/chips (type of <br> oil/fat); instant; any additions e.g. butter | Mash - spoons, number <br> of half or whole potatoes, <br> small or large potatoes |
| Pudding | What sort; e.g. steamed sponge; with fruit; mousse; instant <br> desserts; milk puddings | Spoons, picture 10 for <br> slice of sponge |
| Rice | What sort; e.g. basmati, easy cook, long or short grain; white or <br> brown; boiled or fried (type of oil/fat) | Spoons or picture 2 |
| Salad | Ingredients; if with dressing what sort (oil and vinegar, mayonnaise) | Amount of each <br> component |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Sandwiches and rolls | Type of bread/roll (see Bread \& Rolls); butter or margarine; type of <br> filling; including salad, mayonnaise, pickle etc. If shop-bought, <br> where from? | Number of rolls or slices <br> of bread; amount of <br> butter/margarine (on both <br> slices?); amount of filling |
| Sauce - cold (including <br> mayonnaise) | Tomato ketchup, brown sauce, soy sauce, salad cream, <br> mayonnaise; low fat; | Spoons |
| Sauce - hot (see also <br> cook-in sauces) | What sort; savoury or sweet; thick or thin; for gravy - made with <br> granules, stock cube, dripping or meat juices | Spoons |
| Sausages | What sort; e.g. beef, pork; fried (type of oil/fat) or grilled; low fat | Large or small, number |
| Sausage rolls | Type of pastry | Size - jumbo, standard, <br> mini |
| Scone | Fruit, sweet, plain, cheese; type of flour; homemade | Small, medium or large |
| Savoury snacks - in <br> packet | What sort: e.g. Cheddars, cheese straws, Twiglets, Pretzels | Size (standard or mini <br> variety), packet weight |
| Smoothies | If homemade give recipe. If shop-bought, what does it contain e.g. <br> fruit, milk/yoghurt, fruit juice | Glass or bottle (size or <br> volume) |
| Soft drinks - squash/ <br> concentrate/cordial | Flavour; no added sugar/low calorie/sugar free; "high" juice; fortified <br> with added vitamins and/or minerals | Glass (size or volume) |
| Soft drinks - <br> carbonated/fizzy | Flavour; diet/low-calorie; canned or bottled; cola - caffeine free | Glass, can or bottle (size <br> or volume) |
| Soft drinks - ready to <br> drink | Flavour; no added sugar/low calorie/sugar free; real fruit juice? If <br> so, how much?; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals | Glass, carton or bottle <br> (size or volume) |

Spoon size does matter!!!! When describing amounts check the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 36

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Soup | What sort; cream or clear; fresh/chilled, canned, instant or vending <br> machine. If home-made, give recipe | Spoons, bowl or mug |
| Spaghetti, other pasta | What sort; fresh/chilled or dried; white, wholemeal; canned in <br> sauce; type of filling if ravioli, cannelloni etc | Spoons (or how much <br> dry pasta) or picture 3 |
| Spirits | What sort: e.g. whisky, gin, vodka, rum | Measures as in pub |
| Sugar | Added to cereals, tea, coffee, fruit, etc; what sort; e.g. white, brown, <br> demerara | Heaped or level <br> teaspoons |
| Sweets | What sort: e.g. toffees, boiled sweets, diabetic, sugar-free | Number, packet weight |
| Tea | With/without milk (see section on milk); decaffeinated, herb | Mugs or cups |
| Vegetables (not <br> including potatoes) | What sort; how cooked/raw; additions e.g. butter, other fat or sauce | Spoons, number of <br> florets or sprouts, weight <br> from tins or packet |
| Wine, sherry, port | White, red; sweet, dry; \% alcohol or low-alcohol | Glass (size or volume) |
| Yoghurt (inc drinking <br> yoghurt), fromage frais | What sort: e.g. natural/plain or flavoured; creamy, Greek, low-fat, <br> very low fat/diet, soya; with fruit pieces or fruit flavoured; twinpot; <br> fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals; longlife/UHT; probiotic | Pot size or spoons |
| Home-made dishes | Please say what the dish is called (record recipe or details of dish if <br> you can in the section provided) and how many persons it serves | Spoons - heaped or <br> level, number, size, or <br> proportion of recipe e.g. <br> $1 / 2 ~ o f ~ r e c i p e ~$ |
| Ready-made meals | Full description of product; does it contain any accompaniments <br> e.g. rice, vegetables, sauces; chilled or frozen; microwaved, oven <br> cooked, boil-in-the-bag; low fat, healthy eating range. Enclose label <br> and ingredients list if possible in your plastic bag | Packet weight (if didn't <br> eat whole packet <br> describe portion <br> consumed) |

Spoon size does matter!!!! When describing amounts check the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 36

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Take-away food or food <br> eaten out | Please say what the dish is called and give main ingredients if you <br> can. Give name of a chain restaurant e.g. McDonald's | Spoons, portion size e.g. <br> small/medium/large |

Use the pictures to help you indicate the size of the portion you have eaten.
Write on the food record the picture number and size $A$, $B$ or $C$ nearest to your own helping. Remember that the pictures are much smaller than life size. The actual size of the dinner plate is 10 inches $(25 \mathrm{~cm})$, the side plate, 7 inches $(18 \mathrm{~cm})$, and the
bowl, 6.3 inches $(16 \mathrm{~cm})$. The tables on pages 23-29 also give examples of foods that you might eat and how much information is required about them.




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Typical quantities of drinks in various containers measured in millilitres (ml)

|  | Small <br> glass | Average <br> glass | Large <br> glass | Vending <br> cup | Cup | Mug |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Soft <br> drinks | 150 | 200 | 300 |  |  |  |
| Wine | 125 | 175 | 250 |  |  |  |
| Hot drinks |  |  |  | 170 | 190 | 260 |

Glasses come in different shapes and sizes. On the next page is a life size glass showing approximate volumes. You can use this picture as a guide for estimating how much volume of drink the glass you are drinking from holds.

## Life Size Glass





| Day 1: |  | Date: |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-29 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
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| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? <br> TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
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| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? <br> TV on? <br> At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
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| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
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- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?
Usual $\square$
Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?

$\square$
- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Alcoholic drinks
- Milk
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did you take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.

Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes

| NAME OF DISH: |  |  |  |  |
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| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  | Amount |  |  |
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Brief description of cooking method

| Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NAME OF DISH: | Serves: |  |  |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients |  |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |  |
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| Brief description of cooking method |  |  |  |



| Day 2: |  | Date: |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-29 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
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| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
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| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
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- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?
Usual $\square$


If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?


If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Alcoholic drinks
- Milk
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did you take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.




| Day 3: |  | Date: |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-29 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
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| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
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- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$
If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Usual $\square$


If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?

No $\square$

If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Alcoholic drinks
- Milk
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did you take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.


| Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes |  |  |
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| NAME OF DISH: | Serves: |  |
| Ingredients | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |
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Please remember to complete the general questions on pages 69-74!

| Day 4: |  | Date: |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-29 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
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| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
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| TimeWhere? <br> With Whom? <br> TV on? <br> At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or <br> quantity eaten |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name? | Portion size or quantity eaten |
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| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
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- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?
Usual $\square$


If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?


If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Alcoholic drinks
- Milk
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

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If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.


| Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes |  |  |
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| NAME OF DISH: | Serves: |  |
| Ingredients | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |
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## General questions about your food/ drink during the recording period.

## Special diet

1. Did you follow a special diet during the recording period? (please tick and provide more information if necessary)
a) To lose weight
b) To gain weight
c) For medical reasons e.g. to lower cholesterol. Details:
d) Other e.g. vegetarian. Details:
e) No special diet

## Milk

2. Which type of milk did you use most often during the recording period?

| Whole, fresh, pasteurised | Semi-skimmed fresh pasteurised | Skimmed (fat free) fresh, pasteurised | 1\% fat milk, pasteurised |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |



Other $\square$


Did not
use $\square$

## Tea and coffee

3. How much milk did you usually have in coffee/ tea?

| Coffee | A lot | Some | A little | None/did not drink |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tea | A lot | Some | A little | None/did not drink |

4. Did you usually sweeten your coffee/ tea with sugar?

| Coffee | Yes $\square$ | How many teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ | No/did not drink $\square$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tea | Yes $\square$ | How many teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ | No/did not drink $\square$ |

5. Did you usually sweeten your coffee/ tea with artificial sweetener?

Coffee


How many tablets or teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ No/did not drink $\square$
Tea $\square$ How many tablets or teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ No/did not drink $\square$
6. Did you drink decaffeinated coffee/ tea during the recording period?

| Coffee | Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tea | Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ |
|  | Never $\square$ |

## Breakfast cereals

7. How much milk did you usually have on breakfast cereal?

8. How did you usually make your porridge?

9. Did you usually sweeten or salt your porridge?

10. How did you usually make your instant oat cereal?

11. Did you usually sweeten or salt your instant oat cereal?


## Fats for spreading and cooking

12. Which type of butter, margarine or other fat spread did you use most often during the recording period? Please record the full product name and fat content

Name:
None $\square$
e.g. Flora Omega 3 plus, low fat spread, $38 \%$ fat, polyunsaturated
13. How thickly did you spread butter, margarine on bread, crackers etc?

14. Which type of cooking fat/oil did your household use most often over the recording period? Please record the full product name e.g. Sainsbury's sunflower oil


None $\square$

## Bread

15. Which type of bread did you eat most often during the recording period?

16. Was it a large loaf or a small loaf?

17. If the bread was shop bought, how was it sliced?


## Meat

18. If you ate meat during the recording period, did you eat the visible fat?
Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square \quad$ Never $\square \quad$ Did not eat meat $\square$
19. If you ate poultry (e.g. chicken, turkey) during the recording period, did you eat the skin?
Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square \quad$ Never $\square \quad$ Did not eat poultry $\square$

## Fruit and vegetables

20. If you ate apples during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$ Did not eat $\square$
21. If you ate pears during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$ Did not eat $\square$
22. If you ate new potatoes during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

23. If you ate baked/jacket potatoes during the recording period, did you eat the skin?
Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square \quad$ Did not eat $\square$

## Salt

24. Do you add salt to your food at the table?

25. Do you add salt substitute to your food at the table? e.g. LoSalt


## Water

26. Which type of water did you drink most often during the recording period?

Tap $\square$ Filtered $\square$ Bottled $\square$ brand | Did not $\square$ |
| :--- |
| drink |$\square$

## Cordial/squash/diluting juice

27. Which type of squash/cordial did you drink most often during the recording period?

28. Which squash did you use most often during the recording period? Please record the full product name e.g. Robinsons Peach Fruit \& Barley no added sugar

## Name:


29. How much do you usually dilute your squash (e.g. half squash/half water, or 1 part squash with 4 parts water)?

Please tell us: $\qquad$

If you are able to, please use a measuring jug to measure your usual drinking vessels e.g. mug, glass, cup etc. and provide the volumes below
$\square$

## Thank you for completing this diary.

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# NATIONAL DIET AND NUTRITION SURVEY Food and Drink Diary 

Children aged 4 to 15 years (v2)
DIARY START DATE: $\qquad$


INTERVIEWER NUMBER:
 INTERVIEWER NAME: $\square$

## How to fill in your diary

It is very important that you do not change what you normally eat or drink just because you are keeping a diary. Try to write down what you are eating or drinking as soon as you can and not leave it until the end of the day. Record food and drink eaten at home and away from home, such as at school or at a friend's house.

Whenever you have something to eat or drink write down:

When: Each day is divided into time slots from first thing in the morning until late at night until the following morning. Find the appropriate time slot and record the exact time when you eat or drink something in the "time" column.

Where: This could be Home Bedroom

| Away | Street, Car/Bus, Café/ Restaurant (specify McDonald's, Pizza Hut etc.) |
| :--- | :--- |
| School | Canteen, Classroom, Playground |
|  | Alone |
|  | With family |
|  | With friends |

At table: Were you sitting at a table whilst eating or drinking? If yes, record At table. If no, record Not at table. Watching TV: Were you watching TV whilst you were eating or drinking? If yes, record TV on. If no, record No TV.

## What:

Describe your food and drink giving as much detail as you can. Include any extras like sugar and milk in your tea or cereal, butter or other spreads on your bread and sauces such as ketchup and mayonnaise. Do not forget to include drinking water.

If you know how the food was cooked (e.g. roast, baked, boiled, fried), please record this. If you're unsure about how the food was cooked, please ask the person who prepared the food if possible.

On pages 20-25 you will find help with the sort of detail that is useful.
If you have eaten any homemade dishes e.g. a stew or sponge cake, please make sure the ingredients and cooking method are recorded in the space provided. You may need to ask the person who prepared the dish to help you with this. If another person at home is also keeping a diary and has recorded the recipes for the same dishes as you in their diary (the ADULT diary), you do NOT need to record these recipes again, just write in your diary "see adult diary". If you have eaten any take-aways or any made up dishes not prepared at home such as at a friend's house or in a restaurant, please record as much detail as you can about what was in the dish e.g. vegetable curry containing chickpeas, aubergine, onion and tomato.

## Brand:

Please make a note of the brand name (e.g. Heinz, Walkers, Hovis) if you know it. Most packaged foods will list a brand name.

## Amount eaten:

You can specify packet (e.g. Crisps, Yogurt), or number of individual items (e.g. biscuits), or slices (e.g. cake, pizza, ham), or teaspoons (e.g. sugar), or dessertspoons (e.g. peas). Be careful when describing amounts in spoons. Compare the spoon you are using with the life size spoons on page 27 of this diary so you use the correct name. You can also write S (small), M (medium) or L (large) portion. For drinks you can write glass (tell us the size of the glass or volume using page 26 as a guide), cup or mug. You can also write the weight or volume from the labels on the packaging. On page 25 , we have included a space for you to measure your usual drinking cup (you can do this by filling your cup with water to the level you normally have and then emptying the water into a measuring jug).
On pages 20-25 you will find help with describing how much you had to eat or drink.

We would like to know the amount that you actually ate, so you need to think about how much you leftover. You can do this in 2 ways:

1. Record how much you were served and then how much you ate e.g. 3 dessertspoons of peas, only 2 dessertspoons eaten; 1 large sausage roll, ate only half
2. Only record how much you actually ate i.e. 2 dessertspoons of peas; half a large sausage roll

## Food labels/wrappers:

Please keep the labels or packaging from snacks, sweets, bought sandwiches and ready meals and put them in the plastic bag provided.

## Was it a typical day?

After each day of recording you will be prompted to tell us whether this was a usual day or whether there were any reasons why you ate and drank more or less than usual, e.g. I did eat less because I was sick; I drank a lot because I did sports. Please tick the correct box for your intake. We have provided a list of commonly forgotten food and drink to help jog your memory at the end of each day for anything you may have forgotten to record.

## Supplements

At the end of each recording day you need to tell us about any supplements you took. If you didn't take any just tick NO. If yes, then please tell us the name of the supplement (e.g. vitamin C), brand (e.g. Boots), strength (it will tell you on the label - e.g. 50 mg ) and how many you took (e.g. 1 tablet).

If you have any queries about how to complete the diary please contact a member of the NDNS team on freephone
08006524572 between 8.30 am and 5.30 pm .

## On pages 4-13 of the diary we have filled in two whole days to show you what to do.

| EXAMPLE |  |  | Day: Thursday | Date: March 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? <br> With whom? <br> TV on? <br> Table? | what | Brand Name | Amount eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
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| 7.30am | Kitchen <br> Family <br> No TV <br> At table | Orange juice, unsweetened, UHT <br> Tea <br> Milk, fresh semi skimmed <br> Sugar white <br> Weetabix <br> Milk as above <br> Sugar as above <br> Toast wholemeal, large loaf <br> Butter unsalted <br> Strawberry Jam | Tesco <br> Tesco <br> Tesco <br> Silverspoon <br> Hovis <br> Anchor <br> Co-op | Large glass <br> Mug <br> A little <br> 2 level teaspoons <br> 2 <br> Drowned <br> 2 heaped teaspoons <br> 2 thin slices <br> thick spread on both <br> 1 teaspoon on one slice |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
| 11am <br> 12noon | School playground With friends <br> School corridor Alone | Coca cola die $\dagger$ <br> Potato crisps, Salt and Vinegar <br> Water from water cooler <br> Mars Bar | Coca Cola Walkers | 330 ml can <br> 25 g packet from a multipack <br> small plastic cup <br> 1 kingsize |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
| 12.45 pm <br> 1.50pm | School canteen With friends At table <br> School corridor Alone | Sandwich, from home <br> White bread, large loaf <br> Spread <br> Ham unsmoked <br> Cheddar cheese <br> Branston Pickle <br> Apple with skin from home <br> Ribena Light, Ready to Drink, Blackcurrant, from canteen <br> Kitkat from home <br> Chewing gum | Kingsmill <br> Flora Light <br> Tescos <br> Orbit Sugar Free | 2 med slices thin spread on both slices <br> 1 slice <br> 2 medium slices <br> 1 teaspoon <br> 1 (left core) <br> 220 ml carton <br> 2 fingers <br> 1 piece |



- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?


## Usual <br> $\square$

Less than usual

More than usual

If your intake was not usual, please explain why: Ate dinner at a friend's house

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?


Less than usual $\square$ More than usual


If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?

Yes



If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Milk
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did you take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?

Yes


No $\square$

If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bassetts | Soft and chewy vitamins A $(800 \mu g), C(60 \mathrm{mg}), D(5 \mu g)$ and $\mathrm{E}(10 \mathrm{mg})$ | 1 pastille |
| Haliborange | DHA Omega-3 blackcurrant chewy caps (each capsule contains <br> 200 mg fish oil providing 130mg omega-3) | 2 capsules |
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NAME OF DISH: Chicken in tomato Sauce |  | Serves: 4 people |  |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |  |
| Pieces of chicken | 3 pieces | Olive oil | 2 tbsp |
| Sauce made with: |  |  |  |
| Tinned tomatoes | 1 tin |  |  |
| Green pepper | 1 medium |  |  |
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| Brief description of cooking method <br> Chicken pieces fried in olive oil, then mixed in with tomato and vegetable sauce. |  |  |  |


| EXAMPLE |  |  | Day: Friday | Date: April 1st |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? with whom? TV on? Table? | What | Brand Name | Amount eaten |
|  | How to des | e what you had and how much you | n be found on | es 20-25 |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
| 7.45am | Dining Room <br> Family <br> No TV <br> At table | Special K Bliss Strawberry and Chocolate Whole milk <br> Banana Smoothie, made with semi-skimmed milk | Kelloggs <br> Tesco's <br> Homemade see recipe | 6 dessertspoons Drowned <br> 1 medium glass (whole recipe) |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
| 11.30 am | School playground School friends | Orange Juice, UHT, unsweetened Mars Bar | Libby's Mars | 200 ml carton 2 fun size |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
| 1pm | School canteen <br> School Friends <br> At table | Roast Chicken <br> Roast Potatoes <br> Boiled Carrots <br> Boiled Peas <br> Gravy <br> Plain sponge pudding with jam <br> Warm chocolate custard | Don't know | 3 slices <br> 2 potatoes <br> 1 tablespoon <br> 1 tablespoon <br> 2 tablespoons <br> Small portion <br> 2 dessertspoons |


| EXAMPLE |  |  | Day: Friday | Date: April 1st |
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| Time | Where? With whom? TV on? Table? | What | Brand Name | Amount eaten |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { 3.30pm } \\ & 4.30 \mathrm{pm} \end{aligned}$ | Car <br> Family <br> Living room <br> Sister <br> TV on <br> Not at table | Bottle of water Grapes, green, seedless <br> Ready salted Crisps | Evian <br> Pringles | $\frac{1}{2}$ bottle -500 mls 10 grapes <br> About 15 crisps |
| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
| 7 pm | Dining room Family No TV At table | Cheese and tomato pizza, thin base <br> Green beans, boiled <br> Broccoli, boiled <br> Chocolate Mousse, low fat <br> Orange High Juice Squash - standard | Pizza Express (cook at home) <br> Cadburys <br> Robinson's | $\frac{1}{2}$ pizza (500g) uncooked <br> 2 tbsp <br> 2 florets <br> 55 g pot <br> 250 ml ( $1 / 3$ squash \& $2 / 3$ water) |
| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
| 9 pm | Bedroom <br> Alone <br> TV on <br> Not at table (in bed) | Semi-skimmed milk | Tesco's | Small glass |
| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
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- Was the amount of food that you had today about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Usual

Less than usual

More than usual

If your intake was not usual, please explain why: Felt unwell

- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?

Usual $\square$
Less than usual

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If your intake was not usual, please explain why: Felt unwell

- Did you finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?



If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Milk
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did you take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NAME OF DISH: Banana Smoothie |  | Serves: 1 |  |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |  |
| Banana | 1 small |  |  |
| Tesco semi-skimmed milk | 150m/ |  |  |
| Gales honey - from Tesco | 1 tsp |  |  |
| Tesco natural unsweetened yogurt | 1 tbsp |  |  |
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| Brief description of cooking method <br> Mix all together with blender |  |  |  |

## PRACTICE PAGES

Use this space to practise recording in the diary with your interviewer

Please do not use these pages for the recording period



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Usual


Less than usual


More than usual


If your intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

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No $\square$

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NAME OF DISH:
Serves:
Ingredients
Amount $\quad$ Ingredients
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Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!!

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Brief description of cooking method

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Amount |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bacon | Back, middle, streaky; smoked or unsmoked; fat eaten; dry-fried or fried in oil/fat (type used) or grilled rashers | Number of rashers |
| Baked beans | Standard, reduced salt or reduced sugar | Spoons, tin size e.g. 2449 |
| Beefburger (hamburger) | Home-made (ingredients), from a packet or take-away; fried (type of oil/fat), microwaved or grilled; economy; with or without bread roll, with or without salad e.g. lettuce, tomato | Large or small, ounces or in grams if info on package |
| Biscuits | What sort e.g. cheese, wafer, crispbread, sweet, chocolate (fully or half coated), shortbread, home-made | Number, size (standard or mini variety) |
| Bread (see also sandwiches) | Wholemeal, granary, white or brown; currant, fruit, malt; large or small loaf; sliced or unsliced loaf | Number of slices; thick, medium or thin slices |
| Bread rolls | Wholemeal, white or brown; alone or with filling; crusty or soft | Size, number of rolls |
| Breakfast cereal (see also porridge) | What sort e.g. Kellogg's cornflakes; any added fruit and/or nuts; Muesli - with added fruit, no added sugar/salt variety | Spoons |
| Buns and pastries | What sort e.g. iced, currant or plain, jam, custard, fruit, cream; type of pastry; homemade or bought | Size, number |
| Butter, margarine \& fat spreads | Give full product name | Thick, average, thin spread on bread/crackers; spoons |
| Cake | What sort: fruit (rich), sponge, fresh cream, iced, chocolate coated; type of filling e.g. buttercream, jam | Individual or size of slice, packet weight |
| Cereal bars | What sort; with fruit/nuts, coated with chocolate/yoghurt; fortified with vitamins/minerals | Weight/size of bar: from multipack |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Amount |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cheese | Name and type e.g. cheddar, cream, cottage, soft; low fat | Slices, spoons |
| Chips | Fresh, frozen, oven, microwave, take-away (where from); thick/straight/crinkle/fine cut; type of oil/fat used for cooking | Spoons, portion size, number of chips |
| Chocolate(s) | What sort e.g. plain, milk, white, fancy, diabetic; type of filling; give brand name | Number, weight/size of bar |
| Coffee | With milk (see section on milk); half milk/half water; all milk; ground/filter, instant; decaffeinated. If café/takeaway, was it cappuccino, latte etc | Cups or mugs, size of takeaway e.g. small, medium |
| Cook-in sauces | What sort; pasta, Indian, Chinese, Mexican; tomato, white or cheese based; does meat or veg come in sauce; jar or can | Spoons, size of can or jar |
| Cream | Single, whipped, double or clotted; dairy or non-dairy; low-fat; fresh, UHT/Longlife; imitation cream e.g. Elmlea | Spoons |
| Crisps | What sort e.g. potato, corn, wheat, maize, vegetable etc; flavour; low-fat or low-salt; premium variety e.g. Kettle chips; baked variety | Packet weight, standard or from multipack |
| Custard | Pouring custard or egg custard; made with powder and milk/sugar, instant, ready to serve (tinned or carton); low fat, sugar free | Spoons |
| Egg | Boiled, poached, fried, scrambled, omelette (with or without filling); type of oil/fat, milk added | Number of eggs, large, medium or small |
| Fish (including canned) | What sort e.g. cod, tuna, haddock; fried (type of oil/fat), grilled, poached (water or milk) or steamed; with batter or breadcrumbs; canned in oil, brine or tomato sauce | Size of can (e.g. 80 g or spoons for canned fish) or size of fillet |
| Fish cakes/fish fingers | Type of fish; fried, grilled, baked or microwaved; economy; battered or coated in breadcrumbs | Size, number |
| Fruit - fresh | What sort; with or without skin | Small, medium or large |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Amount |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fruit stewed/canned | What sort; sweetened or unsweetened; in fruit juice or syrup; juice or syrup eaten | Spoons |
| Fruit - juice (pure) | What sort e.g. apple, orange; sweetened or unsweetened; pasteurised or UHT/Longlife; freshly squeezed | Glass (size or volume) or carton size |
| Hot chocolate, cocoa malted drinks etc | Type; standard/low calorie/lite; instant; all water / half milk half water / all milk (see section on milk); any sugar added | Cup or mug plus how much powder e.g. teaspoons, weight on packet |
| Ice cream | Flavour; dairy or non-dairy alternatives e.g. soya; luxury/premium | Spoons/ scoops |
| Jam, honey | What sort; low-sugar/diabetic; shop bought or homemade | Spoons, heaped or level, or thin or thick spread |
| Marmalade | What sort; low-sugar; thick cut; shop bought or homemade | Spoons, heaped or level, or thin or thick spread |
| Meat (see also bacon, burgers \& sausages) | What sort; cut of meat e.g. chop, breast, minced; lean or fatty; fat removed or eaten; skin removed or eaten; how cooked; with or without gravy | Large/small/medium, spoons, slices |
| Milk | What sort; whole, semi-skimmed, skimmed or $1 \%$ fat; fresh, sterilized, UHT, dried; soya milk (sweetened/unsweetened), goats' milk, rice milk, oat milk; flavoured; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals | Pints, glass (size or volume) or cup. On cereal: damp/average/ drowned. In tea/coffee: a little/somela lot |
| Milkshake | Fresh or long life/UHT; dairy or non-dairy alternative e.g. soya; if powder, made up with whole, semi-skimmed, skimmed milk; flavour; fortified with vitamins and/or minerals | Glass (size or volume) cups or volume on bottle/carton |
| Nuts | What sort; dry roasted, ordinary salted, honey roasted; unsalted | Packet weight, handful |
| Pie (sweet or savoury) | What sort/filling: one pastry crust or two; type of pastry | Individual or slice |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Amount |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Pizza | Thin base/deep pan or French bread; topping e.g. meat, fish, veg; stuffed crust | Individual, slice, fraction of <br> large pizza e.g. $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Porridge | Made with oats or cornmeal or instant oat cereal; made with milk and/or water; added <br> sugar, honey, syrup or salt; with milk or cream | Spoons or bowl size (small, <br> medium, large) |
| Potatoes (see also <br> chips) | Old or new; baked, boiled, roast (type of oil/fat); skin eaten; mashed/creamed (with <br> butter, milk etc); fried/chips (type of oil/fat); instant; any additions e.g. butter | Spoons for mash, number of <br> half or whole potatoes |
| Pudding | What sort; e.g. steamed sponge; with fruit; mousse; instant desserts; milk puddings | Spoons, slices |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Amount |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Scone | Fruit, sweet, plain, cheese; type of flour | Number, size |
| Savoury snacks - in packet | What sort: e.g. Cheddars, cheese straws, Twiglets, Pretzels | Size (standard or mini variety), packet weight |
| Smoothies | If homemade give recipe. If shop-bought, what does it contain e.g. fruit, milk/yoghurt, fruit juice | Glass or bottle (size or volume) |
| Soft drinks concentrated/squash /cordial | Flavour; no added sugar/low calorie/sugar free; "high" juice; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals | Glass (size or volume) |
| Soft drinks carbonated/fizzy | Flavour: diet/low-calorie; canned or bottled; cola - caffeine free | Glass, can or bottle (size or volume, e.g. 330 ml ) |
| Soft drinks - ready to drink | Flavour: no added sugar/low calorie/sugar free; does it contain real fruit juice, if so, how much?; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals | Glass, carton or bottle (size or volume, e.g. 200ml) |
| Soup | What sort; cream or clear; fresh/chilled, canned, instant or vending machine. If homemade, give recipe | Spoons, bowl or mug |
| Spaghetti, other pasta | What sort; fresh or dried; white, wholemeal; boiled, canned in sauce; type of filling if ravioli, cannelloni etc | Spoons (or how much dry pasta) |
| Sugar | Added to cereals, tea, coffee, fruit, etc; what sort; e.g. white, brown, demerara | Heaped or level teaspoons |
| Sweets | What sort: e.g. toffees, boiled sweets, diabetic, sugar-free | Number, packet weight |
| Tea | with/without milk (see section on milk); decaffeinated, herb | Mugs or cups |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Amount |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Vegetables (not including potatoes) | What sort; how cooked or raw; additions e.g. butter, other fat or sauce | Spoons, number of florets or sprouts, weight from tins or packet |
| Yoghurt (inc drinking yoghurt), fromage frais | What sort: e.g. natural/plain or flavoured; creamy, Greek, low-fat, very low fat/diet, soya; with fruit pieces or fruit flavoured; twinpot; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals; longlife/UHT; probiotic | Pot size (e.g. 150g) or tablespoons |
| Home-made dishes | Please say what the dish is called (record recipe or details of dish if you can in the section provided) | Spoons or proportion of the recipe e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ the recipe |
| Ready-made meals | Please give brand name and full description of product; did it contain any accompaniments e.g. rice, vegetables, sauces; chilled or frozen; microwaved, oven cooked, boil-in-the-bag; low fat, healthy eating range. Enclose label and ingredients list if possible in your plastic bag | Packet weight, portion size |
| Take-away food or food eaten out | Please say what the dish is called and give main ingredients if you can. Give name of a chain restaurant e.g. McDonalds | Spoons, portion size e.g. small/medium/large |

Typical quantities of drinks in various containers measured in millilitres ( ml )

|  | Small <br> Glass | Average <br> Glass | Large <br> Glass | Vending <br> Cup | Cup | Mug |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Soft Drinks | 150 | 200 | 300 |  |  |  |
| Hot Drinks |  |  |  | 170 | 190 | 260 |

Here is a life size glass showing what typical quantities look like. You can use this picture as a guide for estimating how much volume of drink the glass holds you are drinking from.





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Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$
If your intake was not usual, please explain why:
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- Was the amount you had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks [and alcohol], about what you usually have, less than usual, or more than usual?
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Usual $\square$
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- There are some foods that people often forget
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- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Milk
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

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If yes, please describe the supplements you took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up
dishes or take-away dishes.

## Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes



Remember to complete the general questions on pages 49-54!


| ay |  |  | Day: | Date: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? <br> with whom? <br> TV on? <br> Table? | what | Brand Name | Amount eaten |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
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| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
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## Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes



## General Questions about your food/drink during the recording period.

## Special diet

1. Did you follow a special diet during the recording period? (please tick)

|  | To lose weight |  | Other e.g. vegetarian (please give more details below) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | To gain weight |  | No special diet |
|  | For medical reasons e.g. diabetes (please give more details below) |  |  |

## Further details:

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## Milk

2. Which type of milk did you use most often during the recording period?

| Whole, fresh, |
| ---: |
| pasteurised |$\square$| Semi-skimmed fresh, |
| ---: |
| pasteurised |,$\square$| Skimmed (fat free) |
| ---: |
| fresh, pasteurised |$\square$| $1 \%$ fat milk, fresh |
| ---: |
| pasteurised |$\quad \square$



## Water

3. Which type of water did you drink most often during the recording period?
Tap $\square$ Filtered $\square$ Bottled $\square$ brand $\quad$ Did not drink $\square$

## Tea and coffee

4. How much milk did you usually have in coffee/ tea?

5. Did you usually sweeten your coffee/ tea with sugar?

| Coffee | Yes $\square$ | How many teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ | No/did not drink $\square$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tea | Yes $\square$ | How many teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ | No/did not drink $\square$ |

6. Did you usually sweeten your coffee/ tea with artificial sweetener?

| Coffee | Yes $\square$ | How many tablets or teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ | No/did not drink $\square$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tea | Yes $\square$ | How many tablets or teaspoons in a mug/cup? $\square$ | No/did not drink $\square$ |

7. Did you drink decaffeinated coffee/ tea during the recording period?


## Breakfast cereals

8. How much milk did you usually have on breakfast cereal?

9. How did you usually make your porridge?

10. Did you usually sweeten or salt your porridge?

11. How did you usually make your instant oat cereal? e.g. Ready Brek

12. Did you usually sweeten or salt your instant oat cereal?


## Fats for spreading and cooking

13. Which butter, margarine or fat spread did you use most often during the recording period? Please record the full product name and fat content e.g. Flora Omega 3 plus, low fat spread, 38\% fat, polyunsaturated
Name:

None $\square$
14. How thickly did you spread butter, margarine on bread, crackers etc?
Thick $\square$ Medium $\square$ Thin $\square$ None $\square$
15. Which cooking fat/oil did your household use most often over the recording period? Please record the full product name.
e.g. Sainsbury's sunflower oil

Name:

None $\square$

## Bread

16. Which type of bread did you eat most often during the recording period?


50/50 bread e.g.
$\square$
Other $\square$
$\square$ Did not eat $\square$
17. Was it a large loaf or a small loaf?
Large $\square$ Small $\square$
18. If the bread was shop bought, how was it sliced?


## Meat

19. If you ate red meat during the recording period, did you eat the visible fat?

20. If you ate poultry (e.g. chicken, turkey) during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$ Did not eat poultry $\square$

## Fruit and vegetables

21. If you ate apples during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

22. If you ate pears during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

23. If you ate new potatoes during the recording period, did you eat the skin?

24. If you ate baked/jacket potatoes during the recording period, did you eat the skin?


## Salt

25. Do you add salt to your food at the table?

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$
26. Do you add salt substitute to your food at the table? e.g. LoSalt

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$

## Cordial/squash/diluting juice

27. Which type of squash/cordial did you drink most often during the recording period? Standard No added sugar /diet/low calorie $\square$ Did not drink $\square$
28. Which squash did you use most often during the recording period? Please record the full product name e.g. Robinsons Peach Fruit \& Barley no added sugar

| Name: |
| :--- |
| Single concentrate $\square \quad$ Double concentrate $\square$ |

29. How much do you usually dilute your squash (e.g. half squash/half water, or 1 part squash with 4 parts water)? Please tell us: $\qquad$

## Other soft drinks

30. For other soft drinks such as ready-to-drink juices and carbonated drinks, which type did you have most often during the recording period?

$$
\text { Standard } \square \quad \text { No added sugar /diet/low calorie } \square \quad \text { Did not drink } \square
$$

If you are able to, please use a measuring jug to measure your usual drinking vessels e.g. mug, glass, cup, beaker, bottle etc. and provide the volumes below

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# NATIONAL DIET AND NUTRITION SURVEY 

## Food and Drink Diary

Children aged 1.5 to 3 years (v2)

DIARY START DATE: $\qquad$

SERIAL NUMBER (8 digits)

CKL

PARTICIPANT No

First name: $\square$

Sex: Male / Female
Date of birth: $\square$

INTERVIEWER NUMBER:


INTERVIEWER NAME: $\square$

# NATIONAL DIET AND NUTRITION SURVEY Food and Drink Diary 

## Children aged 1.5 to 3 years

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## PLEASE READ THROUGH THESE PAGES BEFORE STARTING THE FOOD DIARY

We would like you to record in this diary everything your toddler eats and drinks, at meal times and in between, day and night for 4 days. Please include all food consumed at home and outside the home.

## Time spent in the care of other

If your toddler spends time in the care of others during the recording period then we would very much appreciate if those carers (e.g. crèche staff, childminder, friend) would provide details of the food and drink consumed. For this purpose you have been given a pack to pass on to carers explaining about the study and asking for their support in gathering the required information.

## Please provide the following information for each day of recording:

## Day and Date

Please write down the day and date at the top each time you start a new day of recording.

## Time Slots

Please note the time of each eating occasion into the space provided. For easy use each day is divided into sections, from first thing in the morning to late evening and through the night.

## Where and with whom?

Please tell us what room or part of the house your toddler was in when eating, e.g. kitchen, living room. If $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{he}$ ate outside the home please write that location down. We would also like to know who your toddler ate with, e.g. whether s/he ate alone or with others. If they ate with others please describe their relationship to the child e.g. parents, siblings, or friends. We would also like to know when they ate at a table and when they were watching television whilst eating. For those occasions where they were not at a table or watching TV please write 'Not at table' or 'No TV' rather than leaving it blank.

## What does your toddler eat?

Please describe the food your toddler ate in as much detail as possible. Include all meals and all snacks. Be as specific as you can. Pages $23-28$ will help with the sort of detail we need, like cooking methods (fried, grilled, baked etc) and any additions (fats, sugar/sweeteners, sauces, pepper etc).

## - Recipes/Homemade dishes

If your toddler has eaten any homemade dishes e.g. chicken casserole, please record the name of the recipe, ingredients with amounts (including water or other fluids) for the whole recipe, the number of people the recipe is for, and the cooking method. Write this down in the recipe section for each food record day. Record how much of the whole recipe your toddler ate in the portion size column (see examples on pages 9 and 15).

## - Take-aways and eating out

If your toddler has eaten take-aways or made up dishes not prepared at home such as at a restaurant or a friend's house, please record as much detail about the ingredients as you can e.g. spaghetti with mince, onion and tomato sauce.

## Brand name

Please note the brand name (if known). Most packed foods will list a brand name, e.g. Bird's eye, Hovis, or Supermarket own brands.

## Labels/Wrappers

Labels are an important source of information. It helps us a great deal if you enclose, in the plastic bag provided, labels from all ready meals, from foods of lesser known brands and also from any supplements your toddler takes.

## Portion sizes

Examples for how to describe the quantity or portion size your toddler had of a particular food or drink are shown on pages 23-28.
For foods, quantity can be described using:

- household measure e.g. one level teaspoon (tsp) of sugar, two thick slices of bread, 1 dessertspoon (dsp) of peas, $1 / 2$ cup of gravy. Be careful when describing amounts in spoons that you are referring to the correct spoon size. Compare the spoons you use with the life size photos on pages 30-31 of this diary.
- weights from labels - use the weight marked on canned or packet foods, e.g. quarter of a 420 g tin of baked beans, one 125 g pot of yoghurt
- number of items, e.g. 2 fish fingers, 2 pieces of chicken nuggets, 1 regular size jam filled doughnut
- fruit, indicate whether the piece of fruit is small, medium or large For drinks, quantity can be described using:
- the size of glass, cup etc (e.g. large) or the volume (e.g. 300ml). Please provide a measurement of your toddler's usual drinking 'cup' on page 31 .
- volumes from labels (e.g. 330 ml can of fizzy drink).

We would like to know the amount that your toddler actually ate which means taking leftovers into account. You can do this in two ways:

1. Record what was served and note what was not eaten e.g. 3 dsp of peas, only 2 dsp eaten; 1 weetabix, ate only $1 / 2$
2. Only record the amount actually eaten i.e. 2 dsp of peas; $1 / 2$ weetabix

## Was it a typical day?

After each day of recording you will be prompted to tell us whether this was a typical day or whether there were any reasons why your toddler consumed more or less than usual. We have provided a list of commonly forgotten food and drink to help jog your memory at the end of each day for anything you may have forgotten to record.

## Supplements

At the end of each recording day there is a section for providing information about any supplements your toddler took. Brand name, full name of supplement, strength and the amount taken should be recorded.

## When to fill in the diary

Please record your toddler's eating as you go, not from memory at the end of the day. Use written notes on a pad if you forget to take the diary with you. Each diary day covers a 24 hr period, so please include any food or drinks that your toddler may have had during the night. Remember to include foods and drinks between meals (snacks) including water.

Overleaf you can see 2 days that have already been filled in. These examples show you how we would like you to record your toddler's food and drink, for example a meal from a jar and a homemade dish.

It only takes a few minutes for each eating occasion!
Thank you for your time - we really appreciate it

| Day 1: Thurs |  | Date: 31 March 2007 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time | Where? With whom? TV on? Table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-28 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
| 8 m | Living Room <br> Family <br> TV on <br> Not at table | Follow on Milk | SMA Progress | 240ml bottle (as pack instructions) |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
| 10am | Kitchen Mother No TV At table | Weetabix | Weetabix | 1 biscuit |
|  |  | Full fat milk | Sainsbury's | drowned <br> (about 1 dsp milk leftover) |
|  |  | white sugar | Tate and Lyle | 2 tsp |
| $\begin{aligned} & 11.30 \\ & \mathrm{am} \end{aligned}$ | Living Room <br> Family <br> TV on <br> Not at table | bread | Granary from bakers, medium cut | 1 slice |
|  |  | margarine | Flora light spread | medium spread |
|  |  |  | Sainsbury's | 200ml carton (drank $1 / 2$ of it) |


| Time | Where? With whom? TV on? Table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
| 1pm | Kitchen Family No TV At table | Chunky Vegetable Risotto <br> Peeled apple <br> Strawberry and Raspberry Yoghurt | Heinz Mum's Own <br> Petit Filous | 230g- only ate $2 / 3$ of jar <br> 3 slices <br> 4 heaped tsp |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
| 4pm | Lounge Grandfather No TV Not at table | Very weak black tea (in plastic trainer cup with lid) Semi-skimmed milk <br> Fairy cake (see recipe) | PG tips <br> Sainsbury's | 3/4 cup mixed with <br> 1/4 cup <br> (1/2 leftover) <br> $3 / 4$ of one cake eaten |


| Time | Where? <br> With whom? <br> TV on? <br> Table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation <br> 6.15 <br> $p m$ | Kitchen <br> Family <br> No TV <br> At table | Broccoli, Pear and Peas Puree <br> Vegetables with Noodles and Chicken <br> (12months) <br> Water |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

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If the intake was not usual, please explain why: Feeling unwell

- Did your toddler finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?

No $\square$
If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers
- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Milk
- Sauce, dressing
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If yes, please describe the supplements $\mathbf{s} / \mathrm{he}$ took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bassets | Soft and chewy multivitamins (label in zip bag) | 1 pastille |
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| Day: | Friday | Date: 28.09.2007 |  |  |
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| Time | Where? With whom? TV on? Table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-28 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6.30 \\ a m \end{gathered}$ | Bedroom Mother No TV Not at table | Biscuit for Babies + Toddlers | Cow and Gate | $1$ |
| $\begin{gathered} 7.00 \\ a m \end{gathered}$ | Kitchen Family No TV At table | Rice Krispies <br> Whole milk <br> Frutapura, Plum and Apple Pure apple and blackcurrant juice diluted with tap water | Kelloggs <br> Asda <br> Cow and Gate Heinz | $7 d s p$ damp 1x 100 g pot 60ml juice 240 ml (drank most of it by lunch about $1 / 4$ leftover) |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9.30 \\ a m \end{gathered}$ | Playroom Childminder and 3 other children No TV At table | Banana <br> Great stuff mini raisins | Asda | Medium size, ½ eaten 14g pack |


| Time | Where? With whom? TV on? Table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 12.00 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Dining room Childminder and 3 other children No TV At table | Prepared packed lunch: <br> White bread, thick cut <br> Butter unsalted <br> Cheese triangle <br> Ham, honey roast <br> Cheese curls <br> green seedless grapes <br> Fromage frais with layer of peach puree <br> Semi-skimmed milk <br> Fruit shoot apple, no added sugar | Kingsmill <br> Lurpak <br> Dairylea <br> Asda <br> Quakers <br> Yoplait <br> Sainsburys <br> Robinsons | 2 slices <br> Thinly spread on one slice only <br> Ate $1 / 2$ <br> $1 / 2$ slice <br> 8 pieces <br> 8 grapes <br> 60 g (ate half) <br> 160ml (drank all) <br> 200ml |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 3.15 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Playroom Childminder and 3 other children No TV <br> At table | Apple, peeled <br> Milky way <br> Water | Granny smith tap | Medium size, $1 / 4$ eaten <br> 1 fun size <br> about 100 ml (numerous sips) |


| Time | Where? With whom? TV on? Table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5pm to 8pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6.00 \\ p m \end{gathered}$ | Dining room Family No TV At table | Homemade sausage casserole (see recipe) <br> Penne pasta, boiled | Sainsbury's | 1 tbsp 2 tbsp (about half a tbsp pasta leftover) |
| 8pm to 10pm |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 8.15 \\ & p m \end{aligned}$ | Living room Mother TV on Not at table | Whole milk | Asda | 250ml bottle (about 25 ml left over) |
| 10pm to 6am |  |  |  |  |
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| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Abidec | Multivitamin syrup with omega 3 | 5 ml (1 teasp) |
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## Write in recipes or ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes

| NAME OF DISH: Sausage casserole | SERVES: 4 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients | Amount |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  | 2 tsp |  |
| Butchers Choice pork sausages | 4 sausages | Cornflour | About $1 / 2$ tsp |
| Onion | 1 medium size | Mixed herbs | 1.5 tbsp |
| Mushrooms, Champignons | $1 / 4$ of 500g pack | Sainsbury's vegetable oil |  |
| Napoli chopped tomatoes | $1 \times 400 g$ tin |  |  |
| Sainsbury's mixed salad beans | $1 \times 125 g$ tin |  |  |
| Oxo gravy | 1 cube in $1 / 2$ <br> water pint of |  |  |
| Heinz tomato ketchup | 1 tbsp |  |  |
| Brief description of cooking method <br> Brown onions and sausages in vegetable oil. Add mushrooms, tomatoes, beans and gravy and simmer. <br> cornflour and add herbs. |  |  |  |

## PRACTICE PAGES

Use this space to practise recording in the diary with your interviewer

Please do not use these pages for the recording period

| PRACTICE PAGE |  | Date: |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time |  | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-28 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |
| 9am to 12 noon |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |


| Time | Where? With Whom? TV on? At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or quantity eaten |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 noon to 2pm |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |
| 2pm to 5pm |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Practice Page |  |  |



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| NAME OF DISH: | Serves: |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Ingredients | Amount | Ingredients | Amount |  |
| Don't forget to include any oil or water/stock used!! |  |  |  |  |
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Brief description of cooking method

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bacon | Back, middle, streaky; smoked or un-smoked; fat eaten; dry-fried or <br> fried in oil/fat (type used) or grilled rashers | Number of rashers |
| Baked beans | Standard, reduced salt or reduced sugar | Spoons, weight of tin |
| Beefburger <br> (hamburger) | Home-made (ingredients), from a packet or take-away; fried (type of <br> oil/fat), microwaved or grilled; economy; with or without bread roll, <br> with or without salad e.g. lettuce, tomato | Large or small, ounces or <br> in grams if info on <br> package |
| Biscuits | What sort e.g. cheese, wafer, crispbread, sweet, chocolate (fully or <br> half coated), shortbread, home-made | Number, size (standard <br> or mini variety) |
| Bread <br> (see also sandwiches) | Wholemeal, granary, white or brown; currant, fruit, malt; large or <br> small loaf; sliced or unsliced loaf | Number of slices; thick, <br> medium or thin slices |
| Bread rolls | Wholemeal, white or brown; alone or with filling; crusty or soft | Size, number of rolls |
| Breakfast cereal (see <br> also porridge) | What sort e.g. Kellogg's cornflakes; any added fruit and/or nuts; <br> Muesli - with added fruit, no added sugar/salt variety | Spoons or size of bowl |
| Buns and pastries | What sort e.g. iced, currant or plain, jam, custard, fruit, cream; type <br> of pastry; homemade or bought | Size, number |
| Butter, margarine \& fat <br> spreads | Give full product name | Thick/average/thin <br> spread; spoons |
| Cake | What sort: fruit (rich), sponge, fresh cream, iced, chocolate coated; <br> type of filling e.g. buttercream, jam | Individual or size of slice, <br> packet weight |

Spoon size does matter!!!! When describing amounts check the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 30 of this

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
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| Cereal bars | What sort; with fruit/nuts, coated with chocolate/yoghurt; fortified <br> with vitamins/minerals | Weight/size of bar; from <br> multipack |
| Cheese | Type e.g. cheddar, cream, cottage, soft; low fat | Number of slices, <br> number of spoons |
| Chips | Fresh, frozen, oven, microwave, take-away (where from); <br> thick/straight/crinkle/fine cut; type of oil/fat used for cooking | Spoons or number of <br> chips |
| Chocolate(s) | What sort e.g. plain, milk, white, fancy, diabetic; type of filling | Weight/size of bar |
| Cook-in sauces | What sort; pasta, Indian, Chinese, Mexican; tomato, white or <br> cheese based; does meat or veg come in sauce; jar or can | Spoons, size of can or jar |
| Cream | Single, whipped, double or clotted; dairy or non-dairy; low-fat; fresh, <br> UHT/Longlife; imitation cream e.g. Elmlea | Spoons |
| Crisps | What sort e.g. potato, corn, wheat, maize, vegetable etc; low-fat or <br> low-salt; premium variety e.g. Kettle chips, Walker's Sensations | Packet weight |
| Custard | Pouring custard or egg custard; made with powder and milk/sugar, <br> instant, ready to serve (tinned or carton); low fat, sugar free | Spoons |
| Egg | Boiled, poached, fried, scrambled, omelette (with or without filling); <br> type of oil/fat, milk added | Number of eggs, large, <br> medium or small |
| Fish (including canned) | What sort e.g. cod, tuna; fried (type of oil/fat), grilled, poached <br> (water or milk) or steamed; with batter or breadcrumbs; canned in <br> oil, brine or tomato sauce | Size of can or spoons <br> (for canned fish) or size <br> of fillet |

Spoon size does matter!!!! When describing amounts check the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 30 of this diary

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
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| Fish cakes \& fish fingers | Type of fish; plain or battered or in breadcrumbs; fried, grilled, <br> baked or microwaved; economy | Size, number, <br> packet weight |
| Fruit - fresh | What sort; eaten with or without skin | Small, medium or large |
| Fruit - stewed/canned | What sort; sweetened or unsweetened; in fruit juice or syrup; juice <br> or syrup eaten | Spoons, weight of can |
| Fruit - juice (pure) | What sort e.g. apple, orange; sweetened or unsweetened; <br> pasteurised or UHT/Longlife; freshly squeezed; added <br> vitamins/minerals, omega 3 | Glass (size or volume) or <br> carton size |
| Ice cream | Flavour; dairy or non-dairy alternatives e.g. soya; luxury/premium | Spoons/ scoops |
| Jam, honey | What sort; low-sugar/diabetic; shop bought/brand or homemade | Spoons, heaped or level, <br> or thin or thick spread |
| Marmalade | Type; low-sugar; thick cut; shop bought/brand or homemade | Spoons, heaped or level, <br> or thin or thick spread |
| Meat (see also bacon, <br> burgers \& sausages) | What sort; cut of meat e.g. chop, breast, minced; lean or fatty; fat <br> removed or eaten; skin removed or eaten; how cooked; with or <br> without gravy | Large/small/medium, <br> spoons, slices |
| Milkshake | Fresh or long life/UHT; dairy or non-dairy alternative e.g. soya; if <br> powder, made up with whole, semi-skimmed, skimmed milk; <br> flavour; fortified with vitamins and/or minerals | Glass (size or volume) <br> cups or volume on <br> bottle/carton |

Spoon size does matter!!!! When describing amounts check the spoons you use with the life size pictures on page 30 of this diary

| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
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| Milk | Type (whole, semi-skimmed, skimmed, 1\% fat); fresh, sterilized, <br> UHT, dried; soya milk (sweetened/unsweetened), goats' milk, rice <br> milk; flavoured; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals; <br> formula milks for toddlers | Pints, glass (size or <br> volume) or cup. On <br> cereal: damp/average/ <br> drowned or fluid <br> ounces/ml. In tea/coffee: <br> a little/some/a lot <br> Formula: proportion of <br> formula to water |
| Nuts | What sort; dry roasted, ordinary salted, honey roasted; unsalted | Packet weight, handful |
| Pie (sweet or savoury) | What sort/filling; one pastry crust or two; type of pastry | Individual or slice |
| Pizza | Thin base/deep pan or French bread; topping e.g. meat, fish, veg; <br> stuffed crust | Individual, slice, fraction <br> of large pizza e.g. $1 / 4$ |
| Porridge | Made with oats or cornmeal or instant oat cereal; made with milk <br> and/or water; added sugar, honey, syrup or salt; with milk or cream | Bowls, spoons |
| Potatoes |  |  |
| (see also chips) | Old or new; baked, boiled, roast (type of oil/fat); skin eaten; mashed <br> (with butter/spread and with or without milk); fried/chips (type of <br> oil/fat); instant; any additions e.g. butter <br> What sort; e.g. steamed sponge; with fruit; mousse; instant | Mash - spoons, number <br> of half or whole potatoes, <br> small or large potatoes |
| Pudding | Whatdings <br> desserts; milk pudding | Spoons |
| Rice | What sort; e.g. basmati, easy cook, long or short grain; white or <br> brown; boiled or fried (type of oil/fat) | Spoons |
| Salad | Ingredients; if with dressing what sort (oil and vinegar, mayonnaise) | Amount of each <br> component |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
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| Sandwiches and rolls | Type of bread/roll (see Bread \& Rolls); butter or margarine; type of <br> filling; including salad, mayonnaise, pickle etc. If shop-bought, <br> where from? | Number of rolls or slices <br> of bread; amount of <br> butter/margarine (on both <br> slices?); amount of filling |
| Sauce - cold (including <br> mayonnaise) | Tomato ketchup, brown sauce, soy sauce, salad cream, <br> mayonnaise; low fat; | Spoons |
| Sauce - hot (see also <br> cook-in sauces) | What sort; savoury or sweet; thick or thin; for gravy - made with <br> granules, stock cube, dripping or meat juices | Spoons |
| Sausages | What sort; e.g. beef, pork; fried (type of oil/fat) or grilled; low fat | Large or small, number |
| Sausage rolls | Type of pastry | Size - jumbo, standard, <br> mini |
| Scone | Fruit, sweet, plain, cheese; type of flour; homemade | Small, medium or large |
| Savoury snacks - in <br> packet | What sort: e.g. Cheddars, cheese straws, Twiglets, Pretzels | Size (standard or mini <br> variety), packet weight |
| Smoothies | If homemade give recipe, If shop-bought, what does it contain e.g. <br> fruit, milk/yoghurt, fruit juice | Glass or bottle (size or <br> volume) |
| Soft drinks - squash// <br> concentrate/cordial | Flavour; no added sugar/low calorie/sugar free; "high" juice; fortified <br> with added vitamins and/or minerals | Glass (size or volume) |
| Soft drinks - <br> carbonated/fizzy | Flavour; diet/low-calorie; canned or bottled; cola - caffeine free | Glass, can or bottle (size <br> or volume) |
| Soft drinks - ready to <br> drink | Flavour; no added sugar/low calorie/sugar free; real fruit juice? If <br> so, how much?; fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals | Glass, carton or bottle <br> (size or volume) |


| Food/Drink | Description \& Preparation | Portion size or quantity |
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| Soup | What sort; cream or clear; fresh/chilled, canned, instant or vending <br> machine. If home-made, give recipe | Spoons, bowl or mug |
| Spaghetti, other pasta | What sort; fresh/chilled or dried; white, wholemeal; canned in <br> sauce; type of filling if ravioli, cannelloni etc | Spoons (or how much <br> dry pasta) |
| Toddler foods | Food in jars: description and ingredients (e.g. vegetable risotto, fruit <br> puree); Dry Foods: description (e.g. baby rice, cauliflower cheese); <br> made up with milk and/or water | Size of jar or packet, <br> spoons for powdered foods <br> (volume of water/milk <br> used to mix with cereal or <br> powder) |
| Vegetables (not <br> including potatoes) | What sort; how cooked/raw; additions e.g. butter, other fat or sauce | Spoons, number of <br> florets or sprouts, weight <br> from tins or packet |
| Yoghurt (inc drinking <br> yoghurt), fromage frais | What sort: e.g. natural/plain or flavoured; creamy, Greek, low-fat, <br> very low fat/diet, soya; with fruit pieces or fruit flavoured; twinpot; <br> fortified with added vitamins and/or minerals; longlife/UHT; probiotic | Pot size or spoons |
| Home-made dishes | Please say what the dish is called (record recipe or details of dish if <br> you can in the section provided) and how many persons it serves | Spoons - heaped or <br> level, number, size, <br> amount of recipe <br> consumed e.g. $1 / 4$ |
| Ready-made meals | Full description of product; does it contain any accompaniments <br> e.g. rice, vegetables, sauces; chilled or frozen; microwaved, oven <br> cooked, boil-in-the-bag; low fat, healthy eating range. Enclose label <br> and ingredients list if possible in your plastic bag | Packet weight (if didn't <br> eat whole packet <br> describe portion <br> consumed) |
| Take-away food or food <br> eaten out | Please say what the dish is called and give main ingredients if you <br> can. Give name of a chain restaurant e.g. McDonalds | Spoons, portion size e.g. <br> small/medium/large |




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- Was the amount of food that your toddler had today about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?


Less than usual $\quad \square$
More than usual $\square$
If the intake was not usual, please explain why:

- Was the amount your toddler had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks, about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?


If the intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did your toddler finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?


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& \text { No } \square \\
& \text { If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers }
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- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Milk
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did your toddler take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements $\mathbf{s} / \mathrm{he}$ took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.

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| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-28 |  |  |  |  |
| 6am to 9am |  |  |  |  |
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- Was the amount of food that your toddler had today about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?


Less than usual $\quad \square$
More than usual $\square$
If the intake was not usual, please explain why:

- Was the amount your toddler had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks, about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?
$\square$ Usual
Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If the intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did your toddler finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?


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- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Milk
- Sauce, dressing
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did your toddler take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements s/he took below

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| How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-28 |  |  |  |  |
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- Was the amount of food that your toddler had today about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?


Less than usual $\quad \square$
More than usual $\square$
If the intake was not usual, please explain why:

- Was the amount your toddler had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks, about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?
$\square$ Usual
Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If the intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did your toddler finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?


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& \text { No } \square \\
& \text { If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers }
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- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Milk
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks
- Sauce, dressing

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did your toddler take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements s/he took below

| Brand | Name (in full) including strength | Number of pills, capsules, <br> teaspoons |
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Please record on the next pages details of any recipes or (if not already described) ingredients of made up dishes or take-away dishes.

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Please remember to complete the general questions on pages 64-71!

| Day 4: |  | Date: |  |  |
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| Time | Where? <br> With whom? <br> TV on? <br> At table? | Food/Drink description \& preparation | Brand Name | Portion size or <br> quantity eaten |

How to describe what you had and how much you had can be found on pages 23-28

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- Was the amount of food that your toddler had today about what s/he usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?

Less than usual $\square$ More than usual $\square$

If the intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Was the amount your toddler had to drink today, including water, tea, coffee and soft drinks, about what $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{he}$ usually has, less than usual, or more than usual?
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If the intake was not usual, please explain why: $\qquad$

- Did your toddler finish all the food and drink that you recorded in the diary today?


If no, please go back to the diary and make a note of any leftovers

- There are some foods that people often forget
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, water
- Milk
- Sauce, dressing
- Biscuits, cakes, sweets, chocolate, other confectionary
- Crisps/nuts/other snacks

If you have forgotten to record any food or drink today, please go back and add them to the diary.

- Did your toddler take any vitamins, minerals or other food supplements today?


If yes, please describe the supplements $\mathbf{s} /$ he took below

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Brief description of cooking method

PLEASE complete the questions over the page

## General questions about the frequency of eating outside the home

Is your toddler regularly cared for outside the home e.g. child minder, nursery, relative?

NO $\quad \square$
YES $\square$
If YES

1(a) How many meals would she/he have in 'out-of-home care' per week? Please specify

1(b) Are these out-of-home meals prepared by yourself?

> NO

YES
$\square$

## SOMETIMES

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Please specify

2 What type of soft drinks (e.g. squash, ready to drink, carbonated) does she/he usually have in 'out-of-home care'?

STANDARD
NO ADDED SUGAR/DIET/LOW CAL
 EITHER (see below) $\square$
If either, please specify e.g. has No Added Sugar at nursery but standard at the childminder's

If your nursery provides a copy of the nursery menu for the recording period we would appreciate if you could give this copy to the interviewer. This will help us later with the analysis of your toddler's diet.

## General questions about your toddler's food/ drink during the recording period.

## Special diet

1. Did your toddler follow a special diet during the recording period e.g. vegetarian, milk-free, other?

2. What type of milk does your toddler usually drink? Tick only one

Infant formula $\square$ $1 \%$ fat milk
Soya formulaFollow-on formula
Whole milk (cow's milk)Soya milk
Semi skimmed milk (cow's milk) $\square$ Goat's milk
Skimmed milk (cow's milk) $\square$ Other $\square$
Please specify the brand/type if not cow's milk

## Breakfast cereals

3. How much milk does your toddler usually have on breakfast cereal?

4. How do you usually make porridge for your toddler?
$\square$ With all milk $\square$ With milk and water $\square$ Did not eat $\qquad$
5. Did you usually sweeten or salt the porridge?
With sugar $\square \quad$ With honey $\square \quad$ With salt $\square \quad$ Neither/did not eat $\square$
6. How did you usually make instant oat cereal for your toddler?
With all water $\square$
$\square$ With milk and water $\qquad$
Did not eat $\square$
7. Did you usually sweeten or salt the instant oat cereal?

With sugar $\square$ $\square$ With salt $\square$ Neither/did not eat $\square$

## Fats for spreading and cooking

8. Which butter, margarine or fat spread did you use most often for your toddler during the recording period? Please record the full product name and fat content. Name:
$\square$ e.g. Flora Omega 3 plus, low fat spread, 38\% fat, polyunsaturated
9. How thickly did you spread butter, margarine on bread, crackers for your toddler?

10. Which cooking fat/oil did your household use most often during the recording period? Please record the full product name.
e.g. Sainsbury's sunflower oil

Name:
None $\square$

## Bread

11. Which type of bread did your toddler eat most often during the recording period?

| White $\square$ | Granary $\square$ | Wholemeal $\square$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |$\quad$ Brown $\square \square$

Did not eat $\square$
12. Was it a large loaf or a small loaf?

13. If the bread was shop bought, how was it sliced?


## Meat

14. If your toddler ate meat during the recording period, did $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{he}$ eat the visible fat?

15. If your toddler ate poultry (e.g. chicken, turkey) during the recording period, did s/he eat the skin?


## Fruit and vegetables

16. If your toddler ate apples during the recording period, did s/he eat the skin?

17. If your toddler ate pears during the recording period, did $s /$ he eat the skin?
Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square \quad$ Never $\square \quad$ Did not eat $\square$
18. If your toddler ate new potatoes during the recording period, did $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{he}$ eat the skin?

19. If your toddler ate baked (jacket) potatoes during the recording period, did $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{he}$ eat the skin?

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$ Did not eat $\square$

## Salt

20. Do you add salt to your toddler's food at the table?

Always $\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never $\square$
21. Do you add salt substitute to your toddler's food at the table? e.g. LoSalt


## Cordial/squash/diluting juice

22. Which type of squash/cordial did your toddler drink most often during the recording period?
Standard $\square$ No added sugar/diet/low calorie $\square$ Did not drink $\square$
23. Which squash did you use most often during the recording period? Please record the full product name e.g. Robinsons Peach Fruit \& Barley no added sugar

## Name:

Single Concentrate $\square$ Double Concentrate $\square$
24. How much do you usually dilute your toddler's squash (e.g. half squash/half water, or 1 part squash with 4 parts water)?
Please tell us: $\qquad$

## Other soft drinks

25. For other soft drinks such as ready-to-drink juices and carbonated drinks, which type did your toddler have most often during the recording period?
Standard $\square \quad$ No added sugar /diet/low calorie $\square \quad$ Did not drink $\square$

## Water

26. Which type of water did your toddler drink most often during the recording period?


Tea
27. How much milk does your toddler usually have in tea?
 Some $\square$ A little $\square$ None/did not drink $\square$
28. Do you usually sweeten your toddler's tea with sugar?


Drinks in general
29. Does your toddler finish all their cup/bottle each time you make it up?


If No, please tell us how much of it they usually drink e.g. half, three-quarters: $\qquad$
If you are able to, please use a measuring jug to measure your toddler's usual drinking vessels e.g. mug, glass, cup, bottle, beaker etc. and provide the volumes below
$\square$

## Thank you for completing this diary.


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