

7 HEALTHY TIPS

- 1. Do 1 Thing! Decide on 1-2 specific diet or health-related goals to set. You will be less overwhelmed and more successful.
- 2 Work on mindfulness. Pay attention to hunger/fullness cues so you eat only when you are truly hungry. Avoid watching television or using your phone when eating.
- 3. Do your best to get at least 30 minutes of physical activity each day.
- 4. Meal preparation will help keep you on track for the week and save you time. Search for "batch cooking" on Pinterest and get cooking!
- 5. Power up with protein. Choose high-protein snacks such as Greek yogurt (look for one with <6 g. sugar), hard-boiled eggs, chicken or egg salad with light mayo, energy bites, protein bars and almonds (23 nuts is 1 serving). Be careful to watch sugar, cholesterol and fat content of these items.
- 6. Eliminate or cut down on calories in your drinks. Cutting out sugary beverages can save you hundreds of calories per day. Remember that calories in alcohol count, too!
- 7. Reward yourself! Non-food rewards are a great way to keep you motivated. Ideas include: purchasing a new water bottle or workout gear, going for a hike, treating yourself to a manicure or buying a new book.

