### **Healthy Eating Resources**

If you or someone you know has a learning disability, the list of recommended resources will help, you find information and advice about how to live a healthier lifestyle.



The links to the resources were last checked February 2022.

## 1. Healthy eating and food resources

Resource Details	Who is it for?	Where can I get it?	Is there a cost?
Weekly food planner	People with a learning disability	<u>Mencap</u>	Free.
Cooking Videos	People with a learning disability	#CookwithMencap Mencap TV	Free.
Nutrition information and resources	Anyone.	British Nutrition Foundation	Free.
Accessible video recipes.	People with a learning disability and autism	<u>United Response</u> <u>Cookability</u>	Free.
Easy read information on healthy lifestyles	Health professionals working with people with a learning disability.	A Picture of Health	Free.
Easy read information on healthy eating	People with a learning disability and down's syndrome.	<u>Down's Syndrome</u> <u>Association</u>	Free.
Eat Well Plate	Anyone.	NHS	Free.
Guidance on portion sizes	Anyone.	NHS	Free.



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Interactive recipes, guidance and activities to eat more vegetables.	Children, young people and parents.	<u>Veg Power</u>	Free.
NHS guidance, activities and recipes to encourage healthy living for the whole family.	Anyone.	<u>Change4life</u>	Free.
Six week programme to learn about healthy, sustainable lifestyles in a fun and exciting way.	Children and young people.	Eat Like a Champ	Free.
Information and resources for vegetarians.	Anyone.	<u>Vegetarian Society</u>	Free.
Information about and resources for vegan food.	Anyone.	The Vegan Society	Free.
Healthy eating information.	Anyone.	<u>Bupa</u>	Free.
Cooking recipes using symbols.	Anyone.	Ganton School	Free.
NHS Food Scanner App.	Anyone.	App store for apple devicesor Play store for android devices	Free

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# 2. Health conditions, food intolerance and allergy resourcess

Resource Details	Who is it for?	Where can I get it?	Is there a cost?
Information and advice	Anyone.	Coeliac UK	Free.
on how to live with wheat			
intolerance			
Information, advice and	Anyone.	<u>Diabetes UK</u>	Free.
support on living with			
Diabetes. Some easy read			
information available			
Information, resources	Anyone.	Allergy UK	Free.
and advice about food			
allergies			
Information about the	Anyone.	Anaphylaxis Campaign	Free.
difference between			
allergies and food			
intolerances and how to			
get a diagnosis			
Information on reducing	Anyone.	<b>British Heart Foundation</b>	Free.
risk of heart disease			

# 3. Physical Activity Resources



Resource Details	Who is it for?	Where can I get it?	Is there a cost?
Move with Mencap	People with a learning	Mencap	Free.
activity idea packs	disability and supporter		
Easy read guide about	People with a learning	<u>Mencap</u>	Free.
physical activity	disability and supporters		
Gateway Award helping	People with a learning	<u>Mencap</u>	Free.
people on wellbeing and	disability		
healthy lifestyles			
Round the World	People with a learning	<u>Mencap</u>	Free.
Challenge	disability in certain areas.		
Online fitness classes	People with a learning	<u>Mencap</u>	Free.
Tuesdays and Thursdays	disability		
10:00-11:00 in the			
morning			
Information on how	Anyone.	<u>Live Well NHS</u>	Free.
much exercise you			
should do			
Fitness guides	Anyone	<u>NHS</u>	Free.
Guide and mobile phone	Anyone	Couch 2 5K	Free.
App to help people with			
running			



Information about being	People with disabilities	NHS	Free.
active with a disability			
Information about how	Anyone	Sport England	Free.
to get active			
Activity finder	People with disabilities	Para Sport	Free.