

Yogurt Smoothies

(1) Serving Size per 16 oz Cup 1 Meat / Meat Alternate / ½ Cup Fruit / 1 Milk

Yogurt Parfaits

(1) Serving Size per 12 oz Cup 1 Meat / Meat Alternate / ½ Cup Fruit / 1 oz Grain

When prepared in accordance with USDA guidelines, yogurt smoothies and parfaits are valuable additions to any Child Nutrition Program.



INGREDIENTS

- 1 cup cold fat-free milk (white or flavored)
- 1/2 cup fresh or frozen fruit
- ½ cup yogurt (regular or Greek)

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- 1 oz cereal or granola

Chunky Monkey Smoothie

Serving Size: Six 16 oz Cups

1 Meat Alternate / 1 Milk / ½ Cup Fruit

In a blender, combine frozen bananas together with vanilla yogurt and fat free chocolate milk

Mix well but leave some banana chunkiness!



INGREDIENTS

- 3 frozen bananas
- 48 oz fat free chocolate milk
- 3 cups low fat vanilla yogurt



Bananas Foster Parfait

Serving Size: Four 12 oz Cups

1/2 Cup Fruit / 1 Meat Alternate / 1 oz Grain

Cut each peeled banana half lengthwise and each half in thirds

Combine sugar, butter, and cinnamon in nonstick skillet

Cook over medium low heat until sugar mixture bubbles

Add bananas and cook until softened

Spoon ½ cup yogurt into bottom of cup

Divide banana mixture evenly

Top each with 2 tablespoons of corn flakes



INGREDIENTS

- 2 large bananas, peeled
- 1/4 cup brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons melted butter
- 2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 2 cups nonfat vanilla yogurt
- 4 oz cup corn flakes crushed

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Breakfast Parfait with a Twist

Serving Size: Four 12 oz Cups

1/2 Cup Fruit / 1 Meat Alternate / 1 oz Grain

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F

Mix melted butter, flour, and pretzels until combined

Spread mixture on sheet pan and bake until golden brown

Spoon ½ cup yogurt into the bottom of each of parfait glasses, add ½ cup berries

Top each serving with 2 tablespoons pretzel crumble



INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups yogurt (plain or Greek)
- 1 tablespoon melted butter
- 4 oz hard pretzels, crushed
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 2 tablespoons all purpose flour
- 1 cup strawberries
- 1 cup blueberries

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Fruity Smoothie

Serving Size: Six 16 oz Cups
1 Meat Alternate / 1 Milk / ½ Cup Fruit

Blend bananas, strawberries and pineapple with honey

Add milk and yogurt, then blend again until mixture reaches desired consistency



- 3 bananas
- 1½ cup strawberries (fresh or frozen)
- 1½ cup pineapple chunks
- 48 oz fat free milk
- 3 cups low fat vanilla yogurt
- 6 tablespoons honey



Peachy Green Pineapple Smoothie

Serving Size: Six 16 oz Cups

1 Meat / Meat Alternate / 1 Milk / ½ Cup Fruit /

1/4 Cup Vegetable (Dark Green)

Blend peaches, pineapple, bananas and kale on high to combine

Add milk and yogurt to reach desired consistency for smoothie



INGREDIENTS

- 3 cups low fat vanilla yogurt
- 1 cup frozen peaches
- 1 cup frozen pineapple
- 2 small bananas
- 1½ cups raw kale
- · 48 oz fat free milk



Spinach Orange Smoothie

Serving Size: Six 16 oz Cups

1 Meat / Meat Alternate / 1 Milk / 1/2 Cup Fruit /

1/4 Cup Vegetable (Dark Green)

Blend oranges, bananas, and spinach on high to combine

Add milk and yogurt to reach desired consistency for smoothie



- 1½ cups mandarin oranges
- 3 small bananas
- 1½ cups raw spinach
- 48 oz fat free milk
- 3 cups low fat vanilla yogurt



Southwest Black Bean Parfait

Serving Size: Four 12 oz Cups

2 Meat Alternate / 1 Grain / ½ Cup Vegetable

Alternate layers of yogurt, rice, beans, lettuce, and salsa until glasses are filled to the top

Squeeze a little lime on each parfait and top with cilantro



INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups nonfat plain yogurt
- 1 tablespoon southwest seasoning
- 2 cups cooked brown rice
- 1 cup cooked black beans
- 1 cup lettuce
- 1 cups salsa
- ¼ cup chopped cilantro
- 2 tablespoons lime juice

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Chicken Burrito Parfait

Serving Size: Four 16 oz Cups
2 Meat / Meat Alternate / 1 Grain / ½ Cup Vegetable

Alternate layers of yogurt, rice, beans, lettuce, salsa and cooked chicken until glasses are filled to the top

Squeeze a little lime on each parfait and top with cilantro



- 2 cups nonfat plain yogurt
- 1 tablespoon southwest seasoning
- 2 cups cooked brown rice
- 1 cup cooked black beans
- 1 cup lettuce
- 1 cups salsa
- · 8 oz cooked fajita chicken
- 1/4 cup chopped cilantro
- 2 tablespoons lime juice



Roger Rabbit Smoothie

Serving Size: Six 16 oz Cups

1 Meat / Meat Alternate / 1 Milk / ½ Cup Fruit /

1/4 Cup Vegetable (Orange/ Red)

Blend carrots, pineapple, ginger, and cinnamon together

Add fat-free milk and vanilla yogurt, then blend and serve



INGREDIENTS

- 3 cups raw carrots grated
- 3 cups pineapple chunks
- 1 tablespoon ground ginger
- 3 cups vanilla low fat yogurt
- 48 oz fat free milk
- 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon



Super Green Smoothie

Serving Size: Four 16 oz Cups
2 Meat Alternate / 1 Grain / ½ Cup Vegetable

Blend spinach, pineapple and honey together

Add milk and yogurt, then blend to achieve a "super green" appearance



- 1½ cups raw spinach
- 3 cups frozen pineapple chunks
- 3 cups vanilla low fat yogurt
- 6 tablespoons honey
- 48 oz fat free milk



Apple Yogurt Smoothie

Serving Size: Six 16 oz Cups 1 Meat Alternate / 1/2 Cup Fruit

Mix all ingredients in a blender or food processor until smooth and pour into tall glasses

Garnish with sliced almonds, julienne mint and 1/2 teaspoon of honey, if desired

INGREDIENTS

- 6 cups lowfat vanilla yogurt
- 3 granny smith apples, cored, peeled and diced
- 1½ cups orange juice
- 1½ cups ice
- 6 tablespoons honey

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