

# **MEALS IN A JAR** BREAKFAST **PARFAITS**

These Breakfast Parfaits are sure to please!

**Preparation:** Place the ingredients in a jar in the following order: dairy products, fruit and other ingredients, granola and nuts. Cover tightly with the lid and refrigerate. Keeps up to 3 days.

## Homemade granola recipe

- 2 cups (500 mL) oats
- 1/2 cup (125 mL) your choice of nuts and seeds
- 3 tbsp (45 mL) honey or maple syrup
- 3 tbsp (45 mL) olive oil
- 1 tsp (5 mL) vanilla extract

Preparation: Preheat the oven to 300°F (150°C). Combine all the ingredients in a bowl, spread the mixture evenly on a baking sheet lined with parchment paper and bake for 20 minutes. Let cool and store in an airtight container.

If you opt for store-bought granola, be sure to check the fat and sugar contents and pick the product with the least amounts.

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INFORMATION OF THESE

GRAPE **AND WALNUT** 

#### DAIRY PRODUCTS

•34 cup (175 mL) vanilla yogurt

#### FRUIT

· 1/2 cup (125 mL) halved grapes

#### **GRANOLA AND NUTS**

- ·¼ cup (60 mL) granola
- •2 tbsp (30 mL) chopped walnuts

Add fibre ··· Fibre plays many important roles in the body. Experiment with different seeds, like flax, hemp and chia, by sprinkling them on Breakfast Parfaits for a simple way to add fibre to your diet.

# **STRAWBERRY** BANANA

## DAIRY PRODUCTS

•34 cup (175 mL) strawberry yogurt

## FRUIT

- •¼ cup (60 mL) strawberries
- •1/2 banana. sliced

#### **GRANOLA AND NUTS**

- ·¼ cup (60 mL) granola
- •2 tbsp (30 mL) chopped peanuts

Bone health ... Women aren't the only ones affected by osteoporosis. Although fewer men are diganosed with the disease. they are susceptible as well. Consuming calcium-rich foods such as dairy products helps maintain healthy bones.

# DAIRY PRODUCTS

•3/4 cup (175 mL) coconut yogurt

# FRUIT

- •1 kiwi. diced
- · 1/4 cup (60 mL) diced fresh pineapple

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# GRANOLA AND NUTS

- •¼ cup (60 mL) granola
- •2 tbsp (30 mL) shredded coconut,
- •1 tbsp (15 mL) slivered almonds

Want to work in plain yogurt? ... Plain yogurt has a more sour taste than the flavoured variety. Mix the two together for an easy way to introduce plain yogurt to your taste buds.

# **DAIRY PRODUCTS**

- •2 tbsp (30 mL) Canadian Mascarpone\*
- ·⅓ cup (80 mL) vanilla yogurt

COFFEE

**AND MASCARPONE** 

Instructions:

Combine the

Mascarpone, vogurt.

banana slices, cocoa

and instant coffee

and mix well.

# FRUIT & CO.

- •1/2 banana. sliced
- •1 tbsp (15 mL) cocoa
- ·1/2 tsp (2.5 mL) instant coffee

# **GRANOLA AND NUTS**

- ·¼ cup (60 mL) granola
- ·1 tbsp (15 mL) chopped pecans

Don't skip meals ··· Going camping or stauina at a hotel? Pack a few Breakfast Parfaits in a cooler or lunchbox for a highly nutritious and affordable breakfast on the go.

# RASPBERRY AND RICOTTA

Instructions:

Combine the Ricotta,

vogurt, raspberries.

vanilla and cinnamor

and mix well.

# DAIRY PRODUCTS

- •¼ cup (60 mL) Canadian Ricotta\*
- 1/3 cup (80 mL) raspberry yogurt

# FRUIT & CO.

- •1/2 cup (125 mL) frozen raspberries
- •1/2 tsp (2.5 mL) vanilla extract
- •1 pinch of cinnamon

# **GRANOLA AND NUTS**

- ·¼ cup (60 mL) granola
- •2 tbsp (30 mL) chopped pecans

I'm hungry! ··· Dairy products contain protein, which helps you feel full after a meal. Make sure to get enough protein at breakfast—it's a great way to start the day.

> \*For more recipe ideas with Ricotta, visit: dfcplc.ca/YumRicotta

# SPICE

pumpkin purée

cinnamon and

nutmeg and

mix well

**PUMPKIN** 

# DAIRY PRODUCTS

Instructions: •34 cup (175 mL) vanilla Greek yogi Combine the vogur

#### FRUIT & CO.

- · 1/3 cup (80 mL) pumpkin purée (not pumpkin pie filling)
- ·1 pinch each of cinnamon and nutmed
- ·¼ cup (60 mL) diced apple

# **GRANOLA AND NUTS**

- •¼ cup (60 mL) granola
- •2 tbsp (30 mL) chopped pecans

The first meal of the day ... Breakfast options that provide enough carbohydrates. protein and fat will help you start your day on the right foot. With Breakfast Parfaits, you'll be ready to go. Make some for the whole family!