



LESSON PLAN

SCHOOL	
THEMATIC	HEALTH: a healthy week menu
AREA	
TEACHER	Maaike van Sambeek (form 8)
SUBJECT	A healthy week menu
AGE GROUP	11-12 years
(approximately)	
TIME REQUIRED	3 hours lesson
PLACE	Classroom
LESSON	• Pupils think about what they eat for breakfast, lunch and dinner every
OBJECTIVES	day
	Pupils realise that having a healthy meal is very important for
	functioning during the day, and for health in the future
	Pupils know about healthy and unhealthy nutrients
	Pupils know where they can read about the ingredients of healthy
	food
	Pupils know the meaning of the list of ingredients on the food
	packaging
	• Pupils know about the amount of nutrients they need every day
	• Pupils know about what they eat every day and if it is (un)healthy
REGULAR	 Biology and/or Lessons in healthy behaviour (two hours/lessons)
LESSONS YOU	 Searching, finding, processing and presenting information (ICT, one
CAN USE	hour/ lesson)
	 English, for translation (one hour/lesson)
CLASS	Pupils work individually
ORGANISATION	Pupils work in pairs
	Pupils work in groups
MATERIALS	 Different packaging of foods
	 List of healthy foods
	 List of unhealthy foods
ICT TOOLS	Internet
	ICT software: Word, PowerPoint
PROCEDURE	\circ Pupils fill in a survey of what they eat for breakfast-lunch-dinner
	\circ Pupils make an inventory of what they eat during a day/week
	\circ Pupils summarize all the data of the survey
	\circ Pupils search in the internet: what is healthy food, which nutrients do
	we need as human beings of 11-12 years old
	 Pupils study the list of healthy and unhealthy foods
	 Pupils try to find how many kcal a child of your age needs every day
	\circ Use the packaging's and try to find out how many kcal the foods
	contains

	 Try to find out how many kcal your breakfast-lunch-dinner contains Compare the healthy meals with the unhealthy ones. Create healthy meals: one group creates a breakfast, one group for the lunches and one group for the dinners
	 Search for the recipes for all the meals
EVALUATION	 For the teacher: You carried out all the lessons in the regular curriculum. Not additional to the daily activities. In the English lessons you can skip the lesson about food because you already teached this during this "healthy menu's project". In the lessons "information processing" pupils work for the presentations
	For the pupils:
	One month later: fill in the survey again and compare both surveys. Is
	there a (positive) difference between both?
ATTACHEMENTS	 See the summary of the week menu
	 See the recipes of the breakfast-Lunch-Dinner