



Let's Review!



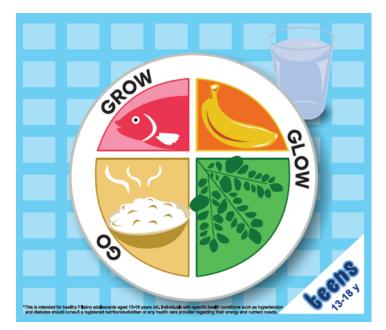
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The **Pinggang Pinoy**[®] guide and its recommended proportions takes into consideration the unique nutritional needs of adolescents.





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They experience more independence from parents and decisionmaking autonomy.



Because adolescents rely less on parents and caregivers to make food choices for them, it is important that adolescents learn to make wise food choices.





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We are responsible for our own health, so we need to make good decisions about the food we eat.

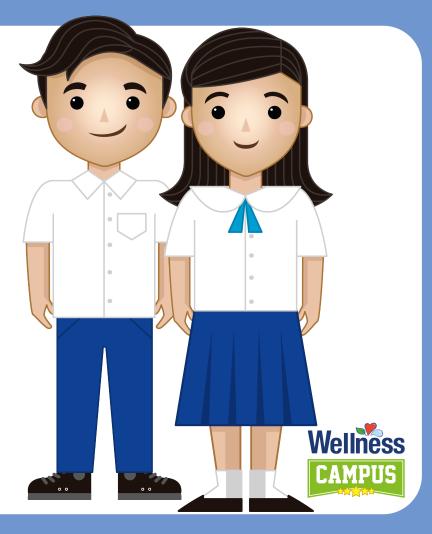






Glow foods contain many vitamins and minerals that support the nutritional requirements of our rapidly developing bodies and our active lifestyles.





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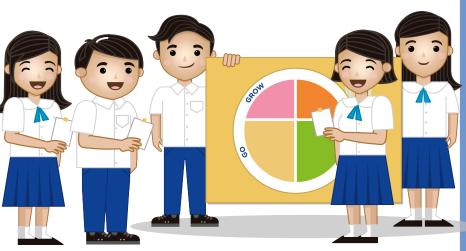
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- Helps us stay alert and focused, so that we can perform well in school.





The following are some micronutrients found in Glow foods and their functions in the body.







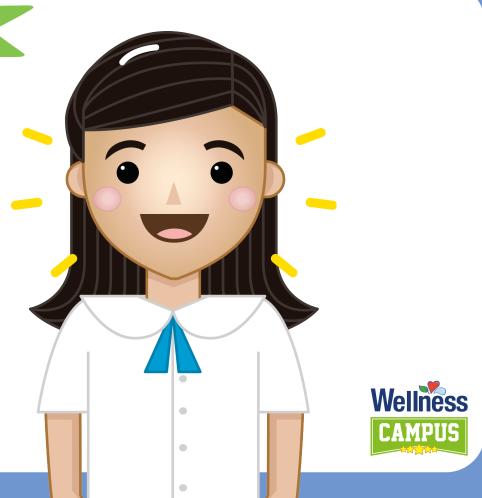
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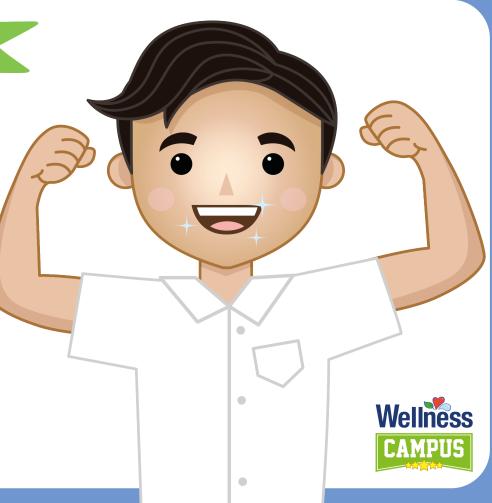
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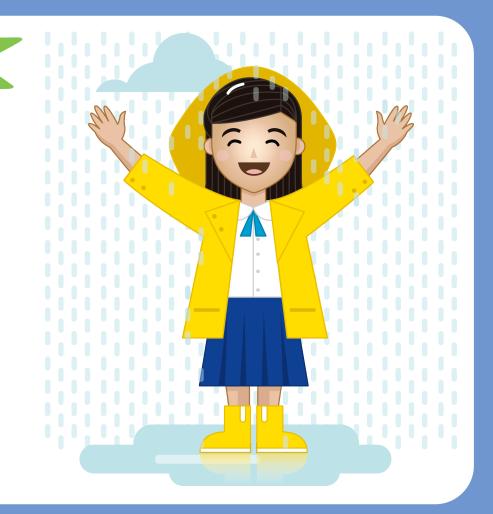
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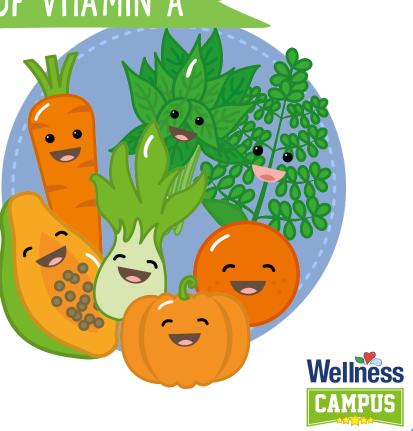


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SIGNIFICANT PLANT SOURCES OF VITAMIN A

- spinach, malunggay, pechay and other dark leafy greens
- broccoli
- yellow and deep orange fruits like papaya
- orange vegetables like squash and carrots







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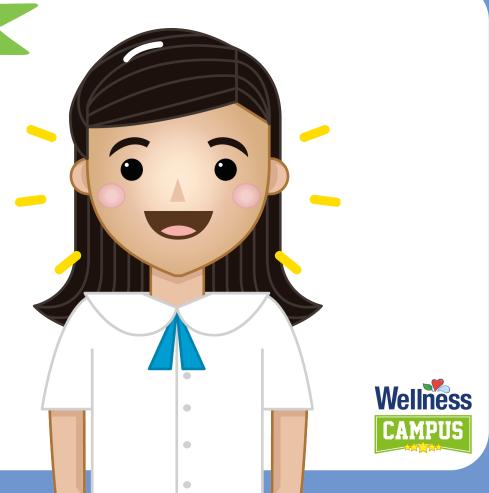




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SIGNIFICANT PLANT SOURCES OF VITAMIN C

- citrus fruits
- bell peppers
- melon
- tomatoes
- papayas
- mangoes



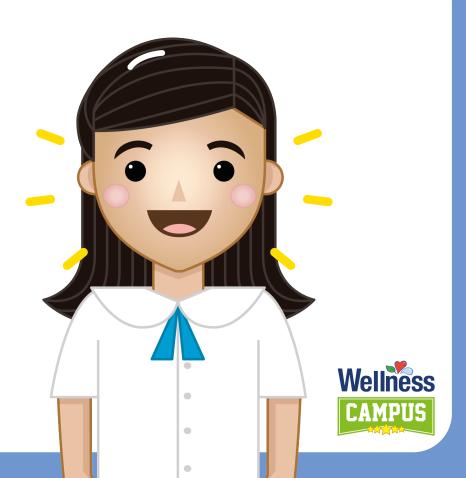




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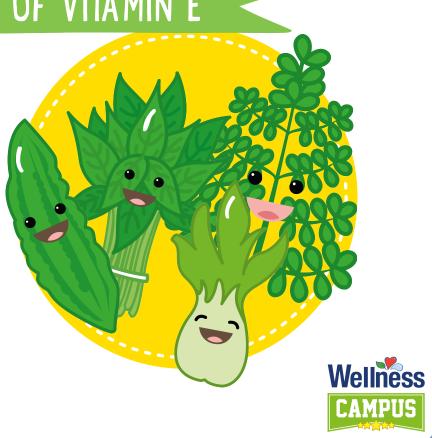
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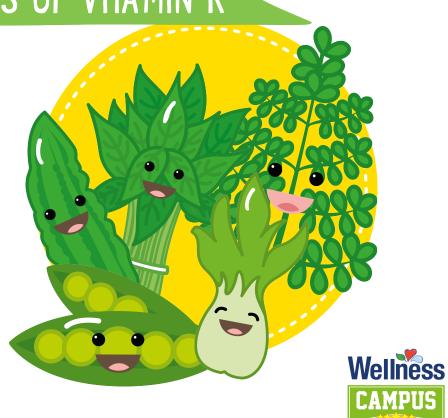
 aids in blood clotting





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