### Psychosocial Development

- Begin to learn how to share and cooperate
- Increased socialization
- Likes reward system and praise
- Seeks to please

# Age-Appropriate Activities

- Table games
- Checkers
- Group play and sports
- Reading
- Coloring and drawing



#### Resources

https://www.myplate.gov/e at-healthy/what-is-myplate

https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/sch edules/hcp/imz/childadolescent.html

https://www.safekids.org/safetytips

### School

### Age Children Age 6-12





#### Health Promotion

- Sleep (9–11 hours)
- Encourage oral cares
- Limit screen time
- Decrease exposure to violence
- Exercise and proper diet
- Helmet use, car safety

#### **Immunizations**

- Annual flu shot
- Age 10-12:
  - Meningitis
  - TDAP



#### Nutrition

- Provide regular meal times
- Provide a wide variety of food options
- Involve child in planning meals
- Limit juice to 1 cup per day
- Extra calories during growth spurt



#### **Injury Prevention**

- Sit in backseat of car
- Car seats and booster seats if needed
- Encourage helmet use
- Be mindful of children when driving

## Physical Development

- 5 cm growth in height each year
- Loss of teeth + growth of adult teeth
- Maturity in vision
- Increased fine motor skills

Cognitive Development

- Develops concept of time + numbers
- Distinguish fantasy from reality
- Forms own values
- Understanding of right + wrong
- Enjoys reading