## So...what's in a serving?

## Breads...cereals...grains

- How many ounces should you have in a day?

6 ounces

## Breads...cereals...grains

A one-cup serving is about the size of a tennis ball.

1 cup of pasta can be as much as 2 oz!

Be careful of larger than life restaurant servings!!!


## Veggies and fruit!!!

## How many veggies and fruit should you have in a day?

## Veggies: 2.5 cups

Fruit: 1.5 cups

## Veggies and fruit!!!

- A small piece of fruit is about the size of a tennis ball or your fist.
- A scoop of vegetables (or $1 / 2$ cup) is about the size of a small computer mouse.


## Milk

## How much milk should you have in a day?

## 3 cups

## Milk

- One cup is about 8 ounces.
- One ounce of cheese is about the same as four dice. An ounce of shredded cheese resembles a golf ball.
- One cup of cottage cheese is about the same size as a tennis ball.



## Meat and Beans

How much protein should we have in a day?

## 5 ounces

## Meat and Beans

- 3 ounces of meat is about the size of a deck of cards or an audio cassette.



## What should a plate look like?



## Reality vs. Restaurant



## Reality vs Restaurant



