**Food List**

We have made this list of foods, as explained on our website to act as a guide for parents who have children that may be reluctant to eat a variety of foods. We hope that after using some of the strategies and advice on the website, that you can return to this list and see some progress.
**BEFORE** starting interventions at home please circle foods that your child will eat more than *2-3 bites of each time they are served that food*. There is also space for foods for you to add. Please be specific as this will allow you to see progress within a food group e.g. your child may progress to eating a different variety of bread rather than just having bagels or they might progress with other types of crisps so it is important to list all of the crisps they do eat e.g. quavers, skips, wotsits, Pom Bears.

It is also important to consider the ENVIRONMENT that your child has these foods so e.g. if they do not accept a food (crackers) at home but they do in nursery/school, then discuss this with staff to find out how much they accept, and then add this to your list but make a note that this is in a particular environment. We would also encourage you to find out about what the mealtime environment in those places is like e.g. what is the noise level like? What is the lighting like? What table and chairs are used? What kind of plates/bowls/cutlery are used? Does your child sit with other children to eat?

It is also good to think about HOW your child accepts this food.
Some things to think about:
- Does the food have to be presented on a certain plate? (Do they refuse if it is on something else?)
- Does the food have to be cut in a certain way? Or by a certain person?
- Do they only accept this food if it is a certain time of day?
- Is the brand important? If so, make a note of this.

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| **Carbohydrates** (breads and cereals) | **Protein source** | **Fruits/Vegetables** | **Dairy** | **Comments about environment/way food is presented?**  |
| Bread slices (brown or white)  | Eggs – what form?  | Apples | Milk |  |
| Toasted bread | ChickenWhat form does this take? (nuggets/sandwich slices) | Bananas | Milkshakes |  |
| Other forms of bread e.g. bagels, pitta bread/pizza/crumpets  | Pork e.g. sausages, bacon | Avocado | Puddings e.g. custard, yogurts, mousse, semolina |  |
| Pasta Any specifics? | Beef e.g. mincemeat  | Oranges | Butters/spreads |  |
| Rice and cous cous  | Fish | Broccoli |  |  |
| CrispsSpecific crisps?Popcorn | Beans and pulses e.g. chickpeas | Cauliflower |  |  |
| Biscuits | Lentils | Carrots |  |  |
| Pastry e.g. sausage roll? | Nuts | Melon |  |  |
| Sweet pastries e.g. croissant | Cheese – what form e.g. cheese string? Babybels? Slices of cheese?  | Berries |  |  |
| Cakes e.g. sponge, donuts, swiss rolls | Pepperoni | Strawberries |  |  |
| Potatoes – mash/roasted/chips/waffles/hash browns/wedges |  | Aubergine |  |  |
| Breakfast cereals |  | Tomatoes |  |  |
| Oats e.g. porridge  |  | Peas |  |  |
| Cerelac and semolina  |  | Sweetcorn |  |  |
| Jams |  | Fruit puree sachets |  |  |
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