Edition 3

healthMpowers **October Newsletter**

Move 1 hour & limit screen time every day!



Benefits of Physical Activity

Strengthens the heart **Controls Weight Regulates Blood pressure** Helps prevent cancer

- Get Social Play outside with friends and family
- Optimize Learning Brain breaks during the day
- Limit Screen Time Put down your phone or video game and go outside
- Physical Activity Add aerobic, flexibility and muscular fitness activities during the week

Family Activity!

Flexibility is the range of motion possible at a joint. As a family, increase your flexibility by adding 5 minutes of stretching activities each morning and each evening. Set a goal to complete this challenge at least 3 days a week!

Harvest of the Month: Squash



Benefits:

- Squash is a good source of vitamin A, vitamin C and fiber
- Squash contains no fat, saturated fat or cholesterol

Buying Tips:

- 1. Select squash that are dull in color and heavy for their size
- 2. Avoid squash with soft spots or cracks

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