## Metabolic Magic Mini-Interventions

## **Food Fair**

(Suggested usage: After Case Study 2)

Students will organize a Healthy Food Fair in the School Cafeteria for families.

## **Planning Discussion Questions:**

- How will we fund the supplies? (Ex. School donation, bake sale, local business donation)
- What information should we present during the fair? (examples below)
  - Healthy meals at home
  - Food Justice
  - Healthy Fast Food options
  - Healthy food businesses
- What is the best time to have this event?
  - Meet with administrator

## **Guidelines:**

- Complete planning discussion questions to determine resources and the information you want the community to have
- Split class or group into different tables
  - Each table will be responsible for organizing educational material (ex. Handouts, recipes, activity resources)
- Table Ideas
  - Game: Match nutrition label to food item
    - Have 5-7 bowls of different packaged food items
    - Participants will match printed nutrition labels with the food item in 2 minutes
    - When the answers are revealed, there will be information if the food item is a red light, yellow light, or green light food
  - Food Demo: Apple Salsa with Whole Wheat Pita Chips
    - Print Recipe Cards
  - Presentation of Hidden salt and Sugar: Sugar Cube Activity
    - Present 5 popular beverages
    - Volunteer will use sugar cubes to guess how much sugar is in each beverage
    - Facilitator Will reveal answers and have the volunteer adjust the number of cubes for visual

- o Energy Balance Movement Station
  - Facilitation of simple movements to increase heart rate ex. Jumping Jacks, hopping, split lunges, arm circles

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