## RED LIGHT, GREEN LIGHT, EAT RIGHT

THE FOOD SOLUTION
THAT LETS KIDS BE KIDS







No Calorie Counting, No Dieting, No Off-Limits Foods!

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In fact, today's generation of children may be the first to experience shorter life spans than their parents. Childhood obesity has reached epidemic proportions: More than 18 million American kids are believed obese and are at risk for health issues. Leading pediatrician Dr. Joanna Dolgoff's Crimson Light, Green Light, Eat Right teaches kids how to make healthy options based on the principles of the traffic light: green light foods are healthy, yellowish light foods are consumed in moderation, and reddish colored light foods are occasional treats. The program, which has a established 96 percent success price, can be tailored to suit any child's age group, gender, and fat goals. Complete with sample menus, recipes, and an index of more than 1,000 color-coded foods, Red Light, Green Light, Eat Right offers a practical solution for one of the biggest wellness crises facing America's kids. Snacks and foods are designed to ensure that kids get the nutrients they need to not merely lose or maintain weight, but to grow strong, healthy bodies.



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Practical and Easy to Follow Program That Works! I've an 11 year old son who was born at 91b 3oz and has been a big kid his very existence. It teaches kids that it's ok to eat all foods, but in moderation. We have known for a while we needed to take action to greatly help him, but it's not a simple task. What we required was a plan for your family to check out; A life style change, not really a diet. I found this book and read the reviews.! Some individuals criticized that glucose cereals are on the list as a green and that people should be promoting clean consuming with our children. We've been using this system for over 2 weeks, and it is operating. If we take them from where they're now to completely clean eating, they'll struggle and most most likely rebel. This book is practical to help families where they are! However, in the last year or so his fat had gotten too high and he was beginning to show symptoms of health problems such as for example High BP, joint pain, fatigue, etc. It seemed like an easy to check out plan, therefore i ordered the publication and lay out on the journey. I wanted them to create better choices within their snacking, and this program has worked for all of us. I bought snack items and created green light snack boxes in the pantry and refrigerator with items currently measured out in the correct portions. I made charts for each member of the family and explained the plan to them. My 12 year old is also down 10 and has switched to keeping his weight. Everyone had their 1st weigh in and we had been on to our experience. My biggest fear was the part control and that he would be starving. 2. On the initial day, he wasn't in a position to eat all the meals he was allowed! I put him on the scale and he had lost 7 lbs! Through the whole first week, he only complained about being starving a couple of times and he still got snack allowances so it was not a problem. The real test came at the end of the week, when it had been period for weigh in. He had not been used to eating 2 snacks a day, in addition to meals.! Many were positive, but many were negative due to the usage of artificial sweeteners and the types of food that are included. I bought this book in hopes to getting my picky kids up to speed with cleaner feeding on. They received a spot for every day time that they stayed on the eating plan (along with other healthy practices like brushing tooth, getting exercise, playing outdoors), so when the factors reached a certain level they received a prize like a gift card or toy. This course of action works and it functions for your family. When you have a child with a weight issue, you have to make a switch before it's too past due; and you need to make it together. I was overweight my whole childhood and into adulthood. I acquired gastric bypass surgery a decade ago and lost 175 lbs. It changed my life! I knew my children wasn't eating best, but with all of the details out there i was overwhelmed and wasn't sure the place to start. You don't realize just how much being overweight robs you, until you get rid of it and feel therefore different. It's not in regards to a diet. It's about a lifestyle alter; This publication is fantastic! HIGHLY RECOMMEND I

highly recommend this book. Not only are we slimming down, but we have been learning healthy life time eating! Makes slimming down easier. Great Outline, NONETHELESS IT Requires A Small Modification for a Entire/Real Food Diet I read several different books before making a decision on this plan for a family group eating plan (we do not like the term diet plan). I love the idea of red, yellowish, green light, and it was very easy for my children to comprehend. The book arrived, I go through it, and planned the supper recipes for the week (from recipes in the book). My kids have come to understand you could eat more food in the event that you adhere to greens and the casual yellow. They know that they are able to have 2 cheats weekly, and they prefer to strategy out what their "Pit Stop" will become. I really like that no foods are off limitations, and that it's teaching my kids moderation and personal control. I created a visible chart of free fuel/green/yellow/reddish foods that they commonly eat so that the children could see at a glance which foods had been which. It took weeks for them to adjust and stop asking for things like Little Debbies, but now they regularly make better choices without being prompted. Both of my children are slowly shedding pounds and becoming more vigorous. I really do have 2 small criticisms of the book: 1. It advocates fat free items such as cheese, mayo, and dressing. I am also down 8 pounds. Food cravings drives you to make bad choices, so I was a little bit worried. It generally does not include any supplementary components. I also love the concept of free fuel - all natural fruits and vegetables are unlimited alongside things such as mozarella sticks (fat free of charge). If you're into, or looking to get into, clean eating, don't work with this book. I've spent the last 6 months learning how to eat clean for a wholesome way of living and in doing this have lost almost 40 pounds. This became part of an incentive system for my children. My hubby also lost 7 lbs! I got to considering these comments and recognized that if we were doing clean eating, our children would not have a weight issue. Small changes are leading to big results in our family. I also developed a weekly food chart for every family member predicated on our goals that divided the day into breakfast/morning hours snack/lunch time/afternoon snack/ supper. We positioned this chart right into a dried out erase pocket so that we're able to easily check off our day to day allowances. I was thrilled for him and he was thrilled as well. Although I really do like her idea of the red light green light program, I do nothing like how she recommends such harmful processed foods. Just because it's a 100 calorie pack doesn't mean those cookies have any vitamins and minerals to them. And "low/no fat" things tend to be packed filled with sugar and other chemical substances to put the flavor back in after they've used the fat out. Awesome Great for kids to help make the right choices Three Stars not very practical for REAL children and every day life Definite buy! Extremely dissatisfied with this publication.! I look within my son and do not want him to have to EVER go as far with his fat struggle as I did so. one that includes the whole family all foods in moderation. I am a single mom and was discovered it EXTREMELY easy and an easy task to follow. My 8 year old child was 140 when we started and is down 10 pounds today! Yay. Needless to say, they were not thrilled at the idea but my boy knew he needed to eat healthier therefore was willing to test it out for. I prefer that my children eat whole/actual foods in moderation, therefore i adjusted the chart appropriately. I am so happy we found this. My 11 yr old girl has dropped 15 pounds in 4 months, and she's still losing. Three Stars Too much work Good Product Bought it for my girl she is been following the book and getting used to her new eating habits. Is a great product Five Stars Unquestionably love this book. Lots of great suggestions and recipes. Can't wait around to start out using it.



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