# Chapter 3

## Food and Health

### **LESSON PLAN**

#### **SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES**

The students will learn about

- balanced diet
- junk food
- ways to make the diet healthier
- diseases related to food habits and lifestyle
- deficiency diseases
- adulteration in food items

#### **Teaching Aids**

**Pictures/charts/models/animation** on the topics given in the chapter.

#### **Lesson Plan**

- Teacher will start chapter with 'Gear Up' section discussing the effects of healthy and unhealthy foods on health.
- With the help of suitable teaching aids, teacher will explain the importance of food, its nutrients and their role in the body.
- Teacher will explain balanced diet and its need.
- Teacher will discuss the junk food and its harms as well as healthy food and its benefits.
- Teacher will discuss the ways to make the diet healthier by explaining the sprouts and fermented food and the processes of sprouting and fermentation.
- To check the understanding of students about the topic, teacher will ask them to solve 'Check Point 1'.
- Now, teacher will discuss food habit-related and lifestyle-related diseases, deficiency diseases, their causes and preventions.
- Teacher will discuss adulteration in food items and its harms to human body.
- Now, teacher will ask students to solve 'Check Point 2'.

- At last, teacher will sum up the chapter by going through all the points given under the head 'Wrap up now' and revising the 'New Words'.
- Finally, teacher will help students to solve all the exercises given under the head 'Practice Time'.

#### **Boost Up**

- Teacher should encourage students to eat healthy food and keep hygiene as a part of healthy
- Teacher should discuss food adulteration and its impacts on human health.
- Teacher should emphasise that adulteration of food is a crime against humanity.
- Teacher should encourage students to adopt healthy lifestyle to avoid lifestyle-related diseases.
- Teacher should help students in carrying out activities given in the chapter.

#### **Expected Learning Outcomes**

The students understand and know

- food, its components and their role in the body.
- balanced diet and its need.
- junk food and its harms, and healthy food and its benefits.
- sprouts and fermented food and their benefits.
- process of sprouting and fermentation.
- food habit-related and lifestyle-related diseases, deficiency diseases and their preventions.
- food adulteration, common food adulterants and their impacts on human health.

#### **Evaluative Questions**

Teacher may ask the following questions for evaluating learning and understanding of students:

- **1.** What are the components of food?
- **2.** What is a balanced diet?
- **3.** Why is junk food not good for health?
- **4.** What is fermentation?
- **5.** What are deficiency diseases?
- **6.** What are food adulterants?