## **Dieting**



## Vocabulary

**Metabolism**: the chemical processes that occur within a living organism in order to maintain life

**Meal plan:** all the meals and recipes are planned carefully either by a nutritionist or a fitness instructor

**Vegetarian:** a person who does not eat any kind of meat

**Vegan:** a person who does not eat any meat or anything produced by animals, including eggs, honey, milk and cheese

**Organic:** food that is grown without using pesticides

**Superfoods:** foods that have more nutrients and vitamins than most do and contain high antioxidants

## **What Is Dieting**

Dieting or to have a diet means a person controls his/ her food intake in a regulated and supervised fashion to decrease, maintain, or increase body weight.

Dieting also helps prevent and treat diseases. A restricted diet is often used by those who are overweight or obese, sometimes in combination with physical exercise, to reduce body weight.

