

# Serving Sizes & Measurements



#### Why measuring is important:

- Helps with portion control
- You know exactly how many calories, protein, & carbs a food has
- You can standardize recipes
- A tablespoon is not the same as a teaspoon

## Measuring Cups

I cup	8 oz
I/2 cup	4 oz
I/3 cup	2.66 oz
I/4 cup	2 oz

## **Measuring Spoons**

I Tablespoon I5 ml
I Teaspoon = 5ml
I/4 Teaspoon I.25 ml

#### Tips to Remember:

- Make sure you level your measurement:
  - Avoid under or over measuring
- Notice the difference between a tablespoon and a teaspoon
  - \*A tablespoon is 3 times the size of a teaspoon!
- When measuring with a liquid measuring cup:
  - Check the line at eye level for a correct measurement



\*This is an example of looking at a liquid measuring cup at eye level

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