Now, it's time to draw your smile!

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Good Oral Health Starts with the Grown-ups!

- Never allow a child to fall asleep with a bottle containing milk, juice or other sweetened drinks.
- Have your child’s first dental check-up after the first birthday.
- Help children brush their teeth until they’re at least six years old.
- Children need to brush their teeth at least two times a day.
- Fluoride helps prevent decay. Toothpaste and tap water contain fluoride. Most bottled waters do not contain fluoride.

Plaque Attack Answers: Soda - 19, Peanut Butter - 1, Juice Box - 6, Strawberries - 0, Pastry - 4, Gummy Bear - 2-1/2, Water - 0

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The U.S. Surgeon General has identified tooth decay as the most common unmet health need.

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**THE SMILE ZONE!**

**Plaque Attack!**

Plaque is a germ; it forms on your teeth when sugar and saliva mix together. Too much plaque can cause a cavity.

Avoid a plaque attack! Match the amount of sugar to each food.

- Juice Box: 19 teaspoons
- 20-ounce Soda: 0 teaspoons
- Strawberries: 6 teaspoons
- Pastry: 0 teaspoons
- Peanut Butter: 1 teaspoon
- Water: 2-1/2 teaspoons
- Gummy Bears: 4 teaspoons

Water is a good choice with sweets; it doesn’t contain sugar but does contain fluoride to protect your teeth.

See back for answers

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**Seek and Find**

Find the hidden words for a healthy smile!

- Dentist
- Fluoride
- Fruit
- Healthy snacks
- Milk
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Vegetables
- Water

**Sticky Mess Jumble**

What kinds of sweets can easily cause a cavity?

Place the red letters in the circles and then unscramble the letters to form the answer.

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**BEGIN WITH THE BRUSH!**

Can you help Tapper get to his toothbrush?

- Which animal has the same number of permanent teeth as humans?
  - The animal is hidden in this booklet.

Brush your teeth at least twice a day for two minutes! Make small circles; be gentle!