## Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program: March 2023

## **Featured Fresh Fruit: NECTARINES**



## Health Benefits:

1. Vitamin A: promotes healthy vision and cell growth

 Vitamin C: supports immune system, healthy skin, and healing

3. Antioxidants: overall wellbeing, reduces risk of heart disease and cancer



## Fun Facts:

1. Nectarines are a stone fruit and are related to peaches, cherries, plums

2. Nectarines will sometimes appear on peach trees, and peaches sometimes appear on nectarine trees!

 Nectarines originated in China
1000s of years ago. Now they are grown all over the world!





