

Special Olympics Ireland -Health Toolkit ©



Healthy Smile Diary

Tick the box when you complete an instruction*

Brush teeth every **morning** and **evening**

Brush teeth for **2 minutes** or the length of a song

Use a **pea-sized** amount of toothpaste

Change your toothbrush every **2-3 months** or when the bristles are worn





Best Brushing:

Aim the toothbrush at an angle to the gum line

Move the toothbrush in small circles over the teeth and gums

For your chewing teeth, use back and forth brushing motions

Floss regularly to remove any food that brushing cannot reach

*use a non-permanent marker so you can rub out the ticks and use it again the following day.

