Scoring of the DINE food frequency categories and conversion to food type scores

Food type	Scores for DINE frequency categories	Conversion to food type scores
Fatty food score (possible range 8-68)		
Cheese Beef burgers or sausages Beef, pork or lamb Chips Fried food	no times a week = 1 1-2 times a week = 2 3-5 times a week = 6 6 or more times a week = 9	
Pies, quiches, pastries	no times a week = 1 1-2 times a week = 2 3-5 times a week = 5 6 or more times a week = 8	Scores for cheese + beef burger or sausages + beef, pork or lamb + bacon or processed meat + pies, quiches, pastries + crisps + (fried food + chips)/2 + (milk frequency x milk type)
Bacon or processed meat Crisps	no times a week = 1 1-2 times a week = 2 3-5 times a week = 5 6 or more times a week = 6	
Milk amount	less than a quarter pint a day = 1 about a quarter pint a day = 2 about half a pint a day = 3 1 pint or more a day= 4	Trequency x milk type)
Milk type	full cream = 3 semi-skimmed = 2 skimmed = 1	
Sugary food scores (possible range 3-16)		
Biscuits Chocolate and sweets Sugary drinks	less than once a day = 1 1-2 times a day = 2 3-5 times a day = 4 6 or more times a day = 6 less than once a day = 1 1-2 times a day = 2	Scores for biscuits + chocolate and sweets + sugary drinks
	3-5 times a day = 3 6 or more times a day = 4	
Fruit and vegetables score (possible range 0.5-6)		
Fruit and vegetables	less than once a day = 0.5 1-2 times a day = 1.5 3-5 times a day = 4 6 or more times a day = 6	