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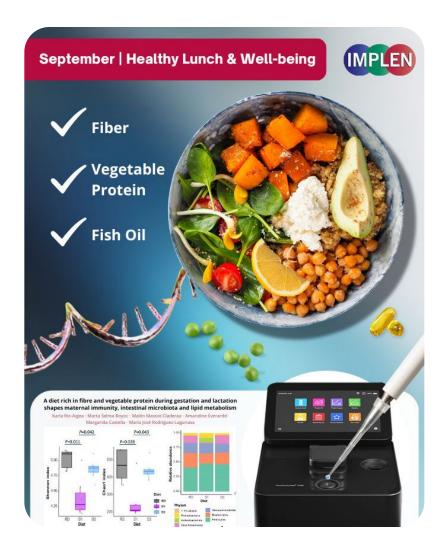


## Back-to-School Lessons from Apple Shoots

In recent work published in the Journal of Plant Biotechnology, scientists grew apple shoots with two plant growth helpers: TDZ (thidiazuron), a synthetic regulator that cranks up cell division but leaves stubby shoots and weak roots, and BAR (N6-benzyladenosine), a natural compound that steadies growth. Genetic analysis showed the synthetic TDZ disrupted signals, while the natural BAR built stress defenses and strong walls—yielding healthier apple shoots.

The Implen NanoPhotometer® was used in this research to assess the purity and quantity of isolated RNA samples.

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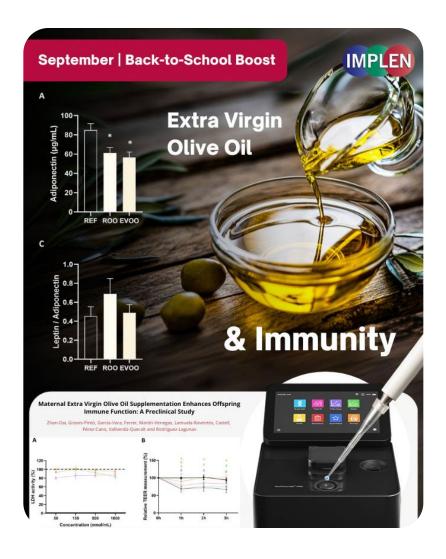


#### Power-Packed Lunchboxes: Lessons from Early Life Nutrition

Research recently published in the journal of eBioMedicine highlights that a well-packed, healthy lunch—rich in fiber, vegetable protein, and fish oil—plays a powerful role in early life nutrition. These nutrients strengthen the gut, boost immune defenses, and improve fat metabolism, while also nurturing beneficial gut bacteria that create protective compounds for lifelong well-being.

The Implen NanoPhotometer® was used in this work to assess the concentration and purity of RNA.

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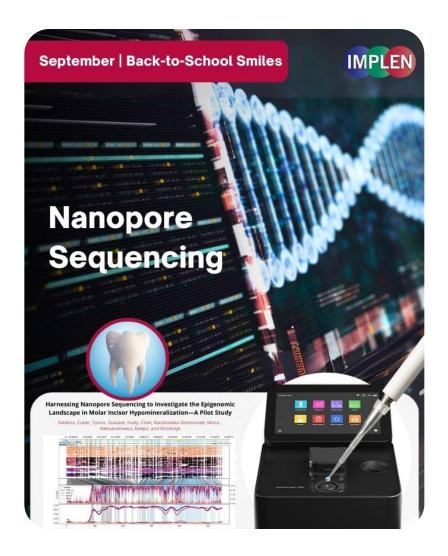


### Back-to-School Boost: Extra Virgin Olive Oil and Immunity

Researchers studied how extra virgin olive oil (EVOO), a key part of the Mediterranean diet, influences early immune and gut health. Offspring of mothers supplemented with EVOO showed higher protective antibodies, stronger intestinal barriers, and more mucus-producing cells. EVOO's natural compounds improved resilience without toxicity, suggesting diets rich in EVOO may boost early immunity and long-term health.

The Implen NanoPhotometer® was used in this study to assess RNA concentration and purity.

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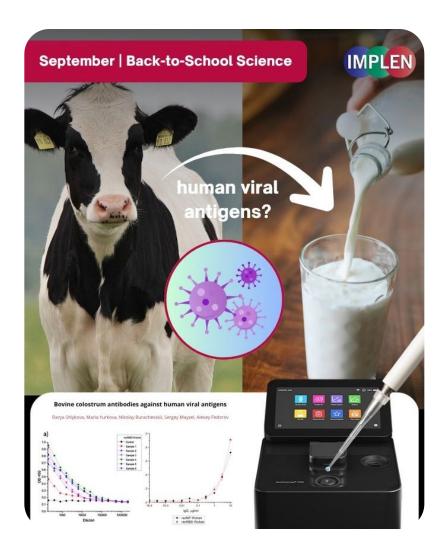


# Back-to-School Smiles: Protecting Children from Weak Enamel

Researchers used advanced DNA sequencing to explore why some children develop molar incisor hypomineralization (MIH)—a condition that makes permanent molars and incisors weaker and more prone to cavities. They discovered hundreds of thousands of DNA "switches" (methylation marks) were altered in enamel and inflammation-related genes. This suggests MIH may partly stem from epigenetic changes. Back-to-school dental checkups could help catch problems early.

The Implen NanoPhotometer® was used in this work to determine the concentration and purity of DNA.

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# Back-to-School Science: Bovine Colostrum — Natural Antibodies With Antiviral Potential

Researchers recently published their findings in the journal of Functional Foods in Health and Disease on bovine colostrum—the nutrient-rich 'first milk' cows produce after giving birth—to investigate whether it contains antibodies that recognize human viruses. They found antibodies that bind to several viral antigens, suggesting potential protective effects. The study highlights colostrum as a natural source of antiviral activity and immune support.

The Implen NanoPhotometer® NP80 was used in this study to determine the protein concentration at 280 nm using the molar extinction coefficient for IgG.

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