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7 DAY HEART HEALTHY MEALPLAN

7 days of heart healthy breakfasts, lunches, dinners and snacks.

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Welcome

Heart Healthy recipes and meal plans are one of my most requested items from clients. The foods we eat really do have an impact on our heart health, in everything from blood pressure and cholesterol to atherosclerosis. In this meal plan there are 7 days of heart healthy breakfasts, lunches, dinners and snacks to get you started with a new heathy diet that your heart will thank you for.

About Me:

Hi! I'm Grace Hamilton, a Masters qualified Nutritionist, Naturopath and food loving plant based cook. I live in Sydney Australia and see clients both online and at my clinic. I have a special interest in chronic health issues such as cardiovascular disease and autoimmune disorders. I love to provide my clients with meal plans and recipes as part of their treatment plan to make life easier for them and give them a bit of extra guidance. Heart healthy meals are always a popular topic with my clients so I've made this 7 day meal plan as an easy reference for anyone wanting to improve their heart health. I hope you enjoy! Do check out my website and socials and give me a follow if you haven't already.



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Heart Health 7 Day Meal Plan

7 days

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
cfast	Overnight Vanilla Protein Oats	Overnight Vanilla Protein Oats	Overnight Vanilla Protein Oats	Berry & Nut Breakfast Bowl	Berry & Nut Breakfast Bowl	Creamy Apple Pie Smoothie	Creamy Apple Pie Smoothie
Breakfast	Green Tea	Green Tea	Green Tea	Green Tea	Green Tea	Green Tea	Green Tea
Snack 1	Apples & Almonds	Blueberry Chia Parfait	Apples & Almonds	Veggie Pita Pizza with Hummus	Pita, Hummus & Red Pepper Snack Plate	Almonds	Pita, Hummus & Red Pepper Snack Plate
ch	Broccoli Almond Protein Salad	Broccoli Almond Protein Salad	One Pan Salmon with Rainbow Veggies	Lemon Kale Salad with Chickpeas & Avocado	Burrito Bowl with Quinoa Tofu Taco Filling	Walnut Crusted Salmon	Spaghetti with Pesto & Roasted Tomatoes
Lunch					5	Spinach & Pea Risotto	-
Snack 2	Blueberry Chia Parfait	Apples & Almonds	Veggie Pita Pizza with Hummus	Pear & Walnuts	Almonds	Pita, Hummus & Red Pepper Snack Plate	Almonds
	Mediterranean	One Pan Salmon with	Lemon Kale Salad	Burrito Bowl with	Walnut Crusted	Spaghetti with Pesto	Crispy Tofu Meal
ner	Buddha Bowl	Rainbow Veggies	with Chickpeas & Avocado	Quinoa Tofu Taco Filling	Salmon	& Roasted Tomatoes	Prep Bowls
Dinner			Avocauo	1 ming	Spinach & Pea Risotto	-	
Snack 3	Pomegranate	Grapes & Walnuts	Pomegranate	Pomegranate	Grapes & Walnuts	Berry & Flax Baked Oatmeal	Berry & Flax Baked Oatmeal



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7 days

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Calories	1948	Calories	2063	Calories	2101	Calories	2169	Calories	2203	Calories	2142	Calories	2010
Fat	105g	Fat	121g	Fat	106g	Fat	130g	Fat	136g	Fat	104g	Fat	107g
Saturated	8g	Saturated	10g	Saturated	12g	Saturated	16g	Saturated	15g	Saturated	10g	Saturated	11g
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Carbs	207g	Carbs	177g	Carbs	223g	Carbs	222g	Carbs	183g	Carbs	235g	Carbs	219g
Fiber	59g	Fiber	52g	Fiber	58g	Fiber	68g	Fiber	46g	Fiber	40g	Fiber	44g
Sugar	70g	Sugar	72g	Sugar	66g	Sugar	65g	Sugar	43g	Sugar	57g	Sugar	71g
Protein	72g	Protein	96g	Protein	93g	Protein	70g	Protein	93g	Protein	87g	Protein	70g
Sodium	828mg	Sodium	733mg	Sodium	1175mg	Sodium	1454mg	Sodium	1296mg	Sodium	1156mg	Sodium	1238mg
Calcium	1502mg	Calcium	1548mg	Calcium	898mg	Calcium	811mg	Calcium	772mg	Calcium	1038mg	Calcium	1411mg
Iron	19mg	Iron	17mg	Iron	19mg	Iron	22mg	Iron	19mg	Iron	14mg	Iron	15mg

Heart Health 7 Day Meal Plan

79 items

Fruits



Breakfast

1/2 cup Almond Butter
7 cups Green Tea
1/3 cup Maple Syrup

Seeds, Nuts & Spices

2 1/4 cups Almonds 0 tsp Black Pepper 1/2 cup Chia Seeds 1 1/4 tsps Chili Powder 2 1/2 tsps Cinnamon 3/4 tsp Cumin 1/2 tsp Garlic Powder 1/3 cup Ground Flax Seed 2 tbsps Hemp Seeds 3/4 tsp Italian Seasoning 1/2 tsp Oregano 1/4 cup Pumpkin Seeds 1/4 tsp Sea Salt 0 Sea Salt & Black Pepper 1/4 cup Slivered Almonds 1/8 tsp Smoked Paprika

Vegetables

- 3 3/4 cups Baby Spinach
- 1/3 cup Basil Leaves
 6 cups Broccoli
 2 1/3 cups Cherry Tomatoes
 1/2 Cucumber
 3 1/3 Garlic
 5 stalks Green Onion
 4 cups Kale Leaves
 3 1/2 Red Bell Pepper
 3/4 cup Red Onion
 3/4 head Romaine Hearts
 1 Yellow Bell Pepper
 - 1/2 Yellow Onion
 - 1/2 Zucchini

Boxed & Canned

- 1 cup Arborio Rice1/2 cup Black Beans
- 1/3 cup Brown Rice Spaghetti
- 2 1/4 cups Chickpeas
- 3/4 cup Quinoa
- 1/2 cup Salsa
- 4 cups Vegetable Broth, Low Sodium

Baking

- 3 1/8 tbsps Nutritional Yeast
- 3 3/4 cups Oats
- 1/2 cup Unsweetened Applesauce

Bread, Fish, Meat & Cheese

1 3/4 cups Hummus
533 grams Salmon Fillet
150 grams Tofu
3 1/2 Whole Wheat Pita

Condiments & Oils

1 1/2 tbsps Apple Cider Vinegar
1 1/2 tsps Coconut Aminos
3/4 cup Extra Virgin Olive Oil
1/4 cup Pitted Kalamata Olives
1 tbsp Rice Vinegar
1 tbsp Sesame Oil
1 1/3 tbsps Tamari

Cold

2 cups Oat Milk
6 1/8 cups Unsweetened Almond Milk

Other

2/3 cup Vanilla Protein Powder
2 tbsps Water



1/3 cup Sunflower Seeds

1 3/4 cups Walnuts

Frozen

1 1/2 cups Frozen Berries 1 cup Frozen Blueberries 2 cups Frozen Edamame 1 cup Frozen Peas 8 Ice Cubes



Overnight Vanilla Protein Oats

7 ingredients · 8 hours · 3 servings



Directions

- 1. In a large bowl or container combine the oats, chia seeds and milk. Stir to combine. Place in the fridge for 8 hours, or overnight.
- 2. After the oats have set, remove from the fridge and add the protein powder. Mix well. Add extra almond milk 1 tbsp at a time if the oats are too thick.
- **3.** Divide the oats into bowls or containers and top with raspberries, blueberries and almond butter. Enjoy!

Notes

Extra Garnish

Add cacao nibs, chocolate chips, seeds or nuts.

Leftovers

Keep well in the fridge for 3 to 4 days.

No Almond Butter

Omit, or use peanut butter or sunflower seed butter instead.

Protein Powder

This recipe was developed and tested using a plant-based protein powder. Please note that results may vary if using a different type of protein powder.

- 1 1/2 cups Oats (quick or traditional)
- 1 1/2 tbsps Chia Seeds
- 2 cups Unsweetened Almond Milk
- 1/3 cup Vanilla Protein Powder
- 1/3 cup Raspberries
- 1/3 cup Blueberries
- 1 1/2 tbsps Almond Butter

Nutrition		Amount	per serving
Calories	311	Sugar	3g
Fat	11g	Protein	18g
Saturated	1g	Sodium	123mg
Monounsaturated	4g	Calcium	425mg
Carbs	37g	Iron	3mg
Fiber	9g		



Green Tea

1 ingredient · 5 minutes · 1 serving



Directions

1. Pour tea into a mug and enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days. Enjoy over ice as iced tea.

Like It Sweet

Add sweetener of choice to taste.

Ingredients

1 cup Green Tea (brewed)

Nutrition		Amount per serving		
Calories	2	Sugar	0g	
Fat	0g	Protein	1g	
Saturated	0g	Sodium	2mg	
Monounsaturated	0g	Calcium	0mg	
Carbs	0g	Iron	0mg	
Fiber	0g			



Berry & Nut Breakfast Bowl

7 ingredients · 10 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Add strawberries and blackberries to a bowl. Top with the nuts and seeds.
- 2. Pour the almond milk over top and enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers

Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to two days. Keep the almond milk, berries and nuts separately until ready to serve.

Additional Toppings

Add a pinch of cinnamon, shredded coconut, additional nuts and seeds, a dollop of yogurt or a drizzle of honey.

No Berries

Use peaches, mango, pineapple or banana instead.

No Almond Milk

Use another non-dairy milk instead.

- 1 cup Strawberries (chopped)
- 1 cup Blackberries (cut in half)
- 1/4 cup Walnuts (chopped)
- 1/4 cup Almonds (chopped)
- 2 tbsps Pumpkin Seeds
- 2 tbsps Hemp Seeds
- 1/2 cup Unsweetened Almond Milk

Nutrition		Amount	per serving
Calories	356	Sugar	8g
Fat	28g	Protein	13g
Saturated	3g	Sodium	44mg
Monounsaturated	9g	Calcium	220mg
Carbs	21g	Iron	4mg
Fiber	10g		



Creamy Apple Pie Smoothie

8 ingredients · 5 minutes · 1 serving



Directions

1. Place all ingredients in your blender and blend until smooth. Pour into a glass and enjoy!

Notes

Apple Type For a distinct apple flavor, use a tart variety of apple like a Granny Smith or a Mcintosh.

No Almond Milk

Use any other type of milk instead.

1 Apple (medium,	peeled	and	chopped)
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- 1/2 Banana (frozen)
- 4 Ice Cubes
- 2 tbsps Vanilla Protein Powder
- 2 tbsps Oats
- 1 tbsp Almond Butter
- 3/4 tsp Cinnamon (ground)
- 1 cup Unsweetened Almond Milk

Nutrition		Amount	per serving
Calories	358	Sugar	27g
Fat	13g	Protein	16g
Saturated	1g	Sodium	184mg
Monounsaturated	7g	Calcium	601mg
Carbs	52g	Iron	2mg
Fiber	11g		



Apples & Almonds

2 ingredients · 5 minutes · 3 servings



Directions

1. Core apple and cut it into slices. Serve with almonds.

Ingredients

3 Apple (sliced)3/4 cup Almonds

Nutrition		Amount	per serving
Calories	302	Sugar	20g
Fat	18g	Protein	8g
Saturated	1g	Sodium	2mg
Monounsaturated	11g	Calcium	107mg
Carbs	33g	Iron	2mg
Fiber	9g		



Pita, Hummus & Red Pepper Snack Plate

3 ingredients · 5 minutes · 3 servings



Directions

1. Assemble all ingredients onto a plate and enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers Refrigerate in an airtight container up to 3 days.

Gluten-Free Use a gluten-free pita.

On-the-Go

Divide the ingredients into a bento box or container instead of a plate.

Ingredients

1 1/2 Red Bell Pepper (sliced)

- 1 1/2 Whole Wheat Pita (sliced into strips)
- 1 cup Hummus

Nutrition		Amount	per serving
Calories	294	Sugar	4g
Fat	15g	Protein	10g
Saturated	2g	Sodium	486mg
Monounsaturated	4g	Calcium	48mg
Carbs	34g	Iron	3mg
Fiber	8g		



Broccoli Almond Protein Salad

11 ingredients · 20 minutes · 4 servings



Directions

- 1. In a large mixing bowl, combine the broccoli florets, edamame beans, green onions, and chopped almonds.
- To make the salad dressing, whisk together the almond butter, rice vinegar, tamari, maple syrup, sesame oil, garlic, and water. Add more water if needed to achieve desired consistency.
- **3.** Pour the dressing over the salad and toss to mix well. Serve immediately, or let sit for a few hours before eating. Enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers

Keeps well in the fridge up to 3 days.

- 4 cups Broccoli (chopped into small florets)
- 2 cups Frozen Edamame (shelled)
- 4 stalks Green Onion (sliced)
- 1/2 cup Almonds (chopped)
- 1/4 cup Almond Butter
- 1 tbsp Rice Vinegar
- 1 tbsp Tamari (or Coconut Aminos)
- 1 tbsp Maple Syrup
- 1 tbsp Sesame Oil
- 1 Garlic (clove, minced)
- 2 tbsps Water

Nutrition	Amount per serving		
Calories	374	Sugar	8g
Fat	25g	Protein	19g
Saturated	2g	Sodium	290mg
Monounsaturated	13g	Calcium	208mg
Carbs	24g	Iron	4mg
Fiber	11g		



Blueberry Chia Parfait

5 ingredients · 30 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. In a bowl, mix together the almond milk, chia seeds and maple syrup. Whisk until well combined. Let the mixture sit for 30 minutes at room temperature or cover and store in the fridge overnight.
- 2. Once it has thickened up, layer chia pudding into mason jars or containers. Add a layer of blueberries and sprinkle with slivered almonds. Repeat layers until all ingredients are used up.
- 3. Eat right away or seal jars and store in the fridge until ready to eat. Enjoy!

Notes

No Slivered Almonds

Use shredded coconut or hemp seeds instead.

Chia Will Not Gel

If your chia seeds do not create a gel, they may be stale. Time to buy a new bag!

- 1 3/4 cups Unsweetened Almond Milk
- 1/3 cup Chia Seeds
- 1 tbsp Maple Syrup
- 1 cup Frozen Blueberries (thawed)
- 1/4 cup Slivered Almonds

Nutrition	Amount per serving		
Calories	376	Sugar	14g
Fat	24g	Protein	11g
Saturated	1g	Sodium	143mg
Monounsaturated	1g	Calcium	657mg
Carbs	36g	Iron	4mg
Fiber	14g		



Veggie Pita Pizza with Hummus

5 ingredients · 15 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F (180°C) and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
- 2. In a large pan, heat the olive oil over medium-high heat. Cook the bell pepper and zucchini slices until tender and lightly browned.
- **3.** Spread hummus over the pita and top with the bell pepper and zucchini. Place onto the baking sheet and bake for 8 to 10 minutes or until the pita is toasted.
- 4. Let cool slightly and slice. Enjoy!

Notes

No Olive Oil

Use coconut oil, avocado oil, ghee or butter instead.

No Whole Wheat Pita

Use tortillas or flatbread instead.

Prep Ahead

Cook the bell pepper and zucchini slices ahead of time and refrigerate in an airtight container up to 3 to 5 days.

Ingredients

1 1/2 tsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil
 1/2 Red Bell Pepper (thinly sliced)
 1/2 Zucchini (medium, sliced)
 1/2 cup Hummus
 2 Whole Wheat Pita

Nutrition	Amount per serving		
Calories	359	Sugar	5g
Fat	16g	Protein	12g
Saturated	2g	Sodium	537mg
Monounsaturated	6g	Calcium	48mg
Carbs	48g	Iron	4mg
Fiber	8g		



Pear & Walnuts

2 ingredients · 5 minutes · 1 serving



Directions

1. Slice the pear and serve with walnuts. Enjoy!

Notes

Nut-Free Use sunflower seeds instead of walnuts.

More Flavor Season the pear with cinnamon.

Ingredients

1 Pear 1/4 cup Walnuts

Nutrition		Amount per serving		
Calories	298	Sugar	18g	
Fat	20g	Protein	5g	
Saturated	2g	Sodium	2mg	
Monounsaturated	3g	Calcium	45mg	
Carbs	31g	Iron	1mg	
Fiber	8g			



Almonds

1 ingredient \cdot 2 minutes \cdot 3 servings



Directions

1. Place in a bowl and enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers Store in an airtight container in the pantry.

More Flavor Roast, toast and/or season with salt.

Ingredients

3/4 cup Almonds (raw)

Nutrition	Nutrition Amount per set		
Calories	207	Sugar	2g
Fat	18g	Protein	8g
Saturated	1g	Sodium	0mg
Monounsaturated	11g	Calcium	96mg
Carbs	8g	Iron	1mg
Fiber	4g		



Mediterranean Buddha Bowl

11 ingredients · 10 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Cook the quinoa according to the directions on the package, and set aside.
- Divide the chopped romaine equally between serving bowls or plates. Top with equal amounts of quinoa, chickpeas, cucumber, red bell pepper, red onion, hummus and olives.
- **3.** Add the olive oil, apple cider vinegar and Italian seasoning to a jar. Seal and shake well to combine.
- 4. Drizzle the dressing over top of the assembled buddha bowls and serve immediately. Enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers

For best results, refrigerate the ingredients separately in airtight containers for up to four days.

No Hummus

Use tzatziki instead.

More Protein

Top with crumbled feta cheese or cooked chicken breast.

Prep Ahead

All ingredients can be chopped and prepared in advance. Assemble bowls when ready to eat.

More Flavour

Serve with a lemon wedge and black pepper.

1/2 cup Quinoa (dry, uncooked)
1/2 head Romaine Hearts (chopped)
1/2 cup Chickpeas (cooked, from the can)
1/2 Cucumber (chopped)
1/2 Red Bell Pepper (chopped)
1/4 cup Red Onion (finely chopped)
1/4 cup Hummus
1/4 cup Pitted Kalamata Olives
2 tbsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil
1 1/2 tbsps Apple Cider Vinegar
1/4 tsp Italian Seasoning

Nutrition	Amount per serving		
Calories	466	Sugar	6g
Fat	25g	Protein	13g
Saturated	3g	Sodium	264mg
Monounsaturated	14g	Calcium	91mg
Carbs	51g	Iron	6mg
Fiber	10g		



One Pan Salmon with Rainbow Veggies

9 ingredients · 40 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 375°F (190°C) and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
- 2. Place the cherry tomatoes, salmon, bell pepper, broccoli, and red onion on the sheet pan. Drizzle the vegetables with olive oil. Brush the salmon with the coconut aminos, orange juice and zest. Sprinkle everything with salt and pepper to taste.
- 3. Place in the oven and bake for 30 minutes, or until salmon is fully cooked.
- 4. Divide between plates and enjoy!

Notes

More Carbs

Serve with rice or quinoa.

Vegan

Use tofu steaks or roasted chickpeas instead of salmon.

Leftovers

Keeps well in the fridge for 2 to 3 days.

Ingredients

2 cups Cherry Tomatoes283 grams Salmon Fillet

1 Yellow Bell Pepper (sliced)

2 cups Broccoli (chopped into small florets)

1/2 cup Red Onion (sliced into chunks)

2 tbsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil

1 1/2 tsps Coconut Aminos

1/2 Navel Orange (zested and juiced)

Black Pepper (to taste)

Nutrition	Amount per serving		
Calories	440	Sugar	11g
Fat	23g	Protein	34g
Saturated	3g	Sodium	171mg
Monounsaturated	13g	Calcium	109mg
Carbs	27g	Iron	3mg
Fiber	6g		



Lemon Kale Salad with Chickpeas & Avocado

8 ingredients · 20 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Add the kale leaves to a large bowl.
- 2. In a small bowl, whisk the extra virgin olive oil, lemon juice and sea salt together. Add the dressing to the kale and massage with your hands to ensure it is evenly coated.
- **3.** Add the chickpeas and avocado to the kale and toss well. Garnish with smoked paprika and pumpkin seeds. Divide between plates and enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers

Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to two days. For longer lasting leftovers, add the avocado just before serving.

More Flavor

Roast the chickpeas with additional seasonings to enhance the flavor and add a crunch.

Additional Toppings

Add sliced onion, peppers or roasted vegetables such as sweet potato.

Ingredients

4 cups Kale Leaves (stem removed, thinly sliced)

- 2 tbsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil
- 1 tbsp Lemon Juice
- 1/4 tsp Sea Salt
- 1 3/4 cups Chickpeas (cooked)
- 1 Avocado (cubed)
- 1/8 tsp Smoked Paprika
- 2 tbsps Pumpkin Seeds

Nutrition		Amount per serving	
Calories	570	Sugar	8g
Fat	36g	Protein	18g
Saturated	5g	Sodium	336mg
Monounsaturated	22g	Calcium	195mg
Carbs	52g	Iron	7mg
Fiber	20g		



Burrito Bowl with Quinoa Tofu Taco Filling

14 ingredients · 35 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Cook quinoa according to package directions.
- Meanwhile, in a dry non-stick skillet over medium heat add the crumbled tofu. Cook, stirring often, until just golden brown, about 8 to 10 minutes. Transfer the tofu to a dish and set aside.
- **3.** Add the oil to the pan followed by the cooked quinoa, chili powder, cumin, oregano, garlic powder. Stir to combine then add half of the salsa, lime, nutritional yeast and browned tofu.
- 4. Spread the quinoa and tofu mixture into a flat even lay in the pan and let caramelize for 3 to 4 minutes before stirring and flattening again until quinoa is slightly crispy. Season with additional salt or lime juice if needed. Transfer the quinoa mixture to a dish and set aside.
- 5. To the same pan add the red pepper and adjust heat to medium-high. Let the peppers cook for 8 to 10 minutes until tender and slightly charred.
- **6.** To assemble the burrito bowl, divide the quinoa mixture, red peppers, romaine, black beans, and avocado between bowls. Top with remaining salsa and enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers

Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to five days. To keep avocado from browning, dice just before serving.

Additional Toppings

Add cilantro, sliced jalapenos, cheese, sour cream, diced tomatoes or lime wedges.

1/4 cup Quinoa (uncooked)
150 grams Tofu ((5 oz) extra firm, crumbled)
1 tbsp Extra Virgin Olive Oil
1 1/4 tsps Chili Powder
3/4 tsp Cumin
1/2 tsp Oregano
1/2 tsp Garlic Powder
1/2 cup Salsa (divided)
1 1/2 tsps Lime Juice
1/2 tsp Nutritional Yeast
1 Red Bell Pepper (sliced)
1/4 head Romaine Hearts (chopped)
1/2 cup Black Beans (cooked)
1 Avocado (diced)

Nutrition	on Amount per serving		
Calories	467	Sugar	7g
Fat	28g	Protein	19g
Saturated	4g	Sodium	529mg
Monounsaturated	16g	Calcium	289mg
Carbs	44g	Iron	6mg
Fiber	16g		



Walnut Crusted Salmon

7 ingredients · 20 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350°F (180°C) and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
- 2. Combine the walnuts, green onion and Italian seasoning. Stir in the lemon juice and half of the oil.
- **3.** Rub the remaining oil over all sides of the salmon fillets and place the salmon on the prepared baking sheet, skin side down. Spoon the walnut mixture on the top side of the fillets and gently press it down with the back of the spoon so the walnut mixture stays in place.
- **4.** Bake for 12 to 15 minutes or until the salmon is cooked through and flakes easily. Divide between plates and serve with lemon wedges, if using. Enjoy!

Notes

Leftovers

Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days.

More Flavor

Season the salmon with salt, pepper and garlic powder to taste before spooning the walnut mixture on top.

No Green Onion

Use yellow or red onion instead.

Salmon

Wild salmon was used to create this recipe. For thicker fillets of salmon adjust cooking time to ensure salmon is cooked through and flakes easily.

1/4 cup Walnuts (very finely chopped)
1 stalk Green Onion (very finely chopped)
1/2 tsp Italian Seasoning
1/2 tsp Lemon Juice
1 tsp Extra Virgin Olive Oil (divided)
250 grams Salmon Fillet ((half lb))
1/4 Lemon (optional for serving, cut into wedges)

Nutrition		Amount per serving	
Calories	297	Sugar	1g
Fat	20g	Protein	27g
Saturated	2g	Sodium	56mg
Monounsaturated	6g	Calcium	33mg
Carbs	2g	Iron	1mg
Fiber	1g		



Spinach & Pea Risotto

9 ingredients · 35 minutes · 4 servings



Directions

- 1. Heat the vegetable broth in a medium pot over medium-high heat. Once it starts to simmer, reduce heat to low to keep warm.
- 2. Meanwhile, heat the olive oil over medium heat in a large pot. Saute the onions for 5 minutes or until translucent but not browned. Add the garlic. Cook for another minute. Add the rice and lemon juice and gently stir until the lemon juice is absorbed.
- **3.** Add 1/2 cup of the warmed broth to the rice in the pot stirring constantly until the broth has been absorbed. The rice and broth should be at a gentle simmer throughout the cooking process, not a boil.
- 4. Continue to add the broth 1/2 cup at a time until all but a 1/2 cup of broth is remaining and rice is cooked through. Aim for al dente rice, not mushy. This will take about 20 to 25 minutes.
- 5. Next, add the last 1/2 cup of broth along with the spinach and peas. Continue to stir until the last of the broth has been absorbed, the spinach is wilted and the peas are tender. Remove from the heat and stir in the nutritional yeast. Season with additional salt or lemon juice as needed.
- 6. Divide between plates and enjoy.

Notes

Leftovers

Keep refrigerated in an airtight container for up to three days.

Serving Size

One serving is equal to approximately 1.25 cups of risotto.

More Flavor

Top with additional nutritional yeast, vegan parmesan cheese, freshly chopped parsley, basil, lemon zest or freshly ground black pepper.

Consistency

If risotto has become too thick after stirring in the spinach and peas, thin with two tablespoons of warm water at a time until desired consistency is reached.

- 4 cups Vegetable Broth, Low Sodium
- 2 tbsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil
- 1/2 Yellow Onion (finely chopped)
- 2 Garlic (cloves, minced)
- 1 cup Arborio Rice
- 3 tbsps Lemon Juice
- 3 cups Baby Spinach (chopped)
- 1 cup Frozen Peas
- 3 tbsps Nutritional Yeast

Nutrition		Amount per serving	
Calories	322	Sugar	5g
Fat	7g	Protein	10g
Saturated	1g	Sodium	177mg
Monounsaturated	5g	Calcium	44mg
Carbs	54g	Iron	3mg
Fiber	4g		



Spaghetti with Pesto & Roasted Tomatoes

10 ingredients · 30 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 420°F (210°C). Toss halved cherry tomatoes in a splash of extra virgin olive oil and season with sea salt and pepper. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper. Place tomatoes on baking sheet and roast in the oven for 30 minutes.
- 2. Meanwhile, make pesto by combining spinach, basil, lemon juice, sunflower seeds, extra virgin olive oil, tamari and garlic in a food processor. Process until a smooth consistency is formed.
- **3.** Cook brown rice spaghetti according to the directions on the package. Run under cold water once cooked to prevent from over cooking.
- 4. Toss spaghetti in pesto. Plate and top with roasted tomatoes. Season with sea salt and pepper. Bon appetit!

Notes

More Protein Add diced chicken.

Make it Spicy Add red chilli flakes.

1/3 cup Cherry Tomatoes					
Sea Salt & Black Pepper (to taste)					
3/4 cup Baby Spin	3/4 cup Baby Spinach				
1/3 cup Basil Leav	es				
1/3 Lemon (juiced)					
1/3 cup Sunflower Seeds					
1 2/3 tbsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil					
1 1/4 tsps Tamari					
1/3 Garlic (clove, minced)					
1/3 cup Brown Rice Spaghetti					
Nutrition		Amount	per serving		
Calories	420	Sugar	2g		
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Calories	420	Sugar	2g
Fat	25g	Protein	9g
Saturated	3g	Sodium	214mg
Monounsaturated	11g	Calcium	50mg
Carbs	43g	Iron	2mg
Fiber	5g		



Pomegranate

1 ingredient · 5 minutes · 2 servings



Directions

- 1. Slice the top off the pomegranate and score the sides with a knife.
- 2. Submerge the pomegranate into a bowl of water and crack it open with your hands. Remaining in the water, gently peel off the rind and separate the seeds from the white flesh.
- **3.** Scoop out all the flesh and rind floating on the surface and then drain your pomegranates in a colander. Transfer to a bowl and enjoy!

Notes

Serve it With

Honey and lemon juice, yogurt, oatmeal or as a salad topping.

Storage

Refrigerate in an airtight container up to 5 days; or freeze pomegranate seeds in a single layer on a baking sheet then transfer to an airtight container.

Save Time

Look for frozen pomegranate seeds in the freezer aisle of your grocery store. No prep required!

Ingredients

1 Pomegranate

Nutrition		Amount per serving	
Calories	117	Sugar	19g
Fat	2g	Protein	2g
Saturated	0g	Sodium	4mg
Monounsaturated	0g	Calcium	14mg
Carbs	26g	Iron	0mg
Fiber	6g		



Grapes & Walnuts

2 ingredients · 3 minutes · 4 servings



Directions

1. Wash grapes and divide into bowls or baggies. Mix in walnuts and enjoy!

Notes

No Walnuts

Mix in any other seed or nut. Pumpkin seeds, cashews and pistachios are all delicious!

Ingredients

4 cups Grapes (washed)

1 cup Walnuts

Nutrition		Amount per serving		
Calories	258	Sugar	16g	
Fat	20g	Protein	5g	
Saturated	2g	Sodium	2mg	
Monounsaturated	3g	Calcium	42mg	
Carbs	20g	Iron	1mg	
Fiber	3g			



Berry & Flax Baked Oatmeal

7 ingredients · 50 minutes · 6 servings



Directions

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350°F (180°C).
- 2. In a mixing bowl combine the oat milk, applesauce, and maple syrup. Stir in the oats, flaxseed, and cinnamon. Fold in the berries.
- **3.** Transfer to a baking dish and bake for 40 to 45 minutes or until the oatmeal is spongy to the touch in the center and a toothpick comes out clean.
- 4. Let the baked oatmeal cool slightly before slicing and serving. Enjoy!

Notes

Baking Dish

An 8 x 8-inch baking dish was used to create six servings.

Leftovers

Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to four days or freeze for up to three months.

More Flavor

Add vanilla extract and chopped nuts, like walnuts or pecans.

No Applesauce

Use mashed banana instead.

No Oat Milk

Use almond milk or milk of choice instead.

2 cups Oat Milk				
1/2 cup Unsweetened Applesauce				
1/4 cup Maple Syrup				
2 cups Oats (quick or rolled)				
1/3 cup Ground Flax Seed				
1 tsp Cinnamon				
1 1/2 cups Frozen Berries				

Nutrition		Amount per serving		
Calories	242	Sugar	16g	
Fat	6g	Protein	6g	
Saturated	0g	Sodium	37mg	
Monounsaturated	1g	Calcium	166mg	
Carbs	42g	Iron	2mg	
Fiber	7g			

