

West Coast food trucks opened our eyes to the magic of Asian flavors served up in tacos. The sweet and salty flavors of the sauces go perfectly with the warmth of corn tortillas. We're making our version with tasty ginger and sesame chili sauce, baked organic tofu, shredded cabbage and almonds for some crunch. It's exotic, savory, sweet and totally delicious. (And did we mention it's on the table in 10 minutes?)

10 *Minutes to the Table*

10 Minutes Hands On

1 Whisk Super Easy

<u>Getting Organized</u>

EQUIPMENT Large Skillet Mixing Bowl

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Baked Tofu Chili Sauce Green Onions Cabbage Corn Tortillas Almonds

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

If you want to add a little extra flavor, fry the tortillas to create crispy taco shells. Pour enough oil in a small skillet to cover the bottom, season each tortilla with salt and fry over medium-high heat for about 1 minute per side. Remove to a paper-towel lined plate. The tortillas will crisp as they sit, so don't worry if they are still a bit soft when they first come out of the oil.

Good To Know

This dish owes a debt to the good folks at Kogi BBQ. Their truck started roaming the streets of LA in 2008 selling gourmet tacos. They kicked off the food truck revolution, and gave America a whole new view on what's tasty inside of a tortilla.

Health snapshot per serving - 650 Calories, 35 g Protein, 25 g Fiber, 20 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot – 430 Calories, 20 g Fat and 17 WW+ Points when you leave out the almonds and only use 2 corn tortillas.

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Cabbage, Baked Tofu, Corn Tortillas, Almonds, Mae Ploy Sauce, Soy Sauce, Cornstarch, Sesame Oil, Green Onions, Ginger



1. Cook the Tofu and Cabbage

Heat 1 Tbsp oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. When the oil is hot, add the **Baked Tofu**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until the tofu is starting to brown, about 4 to 5 minutes.

Add the **Cabbage** and cook until it just softens and starts to wilt, about 2 to 3 minutes. Stir in **Green Onions** and cook until fragrant, about 1 minute.

Add the **Chili Sauce**, immediately turn off the heat and remove to a bowl. Season with salt and pepper to taste.

2. Put It All Together

Heat the **Corn Tortillas** in a dry skillet or directly over your gas burner just until soft and pliable, about 30 seconds per side.

Serve the tortillas filled with tofu and cabbage. Top with Almonds.

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There's something irresistible about a black bean chili cooked up with roasted sweet potatoes. But serve it topped with toasted cornbread crumbles, lime crema and roasted leeks? Pure heaven.

Black Bean & Sweet Potato Chili with Cornbread Crumbles

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EQUIPMENT Loaf Pan or Small Casserole Dish Rimmed Baking Sheet Heavy Saucepan

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Celery & Onions Tomato Sauce Sweet Potatoes Leeks Cornbread Lime Crema

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

Omnivore's Option - Ground beef is a tasty addition. Cook it up with the celery & onions.

Cooking with a picky eater? This dinner is a crowd pleaser, but serve the crema and crispy leeks on the side for anyone who might not love them.

This is a great make-ahead meal. Cook everything up through step 4 ahead of time, and when you're ready to eat, assemble the chili in the casserole dish, top with the combread and bake following instructions in step 5.

Good To Know

If you're making the gluten-free version, we've left the combread out of your meal. The chili is still delicious without it.

If you're making the vegan version, we've given you lime juice instead of crema. Drizzle over the chili to finish it. We've also left the combread out of your meal; the chili is still delicious without it.

Health snapshot per serving - 790 Calories, 25g Protein, 20g Fiber, 21 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot – 500 Calories, 5 g Fat and 13 WW+ points with no crema, $\frac{1}{2}$ of the combread and $\frac{3}{4}$ of the sweet potatoes.

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INGREDIENTS: Sweet Potatoes, Tomatoes, Black Beans, Cornbread, Leeks, Onions, Sour Cream, Celery, Lime, Garlic, Spices, Herbs



45 Minutes to the Table

20 Minutes Hands On 2 Whisks Easu

Preheat your oven to 425.

2. Roast the Sweet Potatoes

Put the **Sweet Potatoes** in a loaf pan or small casserole dish and drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper. Toss, then arrange in a single layer. Bake until lightly golden at the edges and fork tender, about 20 minutes.

3. Cook the Chili

While the sweet potatoes are roasting, heat 1 Tbsp olive oil over high heat in a heavy saucepan. Add the **Celery & Onions** and cook until lightly brown, about 5 to 7 minutes. Add the **Tomato Sauce** and 1 ½ cups of water and bring to a boil. Lower the heat to a simmer and cook uncovered until 2/3 of the liquid has evaporated, about 20 minutes.

4. Make the Crispy Leeks

When the sweet potatoes come out of the oven and the chili has thickened, pour the chili over the sweet potatoes right in the pan. Crumble the **Cornbread** over top, and then bake until lightly golden, about 7 to 10 minutes.

Put the *Leeks* on to a rimmed baking sheet and drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper. Arrange in a single layer and bake until crispy on the outside, but still a little tender on the inside, about 10 minutes.

Stir the leeks once about halfway through cooking.

Serve the chili topped with the Lime Crema and crispy leeks.

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If the potatoes won't fit in a single layer in a single pan, use two pans.

Toasted Gnocchi with Mint-Basil Pesto

There's something magical about gnocchi when it's toasted. It gets crispy on the outside, tender on the inside, and totally delicious. We're tossing it with roasted butternut squash and a mint-basil pesto, then topping it with toasted coconut. Best of all, the oven does all the work in this hands-free gem.

35 Minutes to the Table

10 Minutes Hands On

1 Whisk Super Easy

<u>Getting Organized</u> EQUIPMENT

QUIPMENT Rimmed Baking Sheet Mixing Bowl

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

4 MEEZ CONTAINERS Butternut Squash Whole Wheat Gnocchi Coconut Mint Pesto

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

Want to get a jump on dinner? Cook the butternut squash in advance. When you're ready to eat, dinner will be on the table in 15 minutes.

Kids and Picky Eaters Tip – This is a crowd-pleasing recipe! If you have someone who doesn't love the pesto, though, serve his or her portion with plain olive oil.

Omnivore's Option – Chicken breast is a great choice for this dish. Cube it, toss with olive oil, salt and pepper and cook with the butternut squash.

Good To Know

If you're making the gluten-free version, we've given you gluten-free gnocchi. Health snapshot per serving – 395 Calories, 10g Protein, 10g Fiber, 10 WW+ Points Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.



Preheat your oven to 400.

2. Roast the Butternut Squash

Arrange your **Butternut Squash** on a rimmed baking sheet and drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper. Cook until it is just soft enough to bite through, about 15 minutes.

3. Toast the Gnocchi

Add the **Whole Wheat Gnocchi** to the baking sheet with the butternut squash. Mix well and cook until the gnocchi is golden brown and the butternut squash is caramelized, about 10 to 15 minutes.

4. Toast the Coconut

Add the **Coconut** to the baking sheet and return to the oven until just browned, about 3 minutes.

5. Combine and Serve

Transfer the gnocchi, butternut squash and coconut to your serving bowl. Toss together with half of the *Mint Pesto*. Add more pesto and season with salt and pepper to taste.

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We line our baking sheets with parchment paper to make clean up a breeze.

Keep an eye on the coconut - its natural oils can burn quickly.

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Oven Roasted Cauliflower and Chickpea Curry

Our super simple, super delicious roasted vegetable curry. Because the vegetables are roasted, they have an extra intensity that's just delicious. Cauliflower, carrots, chickpeas, raisins and cashews all come together over jasmine rice. It's hands-free heaven!

35 Minutes to the Table

5 Minutes Hands On

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<u>Getting Organized</u>

EQUIPMENT Saucepan Rimmed Baking Sheet(s)

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Jasmine Rice Carrots & Peppers Cauliflower Chickpeas & Onions Coconut Curry Sauce Cashews & Raisins

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

Make ahead tip – Cook the rice and roast the vegetables up until you would add the curry sauce. When you're ready to eat, roast the vegetables an additional 5 minutes before adding the sauce.

Have leftovers? Turn this into a creamy curry soup by pureeing your leftovers and adding a can of coconut milk.

Omnivore's Option – Ground lamb is a traditional addition to this dish. Brown it separately, drain the fat and add with the coconut curry sauce.

<u>Good To Know</u>

Health snapshot per serving - 600 Calories, 20 g Protein, 15 g Fiber, 16 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot – 490 Calories, 15 g Fat and 13 WW+ Points when you use half the curry sauce and a handful less of the rice.

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INGREDIENTS: Tomatoes, Coconut Milk, Cauliflower, Chickpeas, Carrots, Rice, Red Bell Peppers, Onion, Cashews, Raisins, Ginger, Spices



Preheat your oven to 450 and bring 2 cups of water to a boil for the rice.

2. Cook the Rice

When the water for the rice is boiling, add the **Jasmine Rice** and a pinch of salt. Reduce the heat to a simmer and cover. Cook until all the water has absorbed, about 20 to 25 minutes. Remove from heat and fluff with a fork. Cover and set aside until it's time to eat.

3. Roast the Vegetables

While the rice is cooking, put the **Carrots & Peppers** and **Cauliflower** on to a rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper and toss well. Then arrange in a single layer and bake for 10 minutes. Add the **Chickpeas & Onions**. Stir well, and then return the baking sheet to the oven until the veggies are golden in places and fork tender, about 7 to 10 minutes.

4. Finish the Curry

Pour the **Coconut Curry Sauce** over everything, (if you're using 2 baking sheets, divide the sauce evenly between them as best you can) and give the vegetables a good stir. Cook for another 5 minutes, then serve over the rice and top with the **Cashews & Raisins**.

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Resist the temptation to crowd the vegetables. They need to be in a single layer for this recipe to work, so use two sheets if necessary.

If you divided your veggies between two baking Sheets, you can combine them on to one to mix before Serving, or use a mixing bow!.

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Rotini di Modena with Chicken and Spinach

This gem starts with a creamy balsamic sauce members have gone wild for. Paired with sautéed chicken breast, sautéed spinach and rotini pasta, it's a speedy recipe the family will love. **20** Minutes to the Table

10 Minutes Hands On

Whisk Super Easy

<u>Getting Organized</u>

EQUIPMENT Saucepan Mixing Bowl Deep Skillet or Large Saucepan

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS

Rotini Pasta Chicken Breast Spinach Grape Tomatoes Balsamic Cream Goat Cheese

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

This dish tastes just as great cold as it does hot, so it's perfect as a make-ahead dinner or a quick pack-and-go lunch.

Leftovers Tip – Toss your leftovers in a small casserole dish, top with shredded cheese (Chef Max recommends mozzarella) and bake until the pasta is hot and the cheese is melted, about 10 to 15 minutes.

Our cage-free chickens thrive on an all-natural diet. They are never fed growth hormones and receive no antibiotics in their feed, their water, through intramuscular injection, or even the egg...ever.

Good To Know

If you're making the gluten-free version, we sent you gluten-free pasta.

Be sure to generously season your chicken with salt and pepper before cooking. Chef Max recommends using $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp of each.

Health snapshot per serving - 618 Calories, 36g Fat, 33g Protein, 10g Carbs, 13 WW+ Points

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Free-Range Chicken Breast, Grape Tomatoes, Whole Wheat Rotini Pasta, Spinach, Heavy Cream, Goat Cheese, Balsamic Vinegar, Brown Sugar, Concentrated Vegetable Stock, Garlic, Herbs



Put a saucepan of water on to boil.

2. Cook the Pasta

Add the **Rotini Pasta** to the boiling water. Cook until al dente, about 7 to 9 minutes, drain and return to the saucepan. Combine the warm, cooked pasta with the **Spinach** in the saucepan.

3. Prep the Chicken

Rinse the **Chicken Breast** under cold water and pat dry with a towel. Place the chicken on a cutting board. Using a sharp knife, cut the chicken breast lengthwise into long strips, about ¹/₄" wide. Rotate the chicken breast 90 degrees and then cut across to create small, even cubes of chicken.

Once the chicken is cut, generously sprinkle with salt and pepper (we use $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp salt and $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp pepper, so use about half per side, or more if you like).

4. Cook the Chicken and Tomatoes

Heat 1 ½ Tbsp olive oil in a deep skillet (or large saucepan) over high heat. When the oil is smoking, add the **Chicken Breast** and **Tomatoes**. Cook until the chicken is browned on one side, about 6 minutes, and then stir. Continue sautéing until chicken is fully cooked, about 4 more minutes. Add the **Balsamic Cream** and bring to a boil. Turn off the heat. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Remove to a mixing bowl.

Add the tomatoes and chicken gently; the oil will be extremely hot and you want to avoid splashes.

5. Put It All Together

Serve pasta with Goat Cheese crumbled on top. Enjoy!

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<u>All-American BBQ Chicken Burrito</u>

There is nothing like the classic flavors of BBQ to make our mouths water. Our sweet and tangy sauce is drizzled over tender cage-free chicken strips and then baked. Add crunchy coleslaw and then wrap in a soft tortilla and you've got a dinnertime hit.

25 Minutes to the Table

10 Minutes Hands On

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Rimmed Baking Sheet Knife and Cutting Board Tongs or Slotted spoon (Optional)

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Cabbage & Carrots Coleslaw Dressing Chicken Breast Barbecue Sauce Flour Tortillas

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

Leftovers Tip – Keep any leftover coleslaw and chicken "deconstructed" so you can turn them into different meals. Coleslaw makes a great base for a salad – just mix it with your favorite greens and veggies. And leftover chicken is wonderful on pizza, over rice or in a sandwich.

Our cage-free chickens thrive on an all-natural, vegetarian diet. They are never fed growth hormones and receive no antibiotics in their feed, their water, through intramuscular injection, or even the egg...ever.

<u>Good To Know</u>

If you're making the gluten-free version, we've sent you corn tortillas. Serve as tacos filled with chicken and slaw.

Health snapshot per serving - 730 Calories, 30g Fat, 35g Protein, 70g Carbs, 19 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot – 500 Calories, 30g Fat, 13 WW+ Points with no tortillas – to bulk up the meal, add some lettuce to turn it into a burrito bowl.

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INGREDIENTS: Free-Range Chicken, Flour Tortillas, Barbecue Sauce, Green Cabbage, Red Cabbage, Carrots, Mayonnaise, White Wine Vinegar, Brown Sugar, Lemon Juice, Herbs and Spices



Preheat your oven to 400 degrees.

2. Prep the Chicken

Rinse the **Chicken Breast** under cold water and pat dry with a towel. Place the chicken on a cutting board. Using a sharp knife, slice the chicken into even strips. (We aim for approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ " - $\frac{1}{2}$ " slices). Once the chicken is sliced, generously sprinkle with salt and pepper (we use $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp salt and $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp pepper, so use about half per side, or more if you like).

3. Make the Coleslaw

In a mixing bowl, toss the **Cabbage & Carrots** with the **Coleslaw Dressing**. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Place in the refrigerator until ready to eat.

4. Cook the Chicken

Spread the chicken strips on a rimmed baking sheet and cook until no pink is showing on the outside, about 5 to 7 minutes.

Stir 2 Tbsp of water into the **Barbecue Sauce**. Add the barbecue sauce to the chicken on the sheet pan and stir to coat. Return to the oven and cook until the sauce has thickened, stirring once halfway through, about 7 to 10 minutes.

5. Fill, Fold and Bake the Burrito

Fill the lower half of each **Tortilla** with barbecue chicken and top with the slaw. To roll the burrito: fold the sides in, pull the bottom up over the filling, and then roll. You want to keep a compact bundle, so keep the tortilla wrapped tightly around the filling.

Using a rubber spatula, scrape off any excess barbecue sauce from the now-empty baking sheet. Place the burritos seam side-down on the baking sheet, return to the oven and bake until warm to touch, about 2 minutes. Enjoy!

The barbecue sauce may seem thin at first, but it will thicken as it cooks.

Use tongs or a slotted spoon to remove the marinated cabbage and carrots from the bowl, leaving the liquid dressing behind. This will prevent your burrito from getting sogg!

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INGREDIENTS: Free-Range Chicken, Flour Tortillas, Barbecue Sauce, Green Cabbage, Red Cabbage, Carrots, Mayonnaise, White Wine Vinegar, Brown Sugar, Lemon Juice, Herbs and Spices



<u>Mexican Steak Quinoa Bowl</u>

This week's family favorite. We're taking our classic red enchilada sauce and marrying it with the deep rich flavors of sirloin steak, kale and quinoa. Baked up with Mexican cheese, it's a cozy dinner everyone will love.

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EQUIPMENT Saucepan Casserole Dish

FROM YOUR PANTRY Salt & Pepper

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Quinoa Sirloin Kale Beans & Tomatoes Enchilada Sauce Asadero Cheese

Make The Meal Your Own

Leftovers Tip - The leftovers from this dish make a delicious taco or burrito filling.

Our beef comes from a local farm down the road in Aurora, III. These cows are raised on open pastures with care and dedication and are free of antibiotics and growth-promoting hormones.

Good To Know

Tongs are the best tool to use for flipping the beef since they give you the most control and you'll be able to flip each piece quickly. If you don't have tongs, you can use a spatula, just be sure to work quickly.

Be sure to generously season your beef with salt and pepper before cooking; the salt adds flavor while also keeping the meat tender. Chef Max recommends using ½ tsp of each.

Health snapshot per serving - 550 Calories, 20g Fat, 50g Protein, 40g Carbs, 13 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot - 450 Calories, 20g Fat and 11 WW+ points with 1/2 the cheese.

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Grass-Fed Beef, Prepared Enchilada Sauce, Kale, Tomatoes, Asadero Cheese, Quinoa, Black Beans, Cilantro, Garlic, Herbs and Spices



Preheat your oven to 375 and put a saucepan of water on to boil.

2. Cook the Quinoa

Add the **Quinoa** to the boiling water and cook for 6 to 8 minutes. Drain and set aside.

3. Make the Casserole

While the quinoa is cooking, combine the **Kale**, **Beans & Tomatoes** and **Enchilada Sauce** in a casserole dish. Bake, stirring occasionally, until the kale shrinks down a bit and starts to crisp, about 7 to 10 minutes. (You'll want to stir about every 3 to 4 minutes to prevent the kale from burning or getting too crisp on the edges). Add the cooked quinoa to the casserole and stir to incorporate. Continue baking until bubbling, about 7 to 10 more minutes.

4. Cook the Beef

While the casserole is baking, heat a dry skillet over high heat. While the skillet is heating, pat the **Sirloin** dry with a towel and season generously with salt and pepper (we recommend $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp of each). When the skillet is very hot, add the beef. Cook it, without stirring, until the bottom browns and the sides start to color, about 45 to 60 seconds.

- If you prefer your beef medium-rare, flip it, give it a good stir and then immediately remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.
- If you prefer your beef medium, flip it and continue cooking for 30 to 45 seconds (about 1 ½ minutes total cook time) until fully browned. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.
- If you prefer your beef medium-well or well done, flip it and continue cooking for 1 minute. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.

5. Put It All Together

Sprinkle the **Asadero Cheese** over the top of the casserole and bake until the casserole is bubbling around the edges and the cheese is melted, about 5 more minutes. Serve the casserole topped with the sirloin.

Instructions for two servings.

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This works in everything from a loaf pan to a 10×10casserole dish

To test if the skillet is hot enough for the beef, hold your hand about 6 inches above the skillet. If you can feel serious heat, it's ready to go.

If you have a digital timer or a stopwatch, use it while you cook the beef - a minute goes by faster than you think.

Beef continues to cook as it rests, so remove it from the heat when it's a little less done than you like to prevent it from overcooking.

Crisp Salmon with Olive Tapenade

We're topping pan-fried salmon with our new favorite tapenade. It has kalamata olives, plus a not-so-secret ingredient: sweet cherries. Sound strange? Cherries balance the olives, making a combo that's perfect over crispy salmon. Served over Dijon Brussels sprouts and fingerling potatoes, it's a gourmet taste in just 20 minutes.

20 *Minutes to the Table*

20 Minutes Hands On

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<u>Getting Organized</u>

EQUIPMENT 2 Skillets Shallow Pie Pan or Plate

FROM YOUR PANTRY 1/2 Cup Flour Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Fingerling Potatoes Brussels Sprouts Salmon Olive Tapenade Mustard Vinaigrette

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

Picky Eaters Tip – Cooking with someone who doesn't love Brussels sprouts? Cook the potatoes and Brussels separately, and keep all of their Brussels sprouts for yourself!

Salmon has a reputation for being tricky to cook. Chef Max says the key to perfect salmon is making sure you don't overcook it. Cook over high heat for a few minutes per side and then let it rest. The salmon continues cooking as it rests, so let it sit 5 minutes, covered, off the heat before you cut into it and check for doneness.

Our salmon is sustainably raised and is free from dyes, antibiotics and industrial grain-based diets.

Good To Know

Health snapshot per serving – 700 Calories, 40g Fat, 40g Protein, 40g Carbs, 18 WW+ Points Lighten up – 530 Calories, 30g fat, 14 WW+ Points, half the mustard vinaiarette and fingerling

potatoes

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INGREDIENTS: Wild-Caught Salmon, Fingerling Potatoes, Brussels Sprouts, Olive Oil, Kalamata Olives, Apple Cider Vinegar, Green Onion, Dijon Mustard, Brown Sugar, Dried Cherries, Garlic, Herbs



1. Prep the Potatoes

Cut the **Fingerling Potatoes** in half lengthwise and then cut across to create small, even pieces, about 1/2" each.

2. Make the Dijon Brussels & Potatoes

Heat 1 Tbsp oil in a large skillet over high heat. Add the cubed potatoes and cook, stirring occasionally, until starting to brown on the edges, 3 to 5 minutes. Add the **Brussels Sprouts** along with a generous pinch of salt and pepper and cook, stirring, until the Brussels are well browned and the potatoes are fork tender, about 10 to 15 minutes. Mix half of the **Mustard Vinaigrette** into the cooked Brussels and potatoes.

3. Cook the Salmon

While the hash is cooking, pour $\frac{1}{2}$ cup flour in a shallow pie pan or on to a plate and add a generous pinch of salt and pepper. Pat the **Salmon** fillets dry with a paper towel and coat with the flour, making sure each fillet is covered with a thin layer. Repeat this process with remaining salmon.

Heat 2 Tbsp of oil in a large skillet on high heat. Add the salmon and cook until it colors about halfway up the sides, about 4 minutes. Flip and cook an additional 2 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest 5 minutes.

4. Put It All Together

Serve the veggies topped with salmon. Spread the **Olive Tapenade** on the salmon to taste and drizzle the finished dish with remaining mustard vinaigrette.

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Any kind of flour will work here: all-purpose, rice flour, even tapioca flour. Use your favorite.

Place the salmon in the pan gently to avoid any oil splashing.

<u>Roasted Squash Personal Pizza</u>

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EQUIPMENT Baking Sheet

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Flour

4 MEEZ CONTAINERS Butternut Squash Pizza Dough White Bean Alfredo Mozzarella & Parmesan

Good to Know

Take the pizza dough out of the fridge 15 minutes before you're ready to start cooking.

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Omnivore's Option - Sliced salami or pepperoni are great additions. Layer them on the pizza crust with the cooked squash.

Health Snapshot per serving (serves 1) 695 Calories, 20g Fat, 90g Carbs, 40g Protein 18 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot (1/4 cheese, ½ alfredo) 500 Calories, 10g Fat, 80g Carbs, 12 WW+ Points

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Whole Wheat Pizza Dough, Butternut Squash, Great Northern Beans, Mozzarella Cheese, Parmesan Cheese, Half and Half, Garlic, Herbs and Spices

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Preheat your oven to 425 and take the pizza dough out of the fridge.

2. Roast the Squash

Toss the **Butternut Squash** with 1 Tbsp of oil and spread in a single layer on a baking sheet. Roast until lightly browned and tender, about 7 to 10 minutes, then move to the side of the pan so you have room to build the pizza.

3. Make the Pizza

While the squash is cooking, sprinkle your counter with a little flour and stretch the **Pizza Dough** into shape. The size and thickness are up to you, but we target about 1/4" thickness. Our pizzas are usually about 4" wide and 7" long, but you can make yours however you like it.

Transfer the dough to the baking sheet. Spread the **White Bean Alfredo** on the dough and then top with 1/4 of the **Mozzarella & Parmesan** and the roasted squash. Top with the remaining cheese and bake until the crust is brown and the cheese is melted, about 15 minutes.

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Personal Artichoke Quesadilla

EQUIPMENT Baking Sheet

FROM YOUR PANTRY Vegetable Oil

4 MEEZ CONTAINERS Carrots & Parsnips Tortillas Artichoke Pesto Cheese Mix

Good to Know

We like hands-free oven cooking, but this quesadilla cooks just as well in a skillet on the stove.

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Minutes to the Table

Health snapshot per serving (serves 1) 835 Calories, 45g Fat, 75g Carbs, 23 WW+ Points

Lightened up snapshot (1 folded tortilla, 1/3 cheese, ¾ pesto) 490 Calories, 25g Fat, 50g Carbs, 14 WW+ Points

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INGREDIENTS: Flour Tortillas, Carrot, Artichoke Hearts, Mozzarella, Parsnip, Feta, Parmesan, Olive Oil, Parsley, Lemon Juice, Spices



Preheat your oven to 400.

2. Roast the Veggies

Toss the **Carrots & Parsnips** with 1 Tbsp of oil and season with salt and pepper. Spread in a single layer on a baking sheet and roast for 7 to 10 minutes and then remove to a plate.

3. Build the Quesadilla

Oil the baking sheet with 1 to 2 Tbsp oil. Take one **Tortilla** and wipe it through the oil to coat one side. Repeat with the second tortilla, leaving it on the baking sheet oiled-side down.

Spread the **Artichoke Pesto** on the tortilla and then top with half of the **Cheese Mix** and the carrots and parsnips. Sprinkle the remaining cheese mix on top of the veggies. Top with the second tortilla, oiled-side up, and gently press down.

4. Put It All Together

Bake the quesadilla 6 to 8 minutes, until the top and edges are golden brown. Flip the quesadilla, and cook an additional 3 to 4 minutes. Cut into wedges and serve. Enjoy!

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Buddha Salad Bowl

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EQUIPMENT Mixing Bowl

FROM YOUR PANTRY Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Bamboo Shoots Baked Tofu Cooked Brown Rice Cabbage & Carrots Soy-Ginger Aioli

Put Of All Together

Toss the **Bamboo Shoots**, **Baked Tofu**, **Cooked Brown Rice** and **Cabbage & Carrots** together in a mixing bowl with half of the **Soy-Ginger Aioli**. Mix well, season with salt and pepper and add more aioli to taste.

Good to Know

Health Snapshot per serving

600 Calories, 40g Fat, 70g Carbs, 10g Protein 17 WW+ Points

Have Questions?

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INGREDIENTS: Cabbage, Tofu, Bamboo Shoots, Brown Rice, Carrots, Mayonnaise, Green Onions, Tamari, Brown Sugar, Rice Wine Vinegar, Ginger, Sesame Seeds Prepare by September 13 Meez Meals * 1459 N. Elmwood Avenue * Evanston * Illinois

5 Minutes to the Table

5 Minutes Hands On

Balsamic-Glazed Brussels Sprouts 5 Minutes to the Table 5 Minutes Hands On 1 Whisk Super Easy

<u>Getting Organized</u>

FQUIPMENT **Bakina Sheet**

FROM YOUR PANTRY Salt & Pepper Vegetable Oil

4 MEEZ CONTAINERS Brussels Sprouts Balsamic Vinaiarette Almonds Pecorino Cheese

<u>Make This Meal Your Own</u>

If you want to add a salty layer, pancetta would be great in this.

Want to aet a jump on dinner? Make this recipe a day in advance and serve cold.

Good to Know

If you're making the vegan version, we've left out the cheese. Try sprinkling a second salted nut to add a great contrast.

Health Snapshot per serving (serves 2 to 3)

385 Calories, 20g Fat, 35g Carbs, 15g Protein, 10 WW+ Points

Have auestions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Brussels Sprouts, Pecorino Cheese, Almonds, White Balsamic Vinegar, White Wine, Brown Sugar, Herbs

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1. Getting Started

Preheat your oven to 450.

2. Roast the Brussels Sprouts

Put the **Brussels Sprouts** on to a rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper, and give it all a good toss, then arrange in a single layer. Bake until golden in places, 15 to 25 minutes.

3. Put It All Together

Top the Brussels sprouts with the **Balsamic Vinaigrette** and **Almonds** and mix. Sprinkle the **Pecorino Cheese** on top and bake until the cheese is lightly browned, about 5 more minutes. Serve and enjoy!

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