# Kung Pao Edamame with Udon Noodles

We're hooked on Kung Pao sauce. The spicy sweet flavor just makes stir-fry come to life. We're cooking our version with edamame, carrots and red peppers, then serving it over udon noodles with some peanuts to finish it all off. It's a speedy meal perfect for any night of the week.

### **15** *Minutes to the Table*

**15** Minutes Hands On

Whisk Super Easy

## Getting Organized

EQUIPMENT Large Skillet Saucepan

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

4 MEEZ CONTAINERS Asian Vegetables Sesame Soy Sauce Udon Noodles Peanuts

### Make The Meal Your Own

Cooking with a picky eater? Start with just half of the sauce and add more to taste.
Omnivore's Option – Shrimp is great in this dish. Cook it along with the vegetables and sauce.
Want a little extra kick? Add a pinch of crushed red pepper to the final dish.

Good To Know

If you're making the gluten-free version, we've given you rice noodles, instead. Cook until tender, about 5 minutes, drain and rinse under cold water.

**Health snapshot per serving** – 464 Calories, 19g Protein, 7g Fiber, 14 Smart Points **Have guestions?** The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Edamame, Udon Noodles, Carrots, Red Peppers, White Wine, Peanuts, Soy Sauce, Sambal, White Vinegar, Brown Sugar, Sesame Oil, Garlic



Bring a large pot of water to a boil.

### 2. Cook the Udon Noodles

Salt the boiling water and add the **Udon Noodles**. Cook until they are soft, about 5 to 7 minutes, then drain.

### 3. Cook the Vegetables

As soon as the noodles are cooking, heat 1 Tbsp olive oil in a large skillet over high heat. When the oil is hot, add the **Asian Vegetables** and cook until the edamame is tender, about 5 to 7 minutes. Add the **Sesame Soy Sauce** and cook, stirring, until hot, about 2 to 3 minutes. Season with salt and pepper to taste.

### 4. Put It All Together

Serve the udon noodles topped with veggies and sauce and finish with a sprinkling of *Peanuts*. Enjoy!

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A large pot of water gives the noodles lots of room to cook properly.

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

1 Whisk Super Easy

## <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.

Good To Know

Health snapshot per serving – 707 Calories, 43g Fat, 40g Protein, 41g Carbs, 20 Smart Points Lighten up – 530 Calories, 30g fat, 16 Smart Points, half the mustard vinaigrette and fingerling potatoes

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INGREDIENTS: 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. *Love this recipe?* #meezmagic

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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>Chicken Enchiladas Rojas</u>

Classic enchiladas rojas with a healthy Meez tweak. It all starts with a zesty enchilada sauce that's perfect with all-natural chicken breast and vitamin-C rich cauliflower. Wrapped up in warm tortillas and topped with gooey Chihuahua cheese, this dinner is simply delicious.

**40** Minutes to the Table

**20** Minutes Hands On

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<u>Getting Organized</u>

EQUIPMENT Large Skillet 9x9 Casserole Dish Slotted Spoon (Optional)

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Chicken Breast Cauliflower Enchilada Sauce Chihuahua Cheese Corn Tortillas

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

**Picky Eaters Tip** – These enchiladas are a great way to sneak veggies into dinner. If you're cooking with someone who doesn't like cauliflower, you can replace it with another vegetable, like green or red bell peppers. Dice it into small pieces and cook it with the chicken in step 3.

This dinner is flavorful but not spicy. If you want to add a kick, add a little crushed red pepper or diced jalapenos to the sauce.

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### Good To Know

A note on pan size – Chef Max recommends a 9x9 baking dish if you're cooking for 2 or 3 people or a 9x13 baking dish if you're cooking for 4 or more.

Health snapshot per serving - 545 Calories, 50g Protein, 20g Fat, 50g Carbs, 15 Smart Points

Lightened up snapshot - 490 Calories, 15g Fat and 11 Smart points with half the cheese.

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INGREDIENTS: Cage-Free Chicken, Cauliflower, Corn Tortillas, Prepared Enchilada Sauce, Chihuahua Cheese, Garlic, Herbs and Spices



#### 1. Get Organized

Preheat your oven to 375 degrees.

#### 2. Prep the Chicken

Place the **Chicken Breast** on a cutting board. Using a sharp knife, cut the chicken breast evenly into strips, about 1/4" to 1/2" wide.

Sprinkle with salt and pepper. (We recommend 1/8 tsp salt and 1/8 tsp pepper on each side, but you can use more if you like).

#### 3. Cook the Chicken and Cauliflower

Heat 1 Tbsp of oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. Once the oil is hot, add the chicken and cook, without stirring, until the bottom is well browned, about 5 to 7 minutes. Flip the chicken and add the **Cauliflower** to the pan. Continue cooking, stirring occasionally, until the cauliflower and chicken are both browned, 10 to 12 minutes.

Add the **Enchilada Sauce** and ¼ cup of water to the pan. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer until thickened slightly, about 3 to 5 minutes.

#### 4. Heat the Tortillas

While the sauce is simmering, heat the tortillas until just pliable. You can do this in a dry skillet on the stove or directly over a gas burner for about 30 to 60 seconds per tortilla.

#### 5. Roll and Bake the Enchiladas

Using a slotted spoon, remove the chicken and cauliflower (try to leave some of the sauce behind) from the skillet and divide between each of the **Corn Tortillas**. Once filled, roll the tortillas to close and place seam-side-down in the casserole dish. Bake just until the tortillas start to crisp, about 3 minutes.

Pour the reserved sauce over the enchiladas, and then sprinkle the **Chihuahua Cheese** over top. Bake until the cheese is melted and browned, 5 to 7 minutes. Enjoy!

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You want medium-length strips, so cut across the width of the chicken (the short side).

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

### Make The Meal Your Own

**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.

### Good To Know

**Health snapshot per serving** – 395 Calories, 10 g Protein, 10 g Fiber, 13 Smart Points **Have questions?** The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

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.

### 2. Cook the Rice

Once the water is boiling, add the **Jasmine Rice** and a pinch of salt. Reduce to a simmer and cover. Cook until all the water has been absorbed, about 20 to 25 minutes. Remove from the heat and fluff with a fork. Cover and set aside.

### 3. Roast the Vegetables

While the rice is cooking, put the **Cauliflower** and **Carrots & Peppers** on a rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with olive oil, season with salt and pepper and toss well. 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 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 baking 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 bowl.

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## Mexican Stuffed Peppers

This recipe started with smoky chipotle-spiced rice that had us fighting over every last grain. We wanted to make it a center-of-the-plate star, and when we tried stuffing it in a pepper, we knew we had a winner. It gets backed up with melty Chihuahua cheese and tasty cilantro sauce. The result is a dinner we love. 45 Minutes to the Table15 Minutes Hands On

1 Whisk Super Easy

### Getting Organized

EQUIPMENT Saucepan Casserole Dish

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Chipotle Onions Rice Corn & Beans Peppers Chihuahua Cheese Cilantro Sauce

### Make the Meal Your Own

**Omnivore's Option** – Ground turkey is a tasty choice for this recipe. Sauté it with the chipotle onions.

**Cooking with a picky eater?** The rice has a kick to it. Stuff the peppers with plain rice if you're cooking for someone who is spice averse.

### Good to Know

If you're making the vegan version, we've left the Chihuahua cheese out of your meal.

Health snapshot per serving – 451 Calories, 19 g Protein, 12 g Fiber, 15 Smart Points Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by 773.916.6339 from 5 to 8.

INGREDIENTS: Green Peppers, Corn, Black Beans, Rice, Chihuahua Cheese, Onion, Cilantro, Lime, Red Wine Vinegar, Chipotles in Adobo, Garlic, Concentrated Vegetable Stock, Garlic, Spices



### 1. Get Organized

Preheat your oven to 400.

#### 2. Make the Spanish Rice

Heat 2 Tbsp olive oil in a medium saucepan over high heat. Add the *Chipotle Onions* and cook for 5 minutes, until it browns at the bottom of the pan. Add the *Rice* and cook for a minute, mixing in.

Add 2 ½ cups of water. Bring to a boil, then cook uncovered for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add the *Corn & Beans*. Cook until most of the liquid has been absorbed and heated through, about 2 to 5 more minutes.

### 3. Bake the Peppers

While the rice is cooking, arrange the **Peppers** in a single layer in a casserole dish, cut side up. Bake for 10 minutes. Then, when the rice is done, fill with the rice and bake until the top of the rice browns lightly, about 5 to 7 minutes.

Take out of the oven and top with the *Chihuahua Cheese*, then return to the oven and bake until it browns lightly, about 5 minutes. Serve topped with the *Cilantro Sauce* and enjoy!

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In a hurry? Use your broiler. The cheese will brown in about 2 minutes, but watch it closely - it goes from brown to burnt in a heartbeat.

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## Fontina Baked Chicken

A classic Italian recipe and guaranteed crowd pleaser. With melted Fontina, crispy breadcrumbs and balsamic-glazed greens, all drizzled with an Italian cream sauce, it's a restaurant-worthy meal on the table in just 30 minutes.

**30** Minutes to the Table

**15** Minutes Hands On

2 Whisks Easy

Getting Organized

EQUIPMENT Large Oven-Safe Skillet Large Skillet

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

#### 6 MEEZ CONTAINERS Chicken Breast Roasted Red Peppers Fontina & Breadcrumbs Cream Sauce Spinach & Kale Balsamic Glaze

## Make The Meal Your Own

Have leftovers? These flavors are delicious with pasta. Just cook up your favorite and toss with the leftovers.

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Good To Know

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 - 574 Calories, 22g Fat, 50g Protein, 40g Carbs, 17 Smart Points

INGREDIENTS: Cage-Free Chicken, Roasted Red Pepper, Spinach, Fontina Cheese, Half & Half, White Wine, Kale, Panko Breadcrumbs, Balsamic Vinegar, Italian Breadcrumbs, Brown Sugar, Garlic, Herbs



Preheat your oven to 400.

#### 2. Prep and Cook the Chicken

Generously season the **Chicken Breast** 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).

Heat 1 tsp oil in a large oven-safe skillet over high heat. When the oil is hot, add the chicken breasts to the pan. Cook, without moving or flipping, until the bottom is browned and each piece begins to color up the side, about 3 minutes. Flip and continue cooking until the other side is well browned, about 3 more minutes. Turn off the heat.

#### 3. Bake the Chicken

Lay the **Roasted Red Peppers** evenly on top of the chicken breasts. Top with **Fontina** & **Breadcrumbs**, pressing down to cover the peppers and the entire chicken breast.

Pour the **Cream Sauce** into the bottom of the pan and return pan to medium-high heat. As soon as the sauce begins to boil, turn off the heat and place the skillet into the oven. Bake until the breadcrumbs are golden brown and the sauce has thickened, about 12 to 15 minutes.

### 4. Sauté the Greens

Heat 1 tsp oil in a large skillet over high heat. Add the **Spinach & Kale** and cook until lightly wilted, but still bright green, about 2 minutes. Stir in **Balsamic Glaze**, coating the greens, until thickened. Drain any excess liquid from the pan.

Serve the glazed greens alongside the baked chicken.

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The chicken will not be fully cooked at this point, but it will continue cooking in the oven.

The sauce will be very thick. We like it that way, but if you prefer a thinner sauce, add 1-2 Tbsp of water to the pan after it's been in the oven 5 minutes.

If you're cooking your greens in batches, use I tsp of oil per batch.

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## Barbequed Sweet Potato Couscous Gratin

We're turning the whole idea of an au gratin on its head this week. Forget the heavy, cream-based staples of classic French cooking. Instead, we're layering pearl couscous, broiled sweet potatoes smoky barbeque sauce and mozzarella. Then, we top it off with crispy kale for a vitamin-packed twist.

### **40** *Minutes to the Table*

**10** Minutes Hands On

1 Whisk Super Easy

### <u>Getting Organized</u>

EQUIPMENT Oven-Safe Saucepan Rimmed Baking Sheet

### FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Sweet Potatoes Pearl Couscous Barbeque Sauce Mozzarella & Cherries Kale

### Make The Meal Your Own

**Want this meal in a flash?** Prepare the sweet potatoes and couscous in advance. When it's time for dinner, assemble the casserole and sauté the kale. You'll be eating in 15 minutes.

Kids and picky eaters can eat their kale on the side.

### Good To Know

If you're making the vegan version, we've left out the cheese. It's just as delicious without it.

**If you're making the gluten-free version**, we've given you quinoa instead of couscous. Cooking it up is easy. Just bring 2 ½ cups of water to a boil, then add the quinoa and a dash of salt. Cover and lower the heat to a simmer. Cook for 12 to 15 minutes, until the grain looks spiraled. Fluff it and let it sit covered for 5 minutes.

**Health snapshot per serving** – 680 Calories, 24g Protein, 11g Fiber, 21 Smart Points **Have questions?** The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.

INGREDIENTS: Sweet Potatoes, Kale, Pearl Couscous, Barbeque Sauce, Mozzarella Cheese, Parmesan Cheese, Cherries, Garlic



Preheat your oven to 400 degrees and put a saucepan of water on to boil.

### 2. Roast the Sweet Potatoes

Put the **Sweet Potatoes** on a rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper and bake until the edges are crispy, about 15 to 25 minutes.

### 3. Cook the Couscous

Once the sweet potatoes are cooking, start the couscous. Salt the boiling water generously, add the **Pearl Couscous** and cook for 5 minutes. Drain and set aside.

### 4. Assemble the Casserole

Turn the oven down to 300 degrees and put the couscous back into the saucepan or, if it's not oven-safe, into a casserole dish. Add the cooked sweet potatoes, **Barbeque Sauce** and <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup water and mix well. Top with **Mozzarella & Cherries** and bake until the top is lightly browned and the cheese is melted, about 12 to 15 minutes.

### 5. Sauté the Kale

Once the gratin gets into the oven, arrange the **Kale** on your rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with olive oil, salt and pepper, and bake until softened and crisp on the edges, about 15 minutes. Serve the gratin topped with the kale.

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The couscous won't be done cooking in this first step. We're just parcooking it.

## Chile Relleno Burrito

This is our quick-to-table take on classic Mexican chiles rellenos. Roasted mild poblano peppers are enveloped with two different cheeses and protein-rich black beans, and then topped with spicy salsa before being wrapped up in a warm tortilla. (Fair warning for the spice adverse: this dinner has a little kick.)

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EQUIPMENT Baking Sheet Casserole Dish Saucepan

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Poblano Peppers Flour Tortillas Spiced Beans Mozzarella & Pepper Jack Tomatillo Salsa

### Make The Meal Your Own

**Omnivore's Option** – Roasted pork is great with this dinner. Add it to the mix as you roll the burrito.

### Good To Know

**If you're making the gluten-free version**, we've given you corn tortillas for tacos. Follow the instructions up through step 3 and then, instead of rolling a burrito, fill the tortillas like tacos.

**If you're making the vegan version**, we've left the cheese out of your meal. If you want to add something extra, sliced avocado and fresh lime juice are great additions.

**Need some help rolling a burrito**? It's easier than you think. Start by thinking about how the pros do it at Chipotle. Put the filling on the lower half of the tortilla. Fold the sides in, pull the bottom up over the filling, and then roll. You want a compact bundle, so keep the tortilla wrapped tightly around the filling.

Health snapshot per serving - 650 Calories, 31g Fat, 28g Protein, 62g Carbs, 20 Smart Points

**Lightened up snapshot** – 390 Calories, 15 g Fat and 16 SmartPoints with no tortillas – you'll be making stuffed peppers, instead.

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INGREDIENTS: Poblano Peppers, Black Beans, Tomatillos, Flour Tortillas, Pepper Jack Cheese, Mozzarella Cheese, Cream Cheese, Lime, Cilantro, Jalapeno, Spices



**30** Minutes to the Table

**15** Minutes Hands On

2 Whisks Easy

Preheat your broiler.

### 2. Roast the Poblano Peppers and Heat the Tortillas

Put the **Poblano Peppers** into a casserole dish, skin side up. Put the dish a few inches away from the broiler and cook until the peppers soften, about 5 to 7 minutes.

Put the *Flour Tortillas* on a baking sheet and then put into the oven on a lower rack. Heat them until they soften, about 3 minutes.

### 3. Heat the Beans

While the tortillas are cooking, heat 1 Tbsp olive oil in a saucepan over medium-high heat. Add the **Spiced Beans** and 3 Tbsp water. Heat, stirring, until warm. Remove from the heat and set aside.

### 4. Make the Burritos

Turn the oven to 375. Sprinkle some **Mozzarella & Pepper Jack** on each tortilla, followed by the pepper halves. Fill with beans, more cheese and some of the **Tomatillo Salsa**.

Put the burritos into the casserole dish seam side down and bake until lightly browned on the outside, about 5 to 10 minutes. Enjoy!

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Pat down the poblano peppers with an olive oildipped paper towel.

As you roll the burrito, try to roll it so you're making the pepper whole. This will give you the whole chile relleno experience as you eat.

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Mediferranean Grilled Cheese

<u>Getting Organized</u> FQUIPMENT

Non-Stick Skillet

FROM YOUR PANTRY 2 Tbsp Butter or Vegetable Oil

3 MEEZ CONTAINERS Sourdough Bread Mozzarella & Tomatoes Artichoke Pesto

Good to Know

#### Health Snapshot per serving

562 Calories, 19g Fat, 59g Carbs, 38g Protein 21 Smart Points

Lightened up snapshot (1 slice of bread) 432 Calories, 15g Fat, 30g Carbs, 16 Smart Points

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INGREDIENTS: Sourdough Bread, Mozzarella, Artichoke Hearts, Parmesan, Olive Oil, Sundried Tomato, Lemon Juice, Parsley, Spices



Heat 1 Tbsp of butter or oil in a non-stick skillet over medium heat.

#### 2. Make the Sandwich

Spread the **Artichoke Pesto** on both slices of **Sourdough Bread**. Place one piece of bread in the pan (pesto-side up) and top with the **Mozzarella & Tomatoes**, keeping them toward the middle of the bread. Top with the second slice of bread (pesto-side down) and press down gently.

Allow the bread to cook until brown, about 1 to 2 minutes, and then hold the top of the bread and flip. (We do this so nothing falls out of the sandwich). Cook an additional 3 to 4 minutes until the second side is brown. Turn off the heat, cover and let sit for 1 minute. Remove to a plate 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

805 Calories, 53g Fat, 55g Carbs, 32g Protein 25 Smart Points

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

5 Minutes to the Table

**5** Minutes Hands On

<u>Vijon Roasted Broccoli</u>

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**Bakina Sheet** 

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

**Omnivore's Option** – Bacon and broccoli are a perfect match. Crisp some in the oven or on the stove, chop into bits and add it in when you add the almonds.

FROM YOUR PANTRY Salt & Pepper Olive Oil

EQUIPMENT

3 MEEZ CONTAINERS Broccoli Almonds Dijon Vinaigrette

Good to Know

Health Snapshot per serving 319 Calories, 14g Carbs, 4g Protein, 11 Smart Points

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INGREDIENTS: Broccoli, Almonds, Olive Oil, Red Wine Vinegar, Whole Grain Mustard, Honey, Herbs and Spices



#### 1. Getting Started

Preheat your oven to 400.

#### 2. Roast the Broccoli

Toss the **Broccoli** with 1 1/2 Tbsp of olive oil and season with salt and pepper. Spread the broccoli in a single layer on a baking sheet and roast until it is beginning to brown on the sides, about 15 minutes, stirring once halfway through.

Remove the pan from the oven and sprinkle the **Almonds** over top. Return the broccoli and almonds to the oven and bake until the almonds are fragrant, about 5 additional minutes.

Pour the **Dijon Vinaigrette** on to your broccoli and mix well. Bake for 5 more minutes.

#### 3. Put It All Together

Season the broccoli with salt and pepper to taste. Enjoy!

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## Quick Tips

### Kung Pao Edamame wiłh Udon Noodles

### Crisp Salmon with Olive Tapenade

Chicken Enchiladas Rojas

15 Min	15 Min	1 Whisk	20 Min	20 Min	1 Whisk	40 Min	20 Min	1 Whisk
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Omnivore Option	Shrimp is grea	t in this dish.		Cook the Bru and potatoe	ussels sprouts es separately.	,	Replace the another vege	cauliflower with etable.

## Oven Roasted Cauliflower

and Chickped Curry					
35 Min	5 Min	1 Whisk			
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**Getting** Preheat your oven to 450 **Started** and boil 2 cups water.

Omnivore Ground lamb is a Option traditional addition to this.

### Mexican Stuffed Peppers

<b>45 Min</b> to Table	<b>15 Min</b> Hands On	1 Whisk Super Easy	
Getting Started	Preheat you	r oven to 400.	
	Ground turkey is a tasty choice.		
	ur You'll need some olive oil, ry salt and pepper for this.		

### Fontina Baked Chicken

<b>30 Min</b> to Table	<b>15 Min</b> Hands On	<b>2 Whisk</b> Easy
Getting Started	Preheat over	n to 400.
Leftovers Serve the left tip		overs over pasta.

### Barbequed Sweet Potato Couscous Gratin

#### Mediterranean Grilled Cheese 40 Min 10 Min 1 Whisk 30 Min 15 Min 2 Whisks 10 Min 5 Min 1 Whisk Hands On Super Easy to Table Hands On Easy to Table Hands On Super Easy to Table Getting Preheat your oven to 400 Gettina Preheat your broiler. Gettina Heat 1 tbsp of butter into a medium skillet. Started and put water on to boil. Started Started **Omnivore** Ribs are a great addition. Omnivore Roasted pork is right at From your You'll need some butter or Option Option home in this dish. Pantry vegetable oil.

Chile Relleno Burrito

Buddha Salad Bowl

5 Min	5 Min	1 Whisk	
to Table	Hands On	Super Easy	

Getting No pre-work needed. Started

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Dijon Roasted Broccoli Florets

30 Min	5 Min	1 Whisk
to Table	Hands On	Super Easy

Getting Preheat your oven to 400. Started

Omnivore Bacon would make a great Option addition.

## Health Snapshot

Kung Pao Edamame	Salmon Tapanade	Chicken Enchiladas	Cauliflower Curry	Mexican Stuffed Peppers
464 Calories	707 Calories	545 Calories	395 Calories	451 Calories
19 g Protein	40 g Protein	50 g Protein	12 g Protein	19g Protein
20 g Fat	43 g Fat	20 g Fat	10 g Fat	10g Fat
53 g Carbs.	41 g Carbs.	50 g Carbs.	69 g Carbs.	78 g Carbs
7 g Fiber	6 g Fiber	5 g Fiber	9 g Fiber	12g Fiber
1,315 mg Sod.	438 mg Sod.	315 mg Sodium	734 mg Sodium	236 mg Sodium
14 Smart Points	20 Smart Points	14 Smart Points	13 Smart Points	15 Smart Points
79% Vit. A 47% Vit. C 4% Calcium	131% Vitamin C 92% Vit. B-6 86% Vit. B-12	60% Vitamin B6 50% Vitamin C 30% Calcium	155% Vitamin A 238% Vitamin C 38% Calcium	289% Vitamin C 26% Calcium 18% Vitamin A

### Lighten Up Option

Many of our meals can be prepared without all of the calorie-dense ingredients and still keep their magic.

Kung Pao	Tapanade	Enchiladas	Curry	Peppers
No changes	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> the sauce and potatoes	½ cheese	No changes	No changes
464 Calories		490 Calories	395 Calories	451 Calories
20 g Fat	530 Calories	15 g Fat	10 g Fat	10 g Fat
14 Smart Points	30 g Fat 16 Smart Points	11 Smart Points	13 Smart Points	15 Smart Points

These are our best estimates for a single serving based on the recipes as written. The actual nutritional information may vary a bit. And, of course, if you have leftovers, the actual numbers will be lower.

## Health Snapshot

Fontina Chicken 547 Calories 50 g Protein 22 g Fat 40 g Carbs. 3 g Fiber 533 mg Sod.	Barbequed Couscous 680 Calories 25g Protein 10 g Fat 124 g Carbs. 11 g Fiber 1072 mg Sod.	Chile Relleno Burrito 650 Calories 28 g Protein 31 g Fat 62 g Carbs. 6 g Fiber 990 mg Sod.	Grilled Cheese 562 Calories 38 g Protein 19 g Fat 59 g Carbs. 4 g Fiber 1284 mg Sod.	Buddha Salad Bowl 804 Calories 32g Protein 53 g Fat 55 g Carbs. 11 g Fiber 2342 mg Sodium	Dijon Roasted Broccoli 319 Calories 4 g Protein 26 g Fat 14 g Carbs. 3 g Fiber 288 mg Sod.
17 Smart Points	21 Smart Points	20 Smart Points	17 Smart Points	25 Smart Points	11 Smart Points
111% Vit. A 196% Vitamin C 30% Calcium	713% Vitamin 110% Vitamin C 33% Calcium	26% Folate 43% Calcium 6% Vitamin C	76% Calcium 4% Vitamin C 2% Folate	106% Vitamin A 68% Vitamin C 13% Folate	12% Vit. E 5% Calcium 43% Vit. C

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Chicken	<b>Couscous</b>	<b>Burrito</b>	Sandwich	Buddha Bowl	<b>Broccoli</b>
No changes	No changes	No tortillas	1 slice of bread	No changes	No changes
574 Calories	680 Calories	390 Calories	432 Calories	804 Calories	319 Calories
22 g Fat	10 g Fat	15 g Fat	15 g Fat	53 g Fat	26 g Fat
17 Smart Points	21 Smart Points	14 Smart Points	12 Smart Points	25 Smart Points	11 Smart Points