HEALTHY EATING RECIPES

The following are examples of recipes that include many healthy ingredients.

JUICY FRUIT SALAD

Preparation: 5 minutes Ready In: 5 minutes

Ingredients:

- 1 (15 oz.) can of pineapple chunks with juice
- 1 apple, peeled, cored, and diced
- 1 orange, peeled, diced, and juice reserved
- 1 banana, sliced
- 1 cup of seedless green grapes, halved

Directions:

- 1. In a large bowl, toss together the pineapple, apple, orange, banana, and grapes.
- 2. Add the juice from the pineapple and orange and chill until serving.



EASY RED PEPPER HUMMUS

Preparation: 10 minutes Ready In: 10 minutes

Ingredients:

- 1 (16 oz.) can garbanzo beans (chickpeas), drained and rinsed
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 medium red bell pepper, cut into ½ inch pieces
- 1 tablespoon tahini
- 1 lime, juiced
- 1 ½ tablespoons water
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
- Bag of pita chips or Wheat Thin crackers

Directions:

1. In a food processor or blender, blend the garbanzo beans, olive oil, red bell pepper, tahini, lime juice, water, salt, black pepper, and garlic powder.

- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Transfer to a bowl and serve with pita chips or Wheat Thin cracker.

BAKED KALE CHIPS

Preparation: 10 minutes Ready In: 20 minutes

Ingredients:

- 1 bunch kale
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 teaspoon seasoned salt

Directions:

- 1. Preheat an oven to 350°F (175 °C).
- 2. Line a non-insulated cookie sheet with parchment paper.
- 3. With a knife or kitchen shears, carefully remove the kale leaves from the thick stems and tear into bite-sized pieces.

- 4. Wash and thoroughly dry the kale with a salad spinner.
- 5. Drizzle kale with olive oil and sprinkle with seasoned salt.
- 6. Bake for 10 minutes or until the edges are brown, but are not burnt.

STRAWBERRY OATMEAL BREAKFAST SMOOTHIE

Preparation: 5 minutes Ready In: 5 minutes

Ingredients:

- 1 cup soy milk
- ½ cup rolled oats
- 1 banana, broken into chunks
- 14 frozen strawberries
- ½ teaspoon vanilla extract (optional)
- 1 ½ teaspoons white sugar (optional)

Directions:

1. In a blender, combine soy milk, oats, banana, and strawberries.

- 2. Add vanilla and sugar if desired.
- 3. Blend until smooth.
- 4. Pour into glasses and serve.

MOCK TUNA SALAD

Preparation: 20 minutes Ready In: 20 minutes

Ingredients:

- 1 (19 oz.) can of garbanzo beans (chickpeas), drained and mashed
- 2 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 2 teaspoons spicy brown mustard
- 1 tablespoon sweet pickle relish
- 2 green onions, chopped
- Salt and pepper, to taste
- 1 head of red leaf or green leaf lettuce

Directions:

1. In a medium bowl, combine garbanzo beans, mayonnaise, mustard, relish, green onions, salt, and pepper.

- 2. Mix well.
- 3. Rinse lettuce.
- 4. Place lettuce in individual servings and place mock tuna on top as desired.