

May Menu, Super Fast: Grocery List

Serves 4

- 1. Meal 1: Seared Tuna w/ Mashed Sweet Potato & Asparagus
- 2. Meal 2: Italian Chicken Legs w/ Roasted Zucchini, Onion & Bell Pepper
- 3. Meal 3: Pork & Veggie Kebobs w/ Grilled Bananas
- 4. Meal 4: Beef & Spinach Tacos w/ Jicama Slices
- 5. Salad: Arugula w/ Blueberries, Walnuts & Cheddar
- 6. Breakfast: Poached Eggs over Sweet Potatoes w/ Avocado Slices
- 7. Snack: Grapes
- 8. Dessert: Dark Chocolate w/ Almond Butter



Veggies

- 1 bunch cilantro, optional (4,6)
- 1 bunch asparagus (1)
- 8 sweet potatoes (1,6)
- 2 zucchini, ~2# (2,3)
- 1 red onion (2)
- 3 bell peppers, mixed color (2)
- 1 pint cherry tomatoes (3)
- 1 large jicama (4)
- (OR sub w/ carrots)
- 2 avocados (6)
- 8oz button mushrooms (3)
- 5oz tub baby spinach (4)
- 5oz tub arugula (5)
- 1 bunch Bibb lettuce (4)
- (OR sub romaine or corn taco shells)



Fruit

- 4 bananas (3)
- 1 pint blueberries (5)
- 1 bunch grapes (7)



Meats

- 4 bone-in, skin-on chicken legs (2)
- 1.5# boneless, skinless pork chops (3)
- 1-2# ground grassfed beef (4)



Fish

4 Tuna fillets, 4-6oz ea. (1) (OR sub halibut or salmon or pork chops)



Eggs

8 eggs, omega 3 (6)



Dairy (optional)

8oz grated cheddar (4,5)



Nuts

½c chopped walnuts, optional (5)



Oils & Vinegars

~2c olive oil ½c balsamic vinegar (5) 1T apple cider vinegar (6)



Pantry

- 8 corn taco shells (4) (if not using lettuce for wraps) 8oz dark chocolate (8)* ½c almond butter (8)* ~½c salsa (4)* 2T lite coconut milk, optional (1)*
- 8 skewers for kebobs (3)



Spices

4T Italian seasoning (2,3)* 2T taco seasoning (4)* (OR sub chili powder)

^{*}Note: read all ingredient lists; avoid added msg, sugar, gluten, salt, etc.



May Menu, Super Fast: Prep Day (1 hour!)

Pre-heat oven to 400 F (1,6)





Sweet Potatoes: Cut 8 sweet potatoes in half, wrap each half in foil & bake for 45-55 minutes or until knife inserts easily. (1,6)



Asparagus: Remove & discard lower 2-3" from asparagus bunch. [*] (1)

Jicama: Peel & cut 1 jicama bulb into thick "match sticks" to serve with tacos. [*] (4)

Zucchini, Onion, Pepper: Cut 1 red onion & 1 zucchini & 3 bell pepper into ~1" pieces; toss w/ 2-3T olive oil + S&P. [*] (2)

Kebob: Cut remaining 1 zucchini into 2" pieces, cut pork into 2" pieces, set both aside. (3)

Cilantro: Finely chop 1 bunch cilantro leaves (optional). [*] (4,6)



Tacos

In large sauté pan, add 1-2# ground beef, heat over medium-high, breaking apart meat. Add 5oz baby spinach, 1-2T taco seasoning (or chili powder) & cook 8-10 minutes or beef is cooked through. Season w/ S&P if needed. [*] (4)



Salad (5)

Layer in 5oz arugula container as follows: 1/2 tub arugula 1/2 pint blueberries 1/4c grated cheddar cheese 1/4c chopped walnuts
Repeat layers. [*] (5)

Chicken Marinade

Whisk together $\frac{1}{2}$ c olive oil + 2T Italian seasoning + 1T salt + 1tsp pepper. Marinate 4 chicken legs. [*] (2)

Kebobs

Whisk together $\frac{1}{2}$ c olive oil + 2T Italian seasoning + S&P. Marinate 1.5# cubed pork. [*] (3) Optional: skewer veggies now, alternating between 1 pint cherry tomatoes, 8oz button mushrooms & 1 chopped zucchini. [*] (3)



Balsamic Dressing/ Marinade: Whisk together: 1c olive oil + 1/2c balsamic vinegar. Season w/ S&P. [*] (3,5)

KEY - [*]: store in container, label & refrigerate for use later in week

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May Menu, Super Fast: Dish Day

Day 1

Seared Tuna w/ Mashed Sweet Potato & Asparagus (1)

- 1. Peel 4-8 sweet potato halves and place in a small pot/ sauté pan. Mash with a fork until smooth.
- 2. Add 2T lite coconut milk (or 2T water) to potatoes. Heat over med heat for 10-15 min, stir occasionally. Season w/ salt.
- 3. Heat 2T coconut (or olive) oil in a large saute pan (or 2 medium pans). Add asparagus & tuna steaks.
- 4. Cook tuna ~3 min/ side or desired doneness. Stir asparagus occasionally. Season tuna & asparagus w/ S&P.

Day 2

Italian Chicken Legs w/ Roasted Zucchini, Onion & Bell Pepper (2)

- 1. Pre-heat oven to 425 F.
- 2. Remove chicken legs from marinade & bake for 30-40 minutes or an internal temperature of 165 F.
- 3. Place chopped veggies in a single layer on a baking sheet & bake for 20-25 minutes.

Day 3

Meal 3: Pork & Veggie Kebobs w/ Grilled Bananas (3)

- 1. Pre-heat grill. Remove pork from marinade & skewer with button mushrooms, zucchini & cherry tomatoes.
- 2. Grill kebobs for ~10-12 minutes, or until pork is cooked through, flipping halfway through cooking.
- 3. Keep bananas in peel & cut in half lengthwise. Grill \sim 4 min flesh side down, then 4 min peel side down. Season w/ &6. Note: Skewers can be cooked on an indoor grill (ie, George Foreman) for \sim 3-4 min or "unskewered" in a sauté pan for 8-10 min.

Day 4

Beef & Spinach Tacos w/ Jicama Slices (4)

1. Heat taco mixture in a large sauté pan over med-high heat for 4-6 minutes. Serve in lettuce wraps (or taco shells) w/ salsa, cilantro θ cheese.

Salad

Arugula w/ Blueberries, Walnuts & Cheddar (5)

1. Shake balsamic vinaigrette well & drizzle over salad.

Breakfast

Poached Eggs over Sweet Potatoes with Avocado Slices (6)

- 1. Re-heat 4 sweet potatoes in pre-heated oven, toaster oven or microwave (or mash and re-heat on stovetop, see D1, #182.)
- 2. Bring a pot of water to a very low simmer, add 1T apple cider vinegar. Slowly add 4 cracked eggs and cook 5 min. Remove.
- 3. Serve eggs over heated sweet potatoes & topped w/ avocado slices & chopped cilantro (optional). Season w/ S&P.

Snack

Grapes (7)

Dessert

Dark Chocolate w/ Almond Butter (8)