# **Easy Squash Pudding**

## **Ingredients**

- 1 cup baked butternut squash
- 3/4 cup coconut cream
- 1 Tablespoon coconut oil



### **Instructions**

- 1. Cut your butternut squash in half. Remove the seeds. Rub the interior of each half with some olive oil or coconut oil. Place halves, cut side down, on a baking tray, and bake in a preheated oven set to 375 degrees F for 35 minutes or until squash flesh is tender. Remove squash from the oven. Let cool a bit and then scoop out the squash flesh. You will be using 1 cup of it for 2 servings of this squash pudding.
- 2. Add the baked squash into a blender.
- 3. Then, melt the coconut oil by placing it in a microwave-safe bowl and microwaving it for 20-30 seconds. Then add melted coconut oil into the blender with the squash.
- 4. Open the can of coconut cream and scoop out as much of the solid parts of the coconut cream as vou can and add that to the blender as well.
- 5. Then add in the sweetener, cinnamon, and cardamom, and blend until all ingredients are well incorporated and the mixture is smooth.
- 6. Spoon into individual servings jars and chill for about an hour or so.
- 7. Serve with whipped coconut cream and pomegranate arils

Adapted from savoryspin.com

# Fall Chopped Salad



## **Ingredients**

- 1 small (11/2 pounds) butternut squash, peeled and cut into 1/2-inch dice (about 4 cups)
- 2 cloves garlic, minced or 2 teaspoons garlic powder
- 3 Tablespoons oil
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon ground pepper
- 2 Tablespoons vinegar (apple cider or white)
- 1 teaspoon honey
- 2 teaspoons spicy or yellow mustard
- 4 cups baby spinach, roughly chopped
- 1 medium tart apple, diced
- ½ cup diced or shredded Cheddar cheese
- ½ cup toasted chopped pecans or other nut, optional

### Instructions

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F.
- 2. Put squash, garlic, 1 Tablespoon oil, 1/4 teaspoon salt, and 1/4 teaspoon pepper in a big bowl. Stir them together.
- 3. Spread on a large baking sheet and roast, stirring once, until tender, about 20 minutes.
- 4. Meanwhile, mix the rest of the 2 Tablespoons oil, vinegar, honey, mustard, and the rest of the 1/4 teaspoon each salt and pepper in the large bowl.
- 5. Add the roasted squash, spinach, apple, cheese and nuts. Toss to coat.

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# **How to Peel and Cut Butternut Squash**

### **Step 1: Remove the Skin**

Grab a sturdy peeler and start peeling off the skin. Keep going until you get down to the brightorange flesh, which usually means a couple of passes with the peeler. You can also use a paring knife. Kitchen Hack: Microwaving the squash will make it much easier to peel. Simply slice off the top and bottom, poke the squash all over with a fork and microwave it on high for about 3 minutes. When it's cool enough to handle, peel the squash.

### **Step 2: Slice Crosswise**

With a large, heavy knife, on top of a secure cutting board, slice off the top of the squash, then slice the squash in half crosswise, right at the top of the bottom bulging part.

# Step 3: Cut the Top Part Lengthwise

Take the top cylindrical part and cut the whole thing in half from top to bottom.

# **Step 4: Cut the Bottom Part Lengthwise**

Cut the bulbous bottom in half from top to bottom. You will see a cavity filled with seeds in each half.

# **Step 5: Scoop Out Seeds & Strings**

Trim off the bottom stem edge of both bottom halves, and use a spoon to scoop out the seeds and any strings

### **Step 6: Cut the Top Into Strips**

Cut the long, upper halves into 1-inch-thick planks (or to the thickness you desire), then cut those planks into 1-inch-thick strips.

## **Step 7: Cut the Strips Into Cubes**

Cut the strips crosswise so that you create 1-inch square cubes.

#### **Step 8: Repeat with the Bottom**

Cut the bottom halves into 1-inchthick strips, and then cut those crosswise into 1-inch pieces (the bottom half will not yield such symmetrical cubes, but that's okay).

Adapted from foodnetwork.com

















# **Butternut Apple Crisp**



## **Ingredients**

- 1 small (about 1 pound) butternut squash
- 3 medium tart apples, sliced
- 2 Tablespoons lemon juice
- ½ cup packed brown sugar
- 1 Tablespoon corn starch
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- ½ teaspoon salt

### **For Topping**

- ½ cup all-purpose flour
- ½ cup oats (old fashioned rolled or quick-cooking)
- ¼ cup packed brown sugar
- ¼ cup butter, melted

#### Instructions

- 1. Heat oven to 375 degrees F. Lightly grease a 13x9-inch baking dish.
- 2. Peel squash and cut in half lengthwise; discard seeds. Cut squash into thin slices.
- 3. In a large bowl, stir together the filling ingredients until well mixed.
- 4. Pour filling into baking dish. Cover and bake for 20 minutes.
- 5. In a medium bowl, stir together brown sugar, flour and oats. Mix in the margarine or butter and set aside.
- Remove baking dish from oven and sprinkle topping over filling. Return uncovered dish to oven.
- 7. Bake 25 minutes longer or until squash and apples are tender and topping is lightly browned. Serve warm
- 8. Refrigerate leftovers within 2 hours.

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