# WHAT'S FOR Dinner???

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### EATING OUT





### THAI

Spicy Dishes include: **Singaapore Noodle, Red Curry** (shown),
Massaman or Green Curry, Ginger
or Basil stir fries over rice. Mild
Noodle Dishes: Pad Thai, Woon
Sen, Fried Rice, **Tom Kha Kai Soup**(shown, check vegan) and more.
Order with veggies or tofu, no egg
or fish sauce.



### ETHIOPIAN

Group dinner is served on a large pancake tray with mild and spicey dishes arranged on top: Lentil and chickpea dishes; potato, cabbage & carrot; greens; beets, and green salad; all scooped and eaten with and on injera flat bread (shown). Find these delicious restaurants in larger cities.



### MIDDLE-EASTERN

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Portabella/vegetable Stir Fry w.

Rice, Falafel chickpea balls (shown).

Baba Ghanoush, Grape Leaves.

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### INDIAN

Spicy! Samosa, Spinach & Potatoes (Saag Aloo),
Cauliflower (Aloo Gobi) (shown).
Lentils or chickpeas (Dahl),
Channa), eggplant & peas
(Baingen Bharta), okra (Bhindi)...
South Indian specialtes include
Uttapam (dinner pancakes) and
Dosas (filled crepes).



### ITALIAN

Ever popular **Pizza** (shown)... and noodles: Spaghetti Marinara or stir fry veggies in olive oil and garlic.

### CHINESE

May include a variety of mild and spicy Tofu and/or Veggie dishes: greens with mushroooms, broccoli, moo shu.

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### SUMMER MEALS

Select 3 or More of:

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### SOUPS (COLD)

Watermellon and Fennel Soup with Fruit (shown). Gazpacho (below): tomatoes, cucumber, onion with specialty vinegar or lemon juice. Rhubarb Soup with Berries. Warm light soups might include Miso soup with Greens.



### BREADS, PANCAKES & SANDWICHES

**Teff Bread** (or other wheat or Gluten-Free). Banana, Pumpkin or Blueberry Oat or Buckwheat Muffins or Pancakes. Pates to spread include Walnut & Basil pate, Curried Chickpea Salad, Peanut Butter/ Almond/ Cashew Butter & Jelly. Potato Pancakes & apple sauce. Pizza.



### SALADS

Chickpea or lentil Noodle Salad (shown) with your choice of added toppings and favorite vinegarette dressing. Also, the ever-popular 3-Bean Salad, Potato Salad, Lettuce Salad and Apple Salad with Peanut-Butter-Apple Juice Dressing (shown), Waldorf Salad (or other fruit salad).



### **VEGGIES & FRUITS**

Mushrooms cooked in toasted sesame oil and ume plum vinegar, served on yam.

Artichoke (shown). Corn on the cob, asparagus, steamed kale with favorite vinaigrette. Berry and/or Mango Smoothies with greens. French fries, melon with blueberries (below).

Watermelon.



### PROTEINS

Barbecue beans, burger (shown), plant-protein sausages, hot dogs. Lentil salad with cherry tomatoes and pineapple (cold). Quinoa Salad with Olives & Corn. Baked beans.



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### FALL-WINTER MEALS



### **SOUPS - PROTEIN**

Hot soups include Mexican Black Bean Soup (Beans, salsa, tomato sauce) (shown), Lentil & Veggie Soup, Navy Bean Soup, Chili with Mushrooms, Green Beans and Corn. Peanut Butter Soup with Okra and Corn. Tofu-Miso soup.



### SOUPS - OTHER

Creme of Tomato-Basil (shown),
Broccoli, or Asparagus (when made
with cashew creme, adds protein).
Mushroom-Barley Soup, Stews:
tomato, miso or wine-soy sauce
based. Spicy Yam Soup with Peanuts.
Onion Soup (with miso), Minestrone
(with bean noodles). Spinach Soup.
Breads or Salads go well with Soups.



### MAIN DISHES

Mushroom Stroganoff with Cashew Cream over Chickpea Noodles (shown). Zucchini Lasagna, Coriander Potato Enchiladas with Corn, Olives, Refried Bean-Guacamole Tacos, Cajun/Creole/ Italian Stuffed Peppers with Quinoa and Lentils.



### STIR-FRIES

Proteins may include: walnuts, peanuts, cashews, tofu, tempeh, seitan or chickpeas.
Seasonings may include: garlic, ginger, basil, chili peppers, Italian spices, vinegar, soy sauce. Your choice of veggies, shown here with black rice.



### **DESERTS**

Mini-Banana Split with nuts and/or berries (shown).
Cupcakes, brownies, berry pies or raw (e.g., peach) pie with walnut crust. Tapioca or rice pudding. Apple strudel.

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## Nutrition Guide

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### Vegetables

Includes cruciferous (broccoli, bok choi, cabbage, kale, arugula), other greens, root vegetables, asparagus, squash, peppers, mushrooms, salad vegetables, sea vegetables. Most veggies: high in fiber & protein (25%), low in fat (10%). Calcium: high in greens.

Vit. C: greens, tomatoes. Vit. A: carrots, yams, greens, winter squash.





### Fruit

Includes: berries, melons, apples/pears/peaches, citrus, grapes, bananas, avocado, mango,...

Ascorbic Acit (Vit. C) in citrus, melons, kiwi and some berries.

Beta-carotene (Vit. A) in yellow/orange fruit apricots, peaches, tangerines, cantelope



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### Legumes, Nuts Seeds

Includes: Legumes (lentils, peas, peanuts, beans) nuts, seeds (sunflower, sesame, pumpkin seeds).

Legumes are high in **protein** (25%), carbohydrates (**energy**) **and fiber**. Soy is very high in protein; is found in tofu, miso, tempeh. Nuts and seeds are high in fat and some protein (10%).





### Grains

Include: rice, corn, quinoa, oats, buckwheat, wheat, faro, barley, teff, rye, amaranth..

Grains are a source of carbohydrates (energy), fiber, Vit. B and E, and minerals depending on soil and whole grain status.

Vit. B12 must be supplemented in vegan diet, Vit D is recommended





