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# Blender Bike Smoothie Recipe Suggestions



### Choose your base liquid:

Add 1 cup of liquid to your blender. If you like a thinner smoothie, add 1.5-2 cups. Choose from:

- Water
- Skim, 1%, or 2% milk
- Unsweetened fortified soy beverage

### Choose your veggies & fruit:

Add ½ cup veggies and ½ cup fruit to your blender. You can use fresh or frozen.

Try new-to-you veggies and fruit and mix them up!

### Veggies to try Fruit to try

- Spinach
- Kale
- Cucumberslices
- · Cauliflowerflorets · Pineapple
- Shreddedcarrots
  Blueberries

- Strawberries
- Mango
- Banana
- Shreddedzucchini Raspberries

### 3 Choose your extras:

Try adding in some healthy add-ins.

Some options are:

- 1/2 cupplain Greek or regular yogurt
- 1 tablespoon nut butter
- ½ teaspoon cinnamon or otherspice
- Ice cubes

### Blend it up and enjoy!



### **Food Safety Tips**

- Before getting started, wash your hands (with warm, soapy water); sanitize counter tops and utensils
- Wash your fruit and vegetables by running them under safe waterbefore adding them to your smoothie
- If you are using water as the liquid in your smoothie, be sure to use safe drinking water
- Remember to wash and sanitize your blender after using it; make sure to take apartall of the pieces
- If you have leftover smoothies, store them at 4°C or lower in a sealed container

Choose veggies and fruit that are grown locally when possible!

## **SMOOTHIE RECIPES - SUGGESTED SHOPPING LIST**

### (based on smoothie recipes below)

Ingredient	Amount
Milk	2x 4L (bags)
Vanilla yogurt	4x 750g containers
Frozen strawberries	2 regular size bags
Frozen mixed berries	2 regular size bags
Frozen peach (or mango or other tropical fruit mix)	2 regular size bag
Bananas	10
Spinach	1 big box (pre-washed)
Carrots	1 3lb bag OR 1 large bag of baby carrots
Oats (smaller flakes)	1 small bag
Cocoa powder	1 small can
Cinnamon, nutmeg and ginger	1 small bag of each
Black beans	1-19 oz can
Salsa	1 Jar
Chickpeas	1-19 oz can
Black pepper	1 Small bag
Salt	1 Small bag
Cumin	1 Small bag
Seed butter (WOW Butter or sunflower seed butter)	1 Jar
Maple Syrup	1 Jar
Vanilla Extract	1 Small container
Fresh fruit to dip	Apples, grapes, strawberries
Whole wheat pita bread	1 bag
Lime	1 lime
Whole peeled tomatoes with their juices	1-28 oz Can
Red onion chopped	½ onion
Jalapenos	2 Units
Fresh Cilantro	1 bunch
Garlic	3 Cloves
Almond milk and vegan yogurt	As needed!

# PRO TIP: LEAVE YOUR FROZEN FRUIT OUT OF THE FREEZER FOR 30 MIN PRIOR TO EVENT (NO LONGER THAN 2 HOURS)

This recipe makes approximately 15 x 5oz sample cups half filled.

#### **BANANA BERRY SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt
- 1 small banana
- ½ cup of fresh/frozen berries (any combination)

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample/taster cups and enjoy fresh!

Source: Cookspiration



#### **PEACH & OATS SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla 2 peaches (sliced, peel on OR frozen)
- 1/3 cup of oats (small flakes)
- 2 tsp of cinnamon
- 1 cup of ice cubes

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample/taster cups and enjoy fresh!

Suggestion – the peaches can also be replaced with frozen mango or a tropical fruit mix.

Source: Produce for kids – creating a healthier generation



#### **BERRY & OATS SNACK SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt
- 1 cup of fresh/frozen berries (any combination)
- ¾ cups of oats (small flakes)
- ½ cup of ice cubes

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample/taster cups and enjoy fresh!

Source: Crème de la Crumb



#### **BANANA-COCOA SNACK SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt (1 small banana)
- 2 tablespoons of cocoa powder
- 1 cup of ice cubes

#### **PREPARATION**

Combine all the ingredients in a blender.

Blend until smooth.

Pour into sample/taster cups cup and enjoy fresh!

Source: Our Family Eats



#### **BERRY BLAST SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt
- 2 cups of frozen mixed berries
- 2 cups loosely packed baby spinach (about two handfuls)

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample/taster cups and enjoy fresh!

Source: She Knows



#### **CARROT CAKE SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt
- 1 medium banana
- 1 cup of diced carrots (about 2 medium carrots)
- 1 tsp of maple syrup (as needed)
- Pinch of cinnamon, ginger and nutmeg (as desired)

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample/taster cups and enjoy fresh!

Source: Gimme some oven



### **SEED BUTTER & COCOA FUEL SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt
- 1 small banana
- 2 tablespoons of cocoa powder
- 2 tablespoons of seed butter
- 1 cup of ice cubes

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample/taster cups and enjoy fresh!

Source: Allrecipes



#### **GREEN PEACHY SMOOTHIE**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1.5 cups (375 ml) of milk
- 1 cup (250 ml) of vanilla yogurt (<3.25% fat)
- 1 medium banana
- 1.5 cup of frozen peaches
- 2 cups loosely packed of baby spinach (about two handfuls)

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender.
- 2. Blend until smooth.
- 3. Pour into sample cups and enjoy fresh!

Source: Super Healthy Kids



#### **BLACK BEAN DIP**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1-19 oz can Black beans, drained and rinsed.
- ½ cup salsa
- 1 garlic clove
- 1 tsp ground cumin
- 1/8 tsp ground black pepper
- 2 whole wheat pitas
- 1 medium carrot
- 1 medium cucumber
- 2 medium celery sticks



#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Combine beans, salsa, garlic and spices in the blender
- 2. Blend until smooth, add water if dip is too thic
- 3. Pour into bowl and enjoy with washed raw vegetables and pita cut into 8 wedges.

Source: YTC

#### **CHOCOLATE HUMMUS**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 2 cup chickpeas (garbanzo beans)
- 4 tablespoon cocoa powder, unsweetened
- 2 tablespoon seed butter
- 1/4 cup maple syrup
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 tablespoon milk or more to reach desired consistency

#### **PREPARATION**

- 1. Add all ingredients into blender, and puree until very smooth. Add additional milk, 1 tablespoon at a time (if necessary) to reach desired consistency.
- 2. Serve with fresh fruit, crackers, or pita chips

Source: Super Healthy Kids



#### **SALSA**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 1 (28-ounce) can whole peeled tomatoes with their juices
- 1/2 small red onion coarsely chopped
- 2 jalapenos seeds removed, and coarsely chopped
- 2 garlic cloves
- 1 cup fresh cilantro loosely packed
- 1 teaspoon cumin
- 1 teaspoon salt or to taste
- Juice of one lime



- In a blender, or food processor, add tomatoes, onion, jalapenos, garlic, cilantro, cumin, salt and juice of one lime.
- 2. Blend until the salsa is as chunky or smooth as you would like. Taste and add more salt if desired.

Source: therecipecritic.com

