

Healthy Gingerbread Loaf

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Prep Time: 8 minutes
Cook Time: 45 minutes
Total Time: 53 minutes

Servings: 12 slices **Calories:** 171 kcal

Ingredients

- 2 cups spelt or whole wheat flour
- 1 tbsp ginger
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp nutmeg
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 1/2 tsp baking soda
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 2 eggs large
- 1 cup applesauce unsweetened
- 1/4 cup molasses
- 1/4 cup maple syrup or honey + more for glazing
- 3 tbsp avocado oil
- 1 tsp pure vanilla extract
- Cooking spray I use Misto

Instructions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F, line 9 x 5 loaf pan with unbleached parchment paper and spray with cooking spray.
- 2. In a medium bowl, add flour, ginger, cinnamon, nutmeg, baking powder + soda, and salt; whisk well to combine.
- 3. In another medium bowl, whisk eggs for 10 seconds. Add applesauce, molasses, maple syrup, oil and vanilla; whisk until mixed well.
- 4. Pour into a bowl with dry ingredients and mix with spatula gently, just enough to combine or until you see no more white flour pockets. Do not stir vigorously or over mix.
- 5. Pour into prepared loaf pan and bake for 45 minutes or until toothpick inserted comes out clean. Remove from the oven, let cool for 5 minutes and transfer to a cooling rack to cool off for 1 hour.

