

RECIPE

Peanut Butter Black Bean Brownies



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Ingredients

- 1-15 oz can black beans, drained and rinsed
- ½ cup gluten-free oat flour (can sub regular gluten-free all-purpose flour)
- 3 Tbsp raw cacao powder (or unsweetened cocoa powder)
- ½ cup maple syrup
- ¼ cup grass-fed organic butter or ghee (or coconut oil for vegan version)
- 2 tsp vanilla extract
- ½ tsp baking powder
- ¼ tsp salt
- ½ cup chocolate chips
- ½ cup peanut butter chips, OR ½ cup warmed peanut butter to marble the top
- Optional: flakey salt or more chocolate and PB chips for topping

Preparation

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350.
- 2. Put black beans in a food processor, and process until it turns into a paste. Add the oat flour, cacao powder, maple syrup, butter, vanilla, baking powder, and salt, and process until fully combined.
- 3. Fold in chocolate and peanut butter (PB) chips (or just chocolate if not using PB), and transfer to a parchment paper-lined 9x9 baking pan. Top with optional flaky salt and/or optional peanut butter. Use a thin tool to marble the peanut butter and spread it out over the top.
- 4. Bake brownies for 20-25 minutes, or until you can place a toothpick in them and it comes out almost clean or you shake it and it doesn't jiggle.
- 5. Remove from the oven, and let cool for at least an hour before cutting.