



MEAL PREP Recipe Bundle

Steak & Chicken

2 servings of each:

Southern-Spiced Steak

with Red Rice & Spicy Ranch

Balsamic-Dijon Steak

with Roasted Vegetables & Pistachios

Mexican Chicken

with Veggie Rice & Guajillo Sour Cream

Chicken & Red Pepper **Dressing**

with Oregano-Roasted Vegetables

Let's get cooking

ONE PREP. EIGHT SERVINGS. OPTIONS FOR DAYS. Here's your easy step-by-step guide for making mealtime magic—from Prep Day to putting on the finishing touches when you're ready to serve and eat.



Wine pairings available from blueapron.com/wine



Serve steak dishes with Blue Apron wine that has this symbol based on its flavor profile.



Serve chicken dishes with Blue Apron wine that has this symbol based on its flavor profile.



STORAGE YOU'LL NEED





TOOLS YOU'LL NEED

Knife, Cutting Board, Mixing Bowls, Wooden Spoon, 1 Medium Pot, 1 Large Nonstick Pan, 2 Sheet Pans

Main Cooking Ingredients

For All Recipes



Steaks



Boneless.







Grape Tomatoes



Red Rice Blend



Broccoli



3/4 lb Carrots



Poblano Pepper



Green Beans



Red Onion



1 1/4 lbs Potatoes



2 Tbsps **Dried Currants**



1/2 lb



1 tsp Whole Dried Oregano



1 Tbsp Southern Spice Blend1



1 Tbsp Mexican Spice Blend²



Weeknight Hero Spice Blend³

Sauce Ingredients

Southern-Spiced Steak with Red Rice & Spicy Ranch



3 Tbsps Ranch Dressing



1/4 tsp Crushed Red Pepper Flakes

Balsamic-Dijon Steak with Roasted Vegetables & Pistachios



2 Tbsps Balsamic



1 Tbsp Diion Mustard



2 tsps Honey

Mexican Chicken with Veggie Rice & Guajillo Sour Cream



1/3 cup Guajillo Chile Pepper Sauce



1/4 cup Sour Cream

Chicken & Red Pepper Dressing with Oregano-Roasted Vegetables



3 Tbsps Green Goddess Dressing



Sliced Roasted **Red Peppers**

Finishing Touches

Southern-Spiced Steak with Red Rice & Spicy Ranch



1/3 CUD Crispy Onions

Balsamic-Dijon Steak with Roasted Vegetables & Pistachios







¹/₄ cup Roasted Pistachios

Mexican Chicken with Veggie Rice & Guajillo Sour Cream



2 Tbsps Raw Pepitas



2 Tbsps Grated Cotiia Cheese

Chicken & Red Pepper Dressing with Oregano-Roasted Vegetables



¹⁄₄ cup Grated Parmesan Cheese



2 Tbsps Sliced Roasted Almonds

- 2. Ancho Chile Powder, Smoked Paprika, Garlic Powder, Ground Cumin & Dried Mexican Oregano
- 3. Onion Powder, Garlic Powder, Smoked Paprika & Whole Dried Parsley







MAIN COOKING INGREDIENTS

Steaks, Chicken Breasts, Southern Spice Blend, Mexican Spice Blend, Weeknight Hero Spice Blend, Red Rice Blend, Dried Currants, Broccoli, Carrots, Potatoes, Green Beans, Red Onion, Grape Tomatoes, Poblano Pepper, Whole Dried Oregano



Cook & slice the steaks

- Preheat the oven to 450°F. Fill a medium pot 3½ of the way up with salted water; cover and heat to boiling on high. Pat the **steaks** dry with paper towels; season with salt and pepper on all sides. Season **2 steaks** with enough of the **Southern spice blend** to coat.
- In a large pan (nonstick, if you have one), heat **2 teaspoons of olive oil** on medium-high until hot. Add the **seasoned steaks**. Cook, turning occasionally, 8 to 10 minutes for medium-rare (125°F), or until cooked to your desired degree of doneness.*
- Transfer to a cutting board; let rest at least 5 minutes. Once rested, find the lines of muscle (or grain) on the steaks; slice crosswise against the grain.



Roast & slice the chicken

- Meanwhile, line two sheet pans with foil.
- Pat the chicken dry with paper towels. Season 2 chicken breasts on both sides with salt, pepper, and enough of the Mexican spice blend to coat. Season the remaining chicken breasts on both sides with salt, pepper, and enough of the weeknight hero spice blend to coat. Transfer to one sheet pan. Bake 18 to 20 minutes, or until browned and cooked through.*
- Transfer to a cutting board. When cool enough to handle, slice crosswise. Reserving the sheet pan, discard the foil.



Cook the rice

- Add the **rice** to the pot of boiling water. Cook, uncovered, 30 to 32 minutes, or until tender. Turn off the heat.
- Drain thoroughly and return to the pot. Add the **currants** and a drizzle of **olive oil**. Stir to combine. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.



^{*}The USDA recommends a minimum safe cooking temperature of 145°F for steak and 165°F for chicken. Cook the steaks an additional 2 to 3 minutes to achieve this. Consuming raw or undercooked meat, poultry, fish, seafood or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness.



Prepare the remaining ingredients

- Meanwhile, wash and dry the fresh produce.
- Cut off and discard the bottom ½ inch of the **broccoli** stem; cut the broccoli into small florets. Peel the **carrots**; halve lengthwise, then cut crosswise into ½-inch pieces. Halve the **potatoes** lengthwise, then cut crosswise into ¼-inch pieces. Cut off and discard any stem ends from the **green beans**. Peel the **onion**; cut into ½-inch-wide wedges, keeping the layers intact. Halve the **tomatoes**; place in a bowl and season with salt and pepper.
- Cut off and discard the stem of the **poblano pepper**. Halve lengthwise; remove the ribs and seeds, then cut into ½-inch pieces. Thoroughly wash your hands immediately after handling.



Roast the vegetables & finish the rice

- Transfer the **broccoli florets**, **carrot pieces**, and **pepper pieces** to the remaining sheet pan. Drizzle with **olive oil** and season with salt and pepper. Toss to coat and arrange in an even layer.
- Roast 14 to 16 minutes, or until tender when pierced with a fork. Remove from the oven.
- Transfer to the pot of **cooked rice**. Add the **seasoned tomatoes** and stir to combine. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.



Roast the remaining vegetables

- Line the reserved sheet pan with foil.
- Transfer the **potato pieces**, **green beans**, and **onion wedges** to the sheet pan. Drizzle with **olive oil** and season with salt, pepper, and the **oregano**. Toss to coat and arrange in an even layer.
- Roast 23 to 25 minutes, or until browned and tender when pierced with a fork.
- Remove from the oven.







INGREDIENTS FOR SAUCES

Ranch Dressing, Crushed Red Pepper Flakes, Balsamic Vinegar, Honey, Guajillo Chile Pepper Sauce, Sour Cream, Sliced Roasted Red Peppers, Green Goddess Dressing

Spicy Ranch

 Combine the ranch dressing and as much of the red pepper flakes as you'd like, depending on how spicy you'd like the dish to be. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.

Balsamic-Dijon Dressing

 Combine the vinegar, mustard, honey (kneading the packet before opening), and 1 tablespoon of olive oil. Season with salt and pepper.

Guajillo Sour Cream

 Combine guajillo chile sauce and sour cream.
Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.

Red Pepper Dressing

- Roughly chop the **roasted peppers**.
- Combine the chopped peppers and green goddess dressing. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.

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Assemble + Store





STORAGE YOU'LL NEED

8 large containers, 8 small containers



Southern-Spiced Steak

with Red Rice & Spicy Ranch

Makes 2 servings:

For each serving, in a large container combine:

- 1/4 finished rice
- 1 sliced Southern-spiced steak

Transfer the **spicy ranch** to 2 small containers.



Balsamic-Dijon Steak

with Roasted Vegetables & Pistachios

Makes 2 servings:

For each serving, in a large container combine:

- 1/4 roasted vegetables
- 1 sliced plain steak

Transfer the **balsamic-dijon dressing** to 2 small containers.



Mexican Chicken

with Veggie Rice & Guajillo Sour Cream

Makes 2 servings:

For each serving, in a large container combine:

- 1/4 finished rice
- 1 sliced Mexican-spiced chicken breast

Transfer the **guajillo sour cream** to 2 small containers.



Chicken & Red Pepper Dressing

with Oregano-Roasted Vegetables

Makes 2 servings:

For each serving, in a large container combine:

- 1/4 roasted vegetables
- 1 sliced weeknight hero-spiced chicken breast

Transfer the **red pepper dressing** to 2 small containers.



Finish + Serve







FINISHING INGREDIENTS

Crispy Onions, Roasted Pistachios, Grana Padano Cheese, Raw Pepitas, Grated Cotija Cheese, Grated Parmesan Cheese, Sliced Roasted Almonds

Southern-Spiced Steak

with Red Rice & Spicy Ranch

Makes 2 servings:

- Heat the finished steak and rice in the microwave 1 to 2 minutes, or until heated through.
- Garnish each serving with the spicy ranch and crispy onions.

Balsamic-Dijon Steak

with Roasted Vegetables & Pistachios

Makes 2 servings:

- Roughly chop the pistachios.
- Heat the finished steak and vegetables in the microwave 1 to 2 minutes, or until heated through.
- Garnish each serving with the balsamic-dijon sauce, chopped pistachios, and Grana Padano (crumbling before adding).

Mexican Chicken

with Veggie Rice & Guajillo Sour Cream

Makes 2 servings:

- Roughly chop the pepitas.
- Heat the finished chicken and rice in the microwave 1 to 2 minutes, or until heated through.
- Garnish each serving with the guajillo sour cream, chopped pepitas, and cotija.

Chicken & Red Pepper Dressing

with Oregano-Roasted Vegetables

Makes 2 servings:

- Heat the finished chicken and vegetables in the microwave 1 to 2 minutes, or until heated through.
- Garnish each serving with the red pepper dressing, parmesan, and almonds.