Gluten-Free Apple Cinnamon Breakfast Cookie

Makes 12 - 15 *depending on the size scoop you use



Ingredients

- 2 cups rolled oats
- ' 2 tablespoons flax seed meal
- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons honey, maple syrup, agave, or date syrup
- ½ cup raisins or dates (chopped)
- ¹ ⅓ cup nut butter of choice
- 1 apple, diced
- ¼ teaspoon kosher salt
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
- ¼ teaspoons baking soda
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 cup nuts (any kind) or pumpkin seeds

Steps

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350°F. Line a baking sheet pan with parchment paper.
- 2. Add all ingredients except the nuts to the bowl of a food processor. Pulse until the mixture comes together as a sticky mass.
- 3. Scrape down the sides of the bowl with a spatula and add the nuts. Pulse a few times so the nuts retain some texture (if desired).
- Using a medium scoop,
 portion out batter (about 2-3
 tablespoons worth) on the prepared
 baking sheet pan. Wet your fingers
 and flatten down the balls of dough
 before placing the pan in the oven.
- Bake for 10 13 minutes, or
 until they just begin to turn
 golden brown around the edges.
 Remove and allow to fully cool.
 These stay fresh for up to 3 days in
 an airtight container.