

## Almond Butter Energy Bites with Maple Syrup

**SERVINGS** 

**©** COOKING TIME

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Almond Butter Energy Bites with Maple Syrup is the perfect recipe to prep for snack time with. This make ahead recipe makes 24 1-inch energy bites. Whether the kids take them to school, you grab one on your way out the door, or you would like a bite between meals, this simple and sweet recipe is just what you want.

## **Ingredients**

- 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cups Quaker® Oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)
- 3 tbsp almond flour or oat flour (see note)
- 1/4 cup almond butter
- 3 tbsp maple syrup
- 2 tbsp apple juice
- 2 tbsp water
- 1 tbsp sliced almonds, chopped, toasted if desired

## **Cooking Instructions**

- 1. Place oats and almond flour in large bowl; stir to blend well.
- 2. Add combined almond butter and syrup.
- 3. Stir until ingredients are well blended.
- 4. Add apple juice and stir to combine ingredients, adding water as needed for shaping consistency.
- 5. If desired, add salt to taste preference.
- 6. Shape into 24 (about 1-inch diameter) balls (3 bites per serving).
- 7. Spread chopped almonds on waxed paper in single layer.
- 8. Gently press top of each ball into almonds.
- 9. Refrigerate, covered, until chilled.
- 10. Store leftovers in refrigerator, covered.

## Cook Note:

To make out flour, place 3 tablespoons Quick or Old Fashioned Oats in blender or food processor. Process until finely ground.