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## **French Toast with Fruit Sauce**

**Prep Time:** 5 minutes

Total Time: 10 minutes



## Ingredients

- 4 eggs
- 1 cup 1% milk
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon, divided
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 8 slices whole-wheat bread
- 3 cups strawberries, sliced
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup maple syrup

<b>Nutrition Fa</b>	<u>cts</u>
-	serving 70.79g)
Amount per serving Calories	240
~% D:	aily Value*
Total Fat 7g	9%
Saturated Fat 2g	10%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 100mg	33%
Sodium 210mg	9%
Total Carbohydrate 38g	14%
Dietary Fiber 4g	14%
Total Sugars 14g	
Includes 8g of Added Sugars	16%
Protein <sup>8</sup> g	
Vitamin D 1mcg	4%
Calcium 91mg	
	8%
Iron 2mg	10%
Potassium 337mg	8%
* The % Daily Value (DV) tells you how much a nutrient in a serving contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition	

### Directions

• In a mixing bowl, beat eggs with a fork or whisk. Add milk,  $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon cinnamon, and vanilla extract. Beat until mixed well.

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- Melt butter in a skillet on medium-high heat.
- Dip one slice of bread at a time in the egg mixture and turn over to coat both sides.
- Place bread slices in the hot skillet. Use a spatula to turn bread. Cook each side until golden brown, about 2 minutes.
- To make fruit sauce, combine strawberries, syrup, and remaining <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> teaspoon cinnamon in a microwave-safe bowl. Mix well. Microwave for 30-60 seconds or until warm. Remove from microwave and stir.
- Spoon over French toast and serve.

(Recipe adapted from: http://www.foodnetwork.com.)

### **Quick Tips**

- You can also substitute the strawberries for other fruits, like blueberries, peaches, or apples. Frozen fruit works, too.
- Breakfast is important to help fuel your mind and body for the day ahead.

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