



## Spaghetti Squash

Servings 2 | Prep time 10 mins. | Total time 1 hour 10 mins.

Equipment: Cutting board, Large baking sheet, Microwave safe plate

Utensils: Small, sharp knife, Large, sharp knife, Spoon, Fork

## Ingredients

1 large spaghetti squash2 teaspoons olive or vegetable oilSalt and pepper to taste

## Instructions

- 1. Before you begin, wash your hands, surfaces, utensils, and produce.
- 2. Preheat oven to 400 degrees.
- 3. Pierce skin of spaghetti squash 10-12 times with a small, sharp knife.
- 4. Place squash on a microwave safe plate. Microwave on high for 6 minutes.
- 5. Remove spaghetti squash from microwave and carefully cut off very top and bottom of squash so that it can stand upright. **Use caution: squash will be hot.**
- 6. Stand squash upright on a stable surface and carefully slice through from top to bottom to divide it into two halves.
- 7. Use a spoon to scoop out seeds and discard. Place halves on large baking sheet, cut side up.
- 8. Drizzle halves of squash with olive oil and sprinkle with salt and pepper.
- 9. Place squash cut side down on the baking sheet.
- 10. Bake 40-60 minutes or until squash is very tender when pierced with a fork.
- 11. Allow squash to cool for 5 minutes and then drag a fork down interior of the squash, separating the "spaghetti" strands. Using a large spoon scrape the squash strands in a bowl.
- 12. Toss squash strands with your favorite pasta sauce and serve.

## **Nutritional Information:**

Calories 100 Total Fat 5g Sodium 40mg Total Carbs 11g Protein 1g