

Trail Cookies

1% cups spelt flour and % cup teff flour (or get creative with other flour combinations)

2 cups old fashioned rolled oats, barley flakes, rye flakes or quinoa flakes

½ teaspoon baking powder

1 teaspoon baking soda

½ teaspoon sea salt

1 cup chocolate chips or chopped dark chocolate (optional)

½ cup raisins

½ cup chopped pecans or walnuts

¾ teaspoon ground cinnamon

½ cup sunflower oil or softened coconut oil

1 cup sucanat (a natural sugar)

½ cup room temperature unsweetened applesauce

2 teaspoons vanilla

Preheat oven to 350°. Mix the dry ingredients together. In a separate bowl, mix the oil and sucanat; thoroughly combine. Add applesauce and vanilla to the oil and sugar. Mix again. Add dry ingredients to the wet, and mix until the flour is absorbed. Drop one tablespoon at a time on a parchment-lined baking sheet. Bake 13 minutes until golden brown. Cool well before storing.

Other additions

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup unsweetened coconut flakes, sunflower seeds or chia seeds

