

Yield: 2 Servings

# THE PERFECT HOMEMADE FRIES

Easy, three ingredient fries that rival their deep fried competitors. You can scale the recipe up, but I recommend using the oven over the air fryer if you are cooking more than 2 potatoes worth of fries. This recipe can also contain as much salt as you want. I love salty fries so I add a vigorous pinch, but you can add just a light sprinkle if you are avoiding sodium. Either way you cook the fries, pull the them from the oven when they are golden and crisp according to your liking.

### **Ingredients**

- ~ 1 large russet potatoes, washed, cut into 1/2 inch fries
- ~ Vegetable oil spray (I use organic avocado oil spray, which is good at high temperatures and has healthy fats)
- ~ Sea Salt (or your favorite salt based spice blend)

#### **Directions**

- 1) Place potato fries in a large bowl of ice water. Let sit for at least 1 hour or up to overnight in the fridge (the longer the better).
- 2) Dry the fries on kitchen towels to get off all the moisture.
- 3) Return the fries to the bowl, spray with avocado oil until evenly coated, turning them a few times. Sprinkle with the amount of salt or salt seasoning you desire (you can always spray the fries again later and add more salt if you want them saltier).

### **Air Fryer Baking Directions**

- 1) Add the fries to the fryer basket, with a small amount of space between each fry (you may have to do 2 batches, depending on the size of your fryer). (You do not need to preheat the fryer).
- 2) Bake for 20 minutes at 400 F, turning fries after 10 minutes. You can spray and/ or add more salt to the fries when you turn them if you want them extra crispy or salty.

## **Oven Baking Directions**

- 1) Preheat the oven to 425 F. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper or silpats.
- 2) Spread the fries on the baking sheet so there is a little space between each fry.
- 3) Bake for 25-30 minutes, turning the fries over after 15 minutes. You can spray and/ or add more salt to the fries when you turn them if you want them extra crispy or salty. Remove when golden brown and crisp.