Build your own Kale Salad

Steps

1. Pick Your Base: Kale + Grain 2. Add a Protein 3. Pick Your Toppings

Possible Ingredients

Grains	Protein	Toppings
Quinoa	Chicken, cooked	Peaches, sliced
Farro	Cheese, shredded (e.g.	Apples, sliced
Amaranth	mozzarella, cheddar, goat	Blueberries
Barley	cheese)	Basil, chopped
**see cooking info	Beans, cooked (e.g.	Onion, sliced
below	garbanzo, kidney, black)	Avocado, sliced
	Nuts (e.g. almonds, walnuts,	Bell Peppers, sliced
	pine nuts)	Carrots, sliced

<u>Tip</u>: Nuts can be toasted for an extra crunch!

Instructions

- 1. Prepare your grain**. Let cool.
- 2. Wash one bunch of kale and pat dry.
- 3. Destem the kale and chop into fine strips.
- 4. Combine the grains and kale in a large bowl.
- 5. Add your protein and toppings.
- 6. Toss with your choice of salad dressing until evenly distributed.

Grain Cooking Directions

To 1 cup of this grain:	Add this much water or broth:	Bring to a boil, then simmer for:	Amount after cooking:
Quinoa	2 cups liquid	12-15 min	3 cups
Farro	2 ½ cups liquid	25-40 min	3 cups
Amaranth	2 cups liquid	12-20 min	2 ½ cups
Barley	3 cups liquid	45-60 min	3 ½ cups

^{**}Grain Cooking Directions (adapted from Oldways Whole Grains Council)











