

## Vegan weight loss diet plan:

**Breakfast:** A basic bowl of oatmeal (without the butter or added milk) or a <a href="mailto:smoothie">smoothie</a> made with creamy silken tofu, soy milk and fresh fruit work well. Honey is used to sweeten our smoothie recipe, but swap it for <a href="mailto:agave nectar">agave nectar</a>.

**Snack:** Fresh fruit, veggies, nuts, whole grain pretzels and rice cakes are simple mid-meal snacks -- same as for everyone.

**Lunch:** Veggies are a vegan's best friend so try a large salad. Add some beans for extra nutrients and hunger-fighting protein. Another easy option is a <u>grilled "cheese"</u> sandwich made with soy cheese, tomato, arugula and spicy red onion.

**Dinner:** Try Garden Stir Fry with Seitan served with brown rice or <u>quinoa</u> (pronounced "keen-wa"), a protein-packed whole grain that we love.