



## Fork 'n Knife Mexican Skillet Pizza



Entire recipe: 298 calories, 9g total fat (3.5g sat. fat), 760mg sodium, 36g carbs, 9.5g fiber, 10.5g sugars, 19.5g protein

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Prep: 15 minutes Cook: 10 minutes



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## Ingredients

1/4 cup chickpea flour (see *HG FYI*)
2 tbsp. egg whites (about 1 large egg's worth)
Dash salt
1/2 cup canned crushed tomatoes
1/2 tsp. garlic powder
1/2 tsp. chili powder
1/4 tsp. ground cumin
1/4 cup chopped bell pepper
1/4 cup chopped onion
1/4 cup shredded reduced-fat Mexican-blend cheese
1 tbsp. sliced black olives

## Directions

To make the batter for the crust, in a medium bowl, combine chickpea flour, egg whites, and salt. Add 1/4 cup water, and whisk until smooth and uniform. Let thicken for 10 minutes.

Meanwhile, in a small bowl, mix seasonings into tomatoes.

Bring a 10-inch skillet sprayed with nonstick spray to medium heat. Add pepper and onion. Cook and stir until mostly softened, about 3 minutes. Transfer to a medium bowl, and cover to keep warm.

Remove skillet from heat; clean if needed. Re-spray, and return to medium heat. Pour batter into the skillet, quickly tilting the skillet in all directions to evenly coat the bottom. Cook until lightly browned and cooked through, about 2 minutes per side, flipping carefully with an offset spatula or flexible rubber spatula.

Still in the skillet, top crust with seasoned tomatoes, leaving a 1/4-inch border. Sprinkle with cheese and top with cooked veggies and olives.

Cover and cook until cheese has melted, about 2 minutes.

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**HG FYI:** Chickpea flour is a must for this recipe, and it's worth seeking out. Sometimes called garbanzo bean, besan, or gram flour, this gluten-free ingredient has fewer carbs and more fiber than its wheat counterpart. Look for it in the ethnic foods aisle (it's a staple in Indian cooking), or <u>order it online</u>. Bob's Red Mill is our go-to brand.

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