

## LOCAL HARVEST MUFFINS

Servings: 12 Ready in about: 40 minutes

1 ½ cups whole wheat flour

1/2 cup packed brown sugar

1/3 cup oatmeal (quick oats or old fashioned oats)

2 ½ tsp cinnamon

1 ½ tsp baking powder

1/4 tsp salt

1/4 tsp baking soda

2/3 cup milk

1/3 cup vegetable oileggs, beaten

1 tsp vanilla

2 medium Ontario apples (peeled or unpeeled), finely chopped

2 medium Ontario carrots, finely grated

## INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F.
- 2. In a bowl, mix together flour, sugar, oatmeal, cinnamon, baking powder, salt and baking soda. Set aside.
- 3. In a bowl, whisk together milk, oil, eggs and vanilla. Stir in apples and carrots. Stir in dry ingredients just until combined.
- 4. Lightly grease muffin tin. Spoon batter evenly into 12 muffin cups.
- 5. Bake in preheated oven for 20 22 minutes or until firm to the touch or tester comes out clean.
- 6. Cool muffins in pan, on wire rack for approximately 10-15 minutes. Remove muffins from pan and cool completely on wire rack. Refrigerate or freeze leftovers.

## TIP:

When looking for locally grown fruits and vegetables, visit your <u>local farmers market</u> or look for Foodland Ontario logo and signs to know you are buying local produce.

Adapted from: Carrot Oatmeal Muffins, Canadianliving.com, accessed 2019.

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**Nutrition Tips** 

To increase the fibre and reduce the

saturated fat in this recipe, we used:

Low fat milk (2% M.F. or less)

Whole wheat flour