How to Cook Whole Grains

Once you know how to cook 1 whole grain, you pretty much know how to cook all whole grains! Our classic stovetop method follows these steps:

5 step stovetop method

- 1 | Give grains a rinse
- **2** | Combine water, whole grains, and a sprinkle of salt in a saucepan
- **3** | Cover, turn up and bring to a boil
- **4** | Lower heat and simmer covered until grains are cooked
- **5** I Remove from heat and let sit for ~10 minutes. Fluff with a fork and let sit uncovered for another few minutes before enjoying!





Some grains can be cooked just like pasta. For these grains, just bring a pot of water to boil, add grains with some salt and simmer until tender and cooked through. Then drain.



To shorten cooking times, you can also soak the grains ahead of time.