Honey Garlic Chicken Stir Fry www.dinneratthezoo.com Sara Welch

Prep Time: 10 Minutes Cook Time: 30 Minutes Total Time: 30 minutes Serves: 4

Ingredients

1 tablespoon + 1 teaspoon vegetable oil divided use
1 cup thinly sliced peeled carrots
2 cups broccoli florets
1 lb. boneless skinless chicken breasts, cut into 1-inch pieces
4 cloves garlic minced
1/4 cup low sodium chicken broth or water
1/4 cup soy sauce
3 tablespoons honey
2 teaspoons cornstarch
salt and pepper to taste

Preparation

- 1. Heat 1 teaspoon of oil in a large pan over medium heat.
- 2. Add the broccoli and carrots and cook for approximately 4 minutes or until vegetables are tender.
- 3. Remove the vegetables from the pan; place them on a plate and cover.
- 4. Wipe the pan clean with a paper towel and turn the heat to high.
- 5. Add the remaining tablespoon of oil.
- Season the chicken pieces with salt and pepper and add them to the pan in a single layer – you may need to do this step-in batches. Cook for 3-4 minutes on each side until golden brown and cooked through.
- 7. Add the garlic to the pan and cook for 30 seconds.
- 8. Add the vegetables back to the pan and cook for 2 more minutes or until the vegetables are warmed through.
- 9. In a bowl whisk together the chicken broth, honey and soy sauce.
- 10. In a small bowl mix the cornstarch with a tablespoon of cold water.
- 11. Pour the soy sauce mixture over the chicken and vegetables; cook for 30 seconds.
- 12. Add the cornstarch and bring to a boil; cook for 1 more minute or until sauce has just started to thicken.
- 13. Serve immediately, with rice if desired.