

Ketogenic (Keto) Diet

High Fat; Moderate in Protein; Very low in Carbs

This list is to be used as a guideline only and is not an all-inclusive representation of the Ketogenic Diet.

	Yes	No
Grains	None (Grain Free Diet)	All grains, gluten-containing or not, including wheat, quinoa, corn, oats, rice and barley
Beans and Legumes	None	While a good source or protein, beans and legumes are also very high in carbohydrates
Nuts and Seeds	Almonds, Brazil nuts, Hazelnuts, Macadamia nuts, Peanuts, Pecans, Pine nuts, Walnuts	Cashews and Pistachios are higher in carbohydrates and should only be eaten in small quantities
	Chia seeds, Flax seeds, Hemp seeds, Pumpkin seeds, Sesame seeds, Sunflower seeds	Avoid nut and seed butters with added sugar, or that contain mixtures of nuts that include cashews
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Oils and Butters	Saturated and Monounsaturated fats such as Olive oil, Coconut oil, Avocado oil, Flaxseed oil, Sesame oil Ghee (clarified butter with milk solids/ proteins removed) lower in lactose	Polyunsaturated fats. Safflower and Sunflower oils can be highly polyunsaturated or highly monounsaturated. Look for the term "high-oleic" which indicates that the oil is at least 70% monounsaturated.
	Coconut butter	
Herbs, spices and salt	Fresh or dried herbs and spices, without any additives	
Sweeteners	Natural sweeteners such as Stevia and Monkfruit	Artificial sweeteners such as aspartame, saccharin, glucose, maltodextrin
	Sugar alcohols such as xylitol and erythritol	Processed sugars including raw, coconut and cane sugars
		Everything else, including honey, fruit, fruit juices, molasses, syrups
Beverages	Unsweetened non-dairy nut & seed milks, tea or coffee Coconut milk Unsweetened flavoured water Club soda, zero calorie drinks	Beverages with processed sugars or additives Coconut water Fluid dairy milks Rice and soy milks
Condiments	Vinegar without added sugar, ketchup, mayonnaise and mustard without any sugar or other additives	Ketchup with added sugar, tomato sauce with sugar, soy sauce and other seasonings that may include starches, sugars or grains/gluten