# FOODS TO LIMIT / ELIMINATE



Removing certain foods / food groups *for now* will be important in achieving your goals, including energy metabolism, immune support, mental wellbeing and performance.

This is a good opportunity to create new dietary habits with healthier options, before we look at reintroducing these foods as "sometimes foods" in the future.

# GLUTEN

Known to cause gut dysbiosis and inflammation

Pasta Wheat Bread / rolls / pita / wraps Noodles (ramen, soba) Biscuits Pastries Sauces / spreads / dips Crackers Pizza Pita Granola / muesli

# **VEGETABLE / SEED OILS**

Vegetable oils are found in most packaged foods and used at 99% of restaurants/cafes. Such oils are toxic for the body in excess, driving inflammation, pain and poor gut health. Read all labels and limit eating out where possible.

Canola oil Vegetable oil Peanut oil Soybean oil Safflower oil Sunflower oil

#### Pre-made/packaged

• sauces, dips, mayonaise

SOFT DRINKS ENERGY DRINKS BUBBLE TEA FRUIT JUICE ALCOHOL

#### DAIRY

Cows dairy contains Al casein's which causes an inflammatory response, often disrupting the health of our gut and skin

Milk Whey Protein Cheese Dips Ice Creams Yoghurts

#### ULTRA PROCESSED FOODS

Deli meats Fake meats Chips Packaged biscuits, cakes, slices Protein bars

#### **REFINED SUGAR / SWEETENERS**

Refined sugar and artificial sweeteners are all greatly pro-inflammatory and drive dysbiosis, weight gain, sugar cravings, hormonal imbalances and poor cognitive health.

Sugar Raw / brown sugar Maltodextrin Dextrose Fruit Juice Concentrate Syrup / Syrup Solids Suclarose Splenda / Equal (artificial sweeteners)

# FOODS TO ENJOY



# LEAFY GREENS

Kale (cooked / wilted) Rocket Spinach Lettuces Watercress Dandelion

# NON-STARTCHY VEGETABLES

Asparaqus Artichoke Bean Shoots Capsicum Cucumber Eggplant Garlic Onion/shallots Green beans Leeks Olives Peas Radish Snow Peas Sugar Snap Peas Sauash Tomato Zucchini Asian veggies (boc choy, pak choy, chinese cabbage etc.) Broccoli / Broccolini **Brussel sprouts** Cabbage (white and purple) Cauliflower

# STARTCHY VEGETABLES

Beetroot Carrot Pumpkin Sweet Potato Parsnip

All FRUIT ALL HERBS / SPICES

# ANIMAL PROTEIN

Where possible always choose, grass-fed, organic, wild caught, biodynamic.

Beef / Lamb / Game meats / Pork Turkey / Chicken Organ meats Fish Eggs

#### **VEGAN PROTEIN**

Where possible always choose organic

Tofu / tempeh Beans Chickpeas Lentils

# **HEALTHY FATS / OILS**

Always choose whole nuts and seeds. Chop or grind into meals & flours at home.

Almonds, brazil nuts, walnuts, cashews, pumpkin seeds, sunflower seeds, hemp seeds, flaxseeds, chia seeds.

Coconut yoghurt, cream, milk Tahini, sesame seeds Avocado

Extra virgin olive oil (EVOO) \*in dark bottle Avocado oil, coconut oil, macadamia oil Ghee, Organic butter

## **GF WHOLE-GRAINS**

Brown Rice, Wild Rice, Rice noodles Buckwheat, Quinoa, Oats (rolled) Spelt, Teff, Sorghum, Coconut Flour, Tapioca Flour, Arrowroot

#### **SWEENTENERS**

Pure maple syrup Honey Monk Fruit