Kung Pao Steak Tacos

Can't decide between Chinese or Mexican? You won't have to choose with our kung pao sauce drizzled sirloin strips, wrapped in warm tortillas and topped with basil cilantro sesame crunch. Who says you can't have everything?

15 Minutes to the Table

15 Minutes Hands On

1 Whisk Super Easy

Getting Organized

EQUIPMENT
Large Skillet
Small Skillet (optional)

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

5 MEEZ CONTAINERS Steak Kung Pao Sauce Broccoli Slaw Tortillas Herbs & Sesame Seeds

<u>Make The Meal Your Own</u>

Leftovers tip – This makes a great leftover lunch. Serve the steak and slaw over your favorite rice or noodle.

It's important to let the steaks rest to keep them tender and juicy. Give them at least 3 to 5 minutes off the heat before you slice and serve.

Good To Know

Be sure to generously season your steak with salt and pepper before cooking; the salt adds flavor while also keeping the meat tender. Chef Max recommends using ½ tsp of each.

Health snapshot per serving – 655 Calories, 28g Fat, 40g Protein, 63g Carbs, 20 Smart Points

Lightened up snapshot – 495 Calories, 23g Fat, 14 Smart Points when you use $\frac{1}{2}$ the tortillas and $\frac{1}{2}$ the kung pao sauce.

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.



1. Cook the Steak

Heat 1 Tbsp of oil in a skillet over high heat. While the skillet is heating, pat the **Steaks** dry with a towel and season generously with salt and pepper (we recommend $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp of each). When the skillet is very hot, add the steaks. Cook until the bottoms brown and the sides start to color, about 3 minutes.

- If you prefer your steak medium-rare, flip and continue cooking 3 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.
- If you prefer your steak medium, flip and continue cooking for 4 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.
- If you prefer your steak medium-well or well done, flip and continue cooking for 5 to 6 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.

While the steaks are resting, return the skillet to the stove over medium heat. Add the *Kung Pao Sauce* and cook just until heated through, about 2 to 3 minutes. Remove from the heat and stir in *Broccoli Slaw*.

After the steaks have rested, place them horizontally on a cutting board. Using a sharp knife, cut the steaks into even strips (we aim for $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1" pieces). Toss the strips with the sauce and broccoli slaw.

2. Heat the Tortillas

Heat the **Tortillas** in a small, dry skillet on the stove or directly over a gas burner until soft and pliable, about 30 seconds per side.

3. Put It All Together

Serve the tortillas filled with sliced steak and slaw and top with **Herbs & Sesame Seeds** to taste. Enjoy! Love this recipe? *meezmagic

To test if the skillet is hot enough for the beef, hold your hand about 6 inches above the skillet. If you can feel serious heat, it's ready to go.

Beef continues to cook as it rests, so remove it from the heat when it's a little less done than you like to prevent it from overcooking.

Instructions for two servings.

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