SOURDOUGH **GLUTEN FREE**

WHAT YOU NEED

Ingredients

• Flour

Your starter culture requires flour to activate and maintain. We recommend using organic flour. It typically contains more yeast that will keep your starter fed and happy

Gluten Free

Brown rice flour

- Water free of chlorine and fluoride (bottled spring water)
- 1 packet dehydrated sourdough culture

Equipment

- Rubber band •
- Coffee filter or tight-weave cloth Mixing utensil •

Glass jar (one quart) •

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ACTIVATING YOUR GLUTEN-FREE SOURDOUGH STARTER

 Add packet of starter to 1 Tbsp. flour and 1 Tbsp. of room temperature water in a quart-size glass jar and stir thoroughly. Cover the jar with a coffee filter or breathable material secured with rubber band and culture the starter in a warm place (70-80°F) for 4-8 hours.



You're looking for your starter to bubble between feedings. That's the fermentation at work!

 After 4-8 hours, feed the starter with an additional 2 Tbsp. of flour and 2 Tbsp. water. Stir thoroughly.

Your starter should have the consistency of pancake batter. Add flour or water to adjust as necessary.

 After 4-8 hours, feed the starter with an additional 1/4 cup of flour and 1/4 cup water. Stir thoroughly.

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After 12-24 hours, feed the starter with an additional ½ cup of flour and ½ cup water. Stir thoroughly.

Discard down to $\frac{1}{2}$ cup starter and then feed the

5. starter with ½ cup water and ½ cup flour. Stir thoroughly.

Repeat step 5 every 4-8 hours for 3-7 days. Do this

 until the starter has the consistency of pancake batter and is bubbling regularly within a few hours of feeding. That's when your starter is activated and ready to use!

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