

# Weight Watchers Purple Plan Guide

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Hi! I'm Kevin, the creator of Smiley's Points - a website for recipes to make you smile!

This guide is for the WW 2020 Purple Plan. I am NOT associated with Weight Watchers, iTrackBites, or Noom in any way, shape, or form.

If you have questions about Weight Watchers or any of their plans, please email me at smileyspoints@gmail.com and I will respond to you as soon as possible.

My blog has tons of recipes for all plans, so if you decide to switch plans, I've got you covered!

On a budget? Check out how to do the Purple Plan for \$36 a YEAR using iTrackBites. Yes, the app is accurate and uses the same formula WW does. My wife and I have used iTrackBites for a while now and we love it. One year of the PRO version costs as much as WW does for 2 months, so it's worth looking at if you're pinching pennies like we are!

On the iTrackBites app, the Better Balance Plan is the one that will match up with the Purple Plan, with a hack/tweek.

Here are all of my posts about the Purple Plan: smileyspoints.com/purple

#### Purple Plan Zero Point Whole Grains

Air-Popped popcorn

**Amaranth** 

Ancient Grains mix, no seeds

**Barley** 

Black bean pasta

Brown basmati rice

Brown rice

Brown rice cereal 100%

Brown rice noodles

Brown rice pasta

Brown rice quinoa blend

**Buckwheat** 

Soba noodles

**Bulgur** 

Chickpea Pasta

Corn pasta

Edamame pasta

Farro

Freekekh

Instant brown rice

Instant oatmeal plain

Kamut

KashaMillet

Oatmeal plain

Oats

Pea pasta

Lentil pasta

Quick cook barley

Quick cooking brown rice

Quick cooking brown rice

Quick cooking steel cut oats

Quinoa

Red quinoa

**Rolled oats** 

Rye berries

Shirataki noodles

Sorghum

Soybean pasta

Spelt

**Spelt Berries** 

Steel cut oats

Teff

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Thai brown rice

Tri color quinoa

Wheat berries

Whole grain pasta

Whole grain sorghum

Whole wheat couscous

Whole wheat rice

Wild rice brown rice blend

#### Purple Plan Zero Point Beans and Legumes

Adzuki beans
Alfalfa sprouts
Bean sprouts
Black beans
Black eyed peas
Cannellini beans
Edamame
Fava beans
Great Nothern Beans

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Chick peas
Hominy
Kidney beans
Lentils
Lima beans
Lupini beans
Navy beans
Pinto beans
Refried beans, canned fat free
Soy beans

#### Chicken and Turkey

Ground turkey breast
Ground turkey 98% fat free
Ground turkey breast
Skinless chicken breast
Skinless turkey breast

## Dairy

Cottage cheese plain non-fat Greek yogurt plain non-fat Plain yogurt non-fat Quark plain up to 1% fat Soy yogurt plain

### Eggs

Egg Substitute Egg whites Egg yolks Eggs

#### Purple Plan Zero Point Fruits

**Apples** 

Applesauce unsweetened

**Apricots** 

Bananas

**Blackberries** 

Blueberries

Cantaloupe

Cherries

Clementines

Cranberries fresh

Dragon fruit

Figs fresh

Frozen mixed berries

Fruit cocktail unsweetened

Fruit salad unsweetened

Grapefruit

Grapes

Guava

Honeydew

Kiwi

Kumquats

Lemons

Limes

Mangoes

**Nectarines** 

**Oranges** 

**Papayas** 

**Peaches** 

**Pears** 

**Persimmons** 

**Pineapples** 

**Plums** 

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**Pomegranates** 

Pomelo

Raspberries

Star fruit

**Strawberries** 

**Tangerines** 

Watermelon

#### Purple Plan Zero Point Potatoes

Baby Potatoes
Baked potatoes
Baked sweet potatoes
Canned sweet potato
Cassava
Fingerling potatoes
Frozen potatoes
Idaho potatoes
Japanese sweet potato
Mashed potatoes, plain
Mashed sweet potatoes, plain
New potatoes
Oven-roasted potato wedges
Oven-roasted sweet potato fries

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Purple potatoes
Red potatoes
Roasted potatoes
Roasted sweet potatoes
Russet potatoes
Sweet potatoes
Taro
White potatoes
Yams
Yellow potatoes
Yucca
Yukon gold potatoes

## Purple Plan Zero Point Tofu & Tempeh

Firm tofu
Silken tofu
Smoked tofu
Soft tofu
Tempeh

#### Purple Plan Zero Point Vegetables

Acorn squash

**Artichoke hearts** 

**Artichokes** 

Arugula

**Asparagus** 

Baby corn

**Bamboo shoots** 

Basil

**Beet greens** 

**Beets** 

**Bibb Lettuce** 

Bok choy

**Broccoli** 

Broccoli rabe

Broccoli slaw

**Brussels sprouts** 

**Butter lettuce** 

**Butternut squash** 

Cabbage

Canned pimientos

Carrots

Cauliflower

Cauliflower rice

Celery

Chives

Cilantro

Coleslaw mix

Collard greens

Cucumber

Eggplant

**Endive** 

Escarole

**Fennel** 

Frozen stir-fry vegetables

Garlic

Ginger

Green leaf lettuce

Hearts of palm

Iceberg lettuce

Jicama

Kale

Kohlrabi

Leeks

Mint

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Mixed greens

Mushrooms

Mustard greens

Napa cabbage

Nori (seaweed)

Oakleaf lettuce

Okra

**Onions** 

Oregano

Parsley Pea shoots

**Peppers** 

Pickles, unsweetened

Pico de gallo

Pumpkin

Pumpkin puree

**Radishes** 

Red leaf lettuce

#### Purple Plan Zero Point Vegetables

Romaine lettuce

Rosemary

Rutabaga

Salsa, fat-free

Sauerkraut

Scallions

**Shallots** 

Spaghetti squash

Spinach

String beans

Summer squash

**Swiss chard** 

Tarragon

**Thyme** 

**Tomatillos** 

Tomato puree, canned

Tomato sauce, canned

**Tomatoes** 

**Turnips** 

Water chestnuts

Wax beans

Zucchini

## Purple Plan Zero Point Starchy Vegetables

Canned corn

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Corn

Green peas

**Parsnips** 

Peas

Split peas

Succotash

## Purple Plan Tips for Success

#### Take the assessment.

If you aren't sure which program is right for you, take the assessment in the WW app. If you don't have the WW app, you can look at an overview of each plan and choose the one based on your preferences and dietary needs.

See all plan info here: smileyspoints.com/2020

#### Stick with it.

WW has given us options - and iTrackBites gives us even MORE options - but it's important to stick with a plan for at least two weeks before jumping ship. I personally recommend sticking with a program for a month or so, to give your body time to see results.

#### Weekly WW Points

Most members can be successful while eating Weeklies. However, if you're sedentary, not drinking much water, or over 40 years of age, you may find yourself gaining weight on any of the WW plans if you eat your Weeklies. You'll have to switch things up and try a week or two with Weeklies and a week or two without Weeklies to see which works best for your body.

Should I eat my Weeklies? Find out here!

## Purple Plan Tips for Success

#### Zero Points does not equal zero calories (or carbs).

Many WW members choose the Green Plan because they're afraid of having too many zero point foods to eat. At the end of the day, it comes down to being able to control yourself and keep an eye on carbs. If you can do this, the Purple Plan will work!

See a list of 200+ zero point foods with calorie and carb counts here: smileyspoints.com/zero

#### Build your meals around veggies.

Instead of building your recipes around Zero Point foods like whole grain pasta, build your meals around fruits and/or vegetables. Add in regular-sized portions of proteins and/or meat, and for some recipes, small portions of whole grain foods.

#### **Weekly WW Points**

Remember Simply Filling? The Purple Plan is similar, with some foods taken away (like nonfat milk). There's a list of foods you can eat, without tracking, but there are also some points available. Think Freestyle PLUS. The bottom line is KNOW YOUR BODY. I know I can't do the Purple plan because I'll gain weight. I have - HAVE! - to watch my carb intake.

## Smiley's Points Resources

WW Green Plan

**WW Blue Plan** 

2020 Weight Watchers Changes

**Apps Like Weight Watchers** 

WW Facebook Group

Low Point Recipe Group