

Sesame Chicken

Ingredients

- 1-2 tbsp sesame oil
- 1½ lbs boneless, skinless chicken breasts, cut into 1-inch pieces
- ¼ cup honey
- ¼ cup soy sauce (or gluten-free tamari)
- ¼ cup water
- 3 garlic cloves, minced
- 1/4 tsp crushed red pepper flakes
- 3 tsp cornstarch
- 2 tbsp cold water (for slurry)
- Cooked rice, for serving
- 1 tbsp sesame seeds
- Thinly sliced green onions (optional)

Instructions

1. Brown the Chicken

Set a **6-quart pressure cooker** to the **Sauté (Medium)** setting.

Add 1 tbsp sesame oil and let it heat up.

Brown the chicken in batches, adding more oil as needed.

Once browned, press Cancel and return all chicken to the pot.

2. Make the Sauce

In a small bowl, whisk together:

- Honey
- Soy sauce
- Water
- Garlic
- Crushed red pepper flakes

Pour the sauce over the chicken and stir to combine.

3. Pressure Cook

Lock the lid and close the pressure-release valve.

Set to High Pressure for 4 minutes.

4. Thicken the Sauce

Once cooking is complete, **quick-release** the pressure.

In a separate bowl, stir together **cornstarch** and **cold water** to make a slurry.

Turn the pot back to **Sauté (Low)**, stir in the slurry, and cook for **1–2 minutes**, stirring constantly, until the sauce thickens.

5. Serve

Serve hot over cooked rice.

Sprinkle with sesame seeds and garnish with sliced green onions, if desired.