

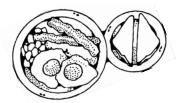
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This breakfast is low in protein, fiber and lacks a beneficial fat. The syrup is probably not made from maple, but is a an artificially flavored one high in added sugars.

Protein: need to add one: nut spread, eggs on side, HO breakfast meat

Fat: nut spreads or butter on waffle, cheese or avocado on eggs
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in fiber)

Sugary cereal, milk, apple juice

Cereal is high in added sugars, milk has some protein. Juice is low in Fiber and it is also high in sugar, even though it is from a fruit source it won't keep you as full as eating the whole fruit. Protein: the milk has protein. Other, more filling options:
whole, unsweetened yogurt, high protein cereal like granola
Fat: whole yogurt, whole milk, nuts/seeds on cereal or yogurt

Carbohydrate: whole grain hot cereal like steel cut oats, brown rice, whole apple or other whole fruit

Enriched white bread, toasted, with jelly topping

Toast is low in fiber, jelly high in added sugars, lacks protein and fat.

Protein: topping for toast - cheese, nut butter, egg fried or scrambled, side of breakfast meat like chicken sausage

Fat: toast topping - butter, butter-like spread, avocado **Carbohydrate:** choose a whole grain bread

Nothing for breakfast

Even if it is a small breakfast, you should eat something. Your body has not had any food for more than 8 hours and your brain needs fuel to start of the day.

Other breakfast ideas to include:

left over dinner - quick and easy

breakfast sandwich - save half for break when you are hungrier trail mix - make a bag of nuts, whole grain cereal, seeds, and dried fruit