# **Oven Roasting Vegetables**

#### Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 425°F
- 2. Wash vegetables and chop into serving size pieces.
- 3. In a large bowl or Pyrex baking dish, toss vegetables with 1-3 T olive oil, 1 t salt, 1 t pepper, and 1-2 cloves of minced garlic (optional).
- 4. Spread the vegetables in a single and not overcrowded layer on a Pyrex baking dish or rimmed baking sheet.
- 5. Bake in the oven for 7 minutes.
- 6. Using potholders remove the pan from the oven, stir the vegetables, and return the pan to the oven.
- 7. Bake for another 7-10+ minutes until vegetables are bright, lightly charred, and tender (test with a fork).
- 8. Remove the pan from oven, transfer the vegetables to a serving dish, and serve hot.

### Cookware & Equipment

Cutting board Chef's knife Large bowl Pyrex baking dish or baking sheet with a rim Potholders Cooking spoon Measuring spoons

Storage

5 days in refrigerator

Recommendations: <u>Brussels sprouts</u> (cut into fourths or halves), <u>asparagus</u> (whole stems, with lower part of the stem either snapped or cut off), <u>eggplant</u> (either sliced into rounds, or diced into bite sized pieces, lightly brushed with oil), <u>potatoes</u> (small or cubed, tossed with olive oil).

## Carol's Roasted Potatoes

### Ingredients

Potatoes of choice (1 lb bag) 1/4 C olive oil 1-2 stalks of fresh rosemary, leaves removed from stems & diced fine 1-2 cloves garlic, diced fine or pressed through a garlic press Salt & pepper to taste (around 1 t)

### Directions

- 1. Pre-heat oven to 425°F
- 2. Wash the potatoes, and cut them into quarters to get bite-size.
- 3. In a bowl combine olive oil, salt, pepper, and garlic. Place the quartered potatoes into the bowl and toss with olive oil mixture.
- 4. Place the potatoes on a flat sheet pan, Pyrex baking dish, or rimmed baking sheet, and bake in the oven for 30 minutes.
- 5. Remove potatoes from the oven with potholders. With a cooking spoon stir the potatoes to turn the pieces. Sprinkle the potatoes with finely chopped fresh rosemary, and return the pan to the oven for 15 more minutes.
- 6. When potatoes are tender when stuck with a fork, and become golden brown and crisp, remove the pan from oven. Transfer the potatoes to a dish, and serve hot.

**Roasted Root Vegetables variation**: wash, peel, and cube 1 sweet potato, 2 carrots, 2 parsnips, and 1 turnip. Toss with olive oil and Italian seasoning. Oven roast.