

## Buckwheat And Vanilla Porridge



1 cup raw buckwheat
2 cups whole cream milk
½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
2 star anise
1 teaspoon vanilla bean paste

½ teaspoon sea salt flakes



## Method

- 1. Place the raw buckwheat in a bowl, fill with enough water to cover the buckwheat by an inch or so and leave to soak for at least 8 hours or overnight.
- 2. Drain the buckwheat and place in a medium saucepan along with 1 cup of the milk, the cinnamon, star anise, vanilla bean paste and salt. Stir over a medium-high heat until most of the liquid has been absorbed, making sure not all the liquid has evaporated.
- 3. Add the extra cup of milk and stir again until it is lovely and creamy.
- **4.** To serve divide the porridge in bowls and add whatever toppings you like. A few suggestions are almond butter, banana and maple syrup OR strawberries, cacao nibs and coconut syrup OR stewed apples and pecans of the saucepan.