Dollar Store Round-Up

Dollar stores can provide a great variety of nutrient dense foods at a lower cost than grocery stores. Some items available are listed below. Please note, items and availability will vary by store.



Ready to eat tuna packs

Difficulty: **Easy** Tear off the top of the pack and enjoy! Add to pasta salad or a piece of whole grain bread.



Frozen Vegetables Difficulty: Easy Pop in the microwave to steam.



Pasta and Sauce Difficulty: *Medium* A wide variety of ways to make a filling meal with minimal cooking.

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Dried Beans Difficulty: *Medium* Cook 1 cup dried beans in 2-3 cups water on the stovetop or in a crockpot.



Canned Goods

Difficulty: **Easy** Ready to eat cans of soup, beans, fruit, vegetables, and tuna.



Condiments and Spices

Difficulty: **Easy** Add flavor and variety without adding cost.

Other items that can be found at the dollar store:

- Cooking oils
- Oatmeal
- Spices
- Baking mixes
- Cereal
- Protein bars
- Protein drinks