Numberblock 9: Nine's sushi design

What you need:

3x bowls Wooden spoon Bamboo sushi rolling mat Clina Film

Ingredients:

Sushi rice Sushi Vinegar Black food dye

Nori Olive

Sushi fillinas:

Cucumber

Avocado

Sushi grade salmon Sushi grade tuna

Cucumber wakame salad:

Cucumber

Dried wakame

Rice vinegar

Sesame seeds

- 1. Prepare rice by cooking and leaving to cool. Add sushi vinegar (to taste) and separate equally into three bowls. Add black dye to one bowl. Double the amount of dye and add it to the remaining bowl. You'll have three bowls of rice, a white bowl, a grey bowl and a darker grey bowl.
- **2.** Cut your fillings into strips.
- 3. Let's make sushi! Lay out your bamboo sushi rolling mat and line the top with cling film. Place a sheet of nori on your bamboo sushi rolling mat, equally spread a medium amount of your white sushi rice over the nori. In the centre, make a small pile of your fillings of choice. And roll! Repeat two more times with each of the different shades of gray rice.
- 4. Cut the shape of Nine's arms, legs, eyebrows and two square eyes from a sheet of nori. To make the white of Nine's eyes, shape two balls of rice into square shapes equal in size to the squares you have cut out of the nori.
- **5.** Grab some olives and cut out the number 9 and two circles for Nine's pupils.
- **6.** To make the Cucumber wakame salad, use a spiralizer (optional) or knife to cut the cucumber into smaller pieces. Add the dried wakame, rice vinegar and sprinkle in the sesame seeds.
- 7. Let's create our snack! Place your cucumber wakame salad at the bottom of your lunchbox. Assemble Nine and pave him in your lunchbox.
- **8.** Ta da! Nine's lunchbox!









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