

## **Pot Roast with Sweet Potatoes**

## **Ingredients:**

1	(2 1/4-pound) eye of round roast
1	tablespoon freshly ground black pepper
1	teaspoon kosher salt
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8	ounces bacon
2	tablespoons butter

## **Instructions:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 425°.
- 2. Pat beef dry with paper towels. Sprinkle with pepper and salt. Wrap with bacon strips, overlapping strips as you go. Secure with a toothpick, if necessary.
- 3. In a large ovenproof skillet, melt butter over medium-high heat. Sear roast in skillet for 6 to 8 minutes, turning so that all sides are browned. Place skillet with roast in oven.
- 4. Bake for 55 minutes, or until roast registers 135° on an instant-read thermometer for medium rare.
- 5. Remove roast from oven and let rest for 15 minutes before slicing.

**Serving Size:** 6 – 8 servings **Cook Time:** 1 hour 35 minutes