

HOW TO WASH YOUR BAKEWARE

To maintain the beauty and performance of Fat Daddio's anodized aluminum bakeware, a simple hand washing or soaking in warm, soapy water followed by a quick rinse and towel or air drying is recommended. Do not use dishwasher detergents, bleach, harsh chemicals, abrasive soaps, wire brushes, scouring sponges or sharp tools when cleaning as they can damage the surface of your bakeware.

We DO NOT recommend dishwashing anodized aluminum bakeware as many dishwasher detergents contain aggressive chemicals and phosphates that can discolor the baking surface (as well as bleaches, oven cleaners and other caustic cleaning agents). However, if your bakeware does go through the dishwasher, it still has a lifetime of baking performance ahead.

1. Season pan with a few drops of baking oil and rub in with a cloth to remove phosphate residue.
2. For extreme discoloration, coat entire pan in shortening or butter and place on a cookie sheet in the oven.
3. Bake coated pan at 300° F (150° C) for 10 minutes. Allow pan to cool for a few minutes. While still warm, wipe the pan clean with a cloth. This will effectively season the pan for future use.

HOW TO DEEP-CLEAN YOUR BAKEWARE

Bakeware can take a beating in the kitchen! After continual use, it will build up a patina from the grease and butter. Most professional bakers do not mind this buildup as it actually increases the performance of the pan. Baked goods come out even easier. However, some bakers do not like the look of a well-seasoned pan and want to restore its beauty. This can be achieved with a little effort.

TOOLS NEEDED

- Well-used bakeware pan
- Soft cloth
- Warm water
- Bar Keepers Friend® Cookware Cleanser & Polish (ensure that you get the Cookware Polish, as it has a non-bleach formula that is recommended for cookware)

INSTRUCTIONS

4. Run bakeware under warm water. Sprinkle pan with Bar Keepers Friend® Cookware Cleanser & Polish.
5. Gently rub the powder into a paste and allow to sit on the bakeware for 1-2 minutes. Stubborn stains may take up to 5 minutes.
6. Rinse bakeware with warm water. Stubborn stains may need to be worked on again.