

## AIMing to Complete Your First Half Marathon-Beginner's Schedule (2016)

Suggested training guide for first-time half-marathon runners. This training program is an 16 -week half mara-thon-training schedule for runners who can run about 3 to 4 miles at the commencement of training.

Adapted from Hal Hidgon's Half-Marathon Training Guide, http://www.halhigdon.com/training/51130/Half-Marathon-Training-Guide

Set July ' 16 goals \& FOCUS to achieve them:

| Week | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
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| 1 | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \text { Jul } \\ & \text { Rest } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \text { Jul } \\ & 3 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \mathrm{Jul} \\ & \text { Rest } \end{aligned}$ | 14 Jul 3 miles | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \mathrm{Jul} \\ & \text { Rest } \end{aligned}$ | 16 Jul 3 miles | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \text { Jul } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ |
| 2 | $18 \mathrm{Jul}$ Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \text { Jul } \\ & 3 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 20 Jul Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \text { Jul } \\ & 3 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 22 \text { Jul } \\ \text { Rest } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{2 3} \text { Jul } \\ & 3 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $24 \text { Jul }$ $5 \text { miles }$ |
| 3 | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \mathrm{Jul} \\ & \text { Rest } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{2 6} \text { Jul } \\ & 3 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 27 \mathrm{Jul} \\ \text { Rest } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{2 8} \text { Jul } \\ & 3 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \text { Jul } \\ & \text { Rest } \end{aligned}$ | 30 Jul <br> 3 miles | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \text { Jul } \\ & 6 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ |

Self assessment-July '16

Set August ' 16 goals \& FOCUS to achieve them:

| 4 | 1 Aug Rest | 2 Aug 3 miles | 3 Aug Rest | 4 Aug 3 miles | 5 Aug Rest | 6 Aug 4 miles | 7 Aug 7 miles |
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| 5 | 8 Aug Rest | 9 Aug <br> 3 miles | 10 Aug Rest | 11 Aug 4 miles | 12 Aug Rest | 13 Aug 4 miles | 14 Aug 7 miles |
| 6 | 15 Aug Rest | 16 Aug 4 miles | 17 Aug Rest | 18 Aug 4 miles | 19 Aug Rest | 20 Aug 4 miles | 21 Aug 7 miles |
| 7 | 22 Aug Rest | 23 Aug 4 miles | 24 Aug Rest | $25 \text { Aug }$ <br> 4 miles | 26 Aug Rest | 27 Aug <br> 4 miles | $28 \text { Aug }$ $8 \text { miles }$ |

Self assessment-August '16

Set September ' 16 goals \& FOCUS to achieve them:

| 8 | 29 Aug Rest | 30 Aug 3 miles | 31 Aug Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { Sep } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $2 \text { Sep }$ <br> Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \text { Sep } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 4 Sep 9 miles |
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| 9 | 5 Sep Rest | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{6 ~ S e p} \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 7 Sep Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \text { Sep } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | $9 \text { Sep }$ <br> Rest | $10 \text { Sep }$ $4 \text { miles }$ | 11 Sep |
| 10 | 12 Sep Rest | 13 Sep 4 miles | 14 Sep Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \text { Sep } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 16 Sep Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \text { Sep } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 18 Sep <br> 8 miles |
| 11 | 19 Sep Rest | $20 \text { Sep }$ $4 \text { miles }$ | 21 Sep Rest | 22 Sep 4 miles | 23 Sep Rest | 24 Sep <br> 4 miles | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \text { Sep } \\ & 12 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ |
| 12 | 26 Sep Rest | 27 Sep 4 miles | 28 Sep Rest | 29 Sep 4 miles | 30 Sep Rest | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{1} \text { Oct } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 2 Oct 8 miles |

Self assessment-September ' 16

Set October ' 16 goals \& FOCUS to achieve them:

| 13 | 3 Oct Rest | 4 Oct | 5 Oct Rest | $\begin{gathered} \mathbf{6} \text { Oct } \\ 4 \text { miles } \end{gathered}$ | 7 Oct Rest | 8 Oct 4 miles | 9 Oct 14 miles |
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| 14 | 10 Oct Rest | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{1 1} \text { Oct } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 12 Oct Rest | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{1 3} \text { Oct } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 14 Oct Rest | $15 \text { Oct }$ $4 \text { miles }$ | 16 Oct 6 miles |
| 15 | 17 Oct Rest | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{1 8} \text { Oct } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 19 Oct Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \text { Oct } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 21 Oct Rest | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \text { Oct } \\ & 4 \text { miles } \end{aligned}$ | 23 Oct 6 miles |
| 16 | 24 Oct Rest | 25 Oct 5 miles | 26 Oct Rest | 27 Oct 4 miles | 28 Oct Rest | 29 Oct Rest | 30 Oct AIM DAY <br> Half Marathon! |

Self assessment-October ' 16 $\qquad$

