

Running training plan: Half Marathon-Advanced





Hard

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	30 mins easy run, 30 mins body/core exercises	10 mins warm up, 4 x 6 mins at Threshold effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	45 mins easy effort run	45 mins run: 15 mins easy + 15 mins steady effort + 15 mins at Threshold effort	Rest	10 mins warm up, 3 x 7 mins Kenyan Hills (count uphill time only) with 2 mins jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	90 mins easy effort long run, off road if possible
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2	Rest or 30 mins easy recovery run	10 mins warm up, 3 x 8 mins at Threshold effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	45 mins easy effort run	40 mins steady effort run + 20 mins body/ core exercises	Rest	10 mins warm up, 3 x 8 mins Kenyan Hills (count uphill time only) with 2 mins jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	90 mins easy effort long run, off road if possible
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3	Rest	10 mins warm up, 10 mins at Threshold effort, 60 secs jog recovery, 5 x 2 mins at 90% effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins at Threshold effort, 10 mins cool down	45 mins easy effort run	60 mins run: 15 mins easy + 15 mins steady effort + 15 mins at Threshold effort + 15 mins easy	45 mins easy effort run	10 mins warm up, 2 x 10 mins Kenyan Hills (count uphill time only) with 2 mins jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	105 mins easy effort long run, off road if possible
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4	Rest or 30 mins easy recovery run	10 mins warm up, 10 mins at Threshold effort, 60 secs jog recovery, 5 x 3 mins at 90% effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins at Threshold effort, 10 mins cool down	60 mins steady effort run + 15 mins body/ core exercises	45 mins run: 15 mins easy + 15 mins steady effort + 15 mins at Threshold effort	Rest	45 mins steady effort undulating run – push the effort on 4-5 hills to 90% effort	120 mins easy/steady effort long run, off road if possible
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5	30 mins easy run OR 30 mins body/core exercises	10 mins warm up, 3 x 10 mins at Threshold effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	60 mins steady effort run	15 mins warm up, 6 x 1K at 90% effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins cool down	45 mins Cross- Training (focus on body weight exercises & core exercises)	Rest	120 mins easy long run include last 30 mins at Half Marathon effort
	30)	50 8	60 8	**	45		(20)
6	Rest	50 mins run: 15 mins easy + 20 mins at Threshold effort + 15 mins easy	45 mins easy effort run	15 mins warm up, 5 x 2 mins at 90% effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins cool down	Rest	30 mins easy effort run	10K Race or Time Trial
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7	30 mins easy run + 30 mins body/core exercises	45 mins easy effort run	45 mins run over an undulating route including middle 20 mins at Threshold effort	Rest	15 mins warm up, 6 x 1K at 90% effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins cool down	45 mins easy effort run	120 mins easy long run include last 40 mins at Half Marathon effort
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8	Rest	15 mins warm up, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 4 x 1K at 10K effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 15 mins easy cool down	30 mins easy run + 30 mins body/core exercises	40 mins easy effort run	15 mins warm up, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 3 x 1K at 10K effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 15 mins easy cool down	30 mins easy effort run	100 mins easy effort long run
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9	Rest	15 mins warm up, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 4 x 1K at 10K effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 15 mins easy cool down	30 mins easy run + 30 mins body/core exercises	45 mins steady effort run	15 mins warm up, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 3 x 1K at 10K effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins at Threshold effort, 15 mins easy cool down	40 mins easy effort run	120 mins easy long run include last 40 mins at Half Marathon effort
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10	30 mins recovery run	15 mins warm up, 12 sets: 3 x 1K at 10K effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts/3 mins jog recovery between sets, 15 mins easy cool down	40 mins easy effort run	45 mins run: 15 mins easy + 15 mins steady effort + 15 mins easy effort run	60 mins run inc. 3 x 10 mins at Threshold effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts	Rest	90 mins easy long run include last 30 mins at Half Marathon effort
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11	Rest	40 mins easy effort run	60 mins run including: 6 x 5 mins at Threshold effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts	45 mins easy effort run	15 mins warm up, 6 x 3 mins at 90% effort with 90 secs jog recovery between efforts, 15 mins cool down	Rest OR 30 mins easy effort run	70 mins easy long run include last 20 mins at Half Marathon effort
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12	Rest	10 mins warm up, 4 x 5 mins at Threshold effort with 60 secs jog recovery between efforts, 10 mins cool down	30 mins easy effort run	30 mins easy effort run inc 5 x 15 sec strides	Rest	20 mins easy effort run	Half Marathon Event!
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