LENTIL & VEGETABLE STEW



1/4 of the recipe contains



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Prep Time: 15 mins Cooking Time: 45 mins Serves: 4 Adults

Ingedients

- 1 large onion
- 2 medium carrots
- 2 celery sticks
- 100g / 4oz. of mushrooms
- 2 small courgettes
- 1 tablespoon of oil
- 175g of red lentils
- 1 teaspoon of mixed herbs
- 600ml / 1 pint of low salt vegetable stock
- 2 tablespoons of tomato purée
- Black pepper to taste

What you will need

- Casserole dish
- Chopping board
- Chopping knife
- Measuring jug(for liquids)
- Saucepan
- Wooden spoon

Method

- 1. Chop all the vegetables.
- 2. Heat the oil in a large saucepan, add the onion and cook for five minutes.
- 3. Add the carrots and celery, cook for two minutes.
- 4. Stir in the lentils, herbs, stock, puree and pepper and bring to the boil.
- 5. Cover and simmer for 20 minutes until the lentils are soft.
- 6. Stir in the courgettes and mushrooms and cook for a further 10 minutes.
- 7. Transfer to a casserole dish for serving.



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