

# **UCOOK**

## Za'atar Chicken & Labneh

with artichokes & sultanas

The flavour profile of this dish is out of this world! Za'atar roasted chicken pieces are laid next to a smear of labneh topped with crispy lentils & curry carrots that give this meal its earthy undertone. Topped with pistachios, sultanas, fresh mint & lemon zest to lift it back up to the heavens. Sided with a tomato, artichoke & green leaf salad. You can't go wrong!

Hands-on Time: 45 minutes			
Overall Time: 65 minutes			
Serves: 4 People			

Chef: Rhea Hsu

Adventurous Foodie

Waterford Estate | Waterford Pecan Stream Sauvignon Blanc

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Ingredients & Prep		
200ml	Dry Brown Lentils rinsed	
8	Free-range Chicken Pieces	
40ml	Za'atar Stone Mill Spice	
20ml	Medium Curry Powder	
400g	Baby Carrots rinsed	
2	Lemons	
10g	Fresh Mint	
80g	Green Leaves	
2	Tomatoes	
160g	Artichoke Quarters drained	
200ml	Labneh	
60g	Nut & Sultana Mix (40g Golden Sultanas & 20g Pistachio Nuts)	
From Your Kitchen		
Salt & Pe Water	king, olive or coconut) opper weetener/Honey	
Paper Towel		

**1. BOILED LENTILS** Place the rinsed lentils in a pot with 1.4L of salted water. Bring to a boil. Reduce the heat and simmer until al dente, 15-20 minutes (stirring occasionally). Drain and cover.

**2. FROM A TO ZA'ATAR** Preheat the oven to 200°C. Place the chicken on a roasting tray. Pat dry with paper towel. Coat in oil and seasoning. Roast in the oven until cooked through and crisping up, 35-40 minutes (shifting halfway). In a bowl, combine the cooked lentils, the za'atar, seasoning, and a drizzle of oil. Set aside.

**3. SPICE UP YOUR LIFE** In a small bowl, combine the curry powder, 40ml of oil, and seasoning. Add an extra drizzle of oil if it is too thick. Spread out the rinsed baby carrots on a separate roasting tray and coat in the curry oil. Roast in the hot oven until cooked through and crisping up, 25-30 minutes (shifting halfway).

**4. ENJOYING THE LENTIL THINGS** When the chicken has 15 minutes remaining, scatter the dressed lentils over the tray and cook for the remaining time. In the final 5 minutes, turn the oven on to the highest temperature or the grill setting to brown the chicken skin.

**5. PREP STEP** While the chicken is roasting, zest and cut the lemon into wedges. Rinse, pick, and roughly chop the mint. Rinse the green leaves. Rinse and roughly dice the tomatoes. Chop the drained artichokes into bite-sized pieces.

**6. GET DRESSED FOR DINNER** In a salad bowl, combine the juice of 8 lemon wedges, a drizzle of olive oil, ½ the lemon zest, a sweetener, and seasoning. Add the diced tomatoes, the artichoke pieces, and the rinsed green leaves. Toss until combined.

7. TIME TO FEAST Smear the labneh on the plate and top with the spiced baby carrots and the crispy lentils. Sprinkle over the nut & sultana mix, the chopped mint, and the remaining lemon zest (to taste). Drizzle with olive oil. Side with the za'atar chicken and the dressed salad. Serve with any remaining lemon wedges. Well done, Chef!

## 🖢 Chef's Tip

Air fryer method: Pat the chicken dry with paper towel. Coat in oil and seasoning. Air fry, skin-side up, at 200°C until cooked through, 20-25 minutes (shifting halfway and adding the dressed lentils).

#### Nutritional Information

Per 100g

Energy	584kJ
Energy	139kcal
Protein	11.4g
Carbs	8g
of which sugars	3.1g
Fibre	2.9g
Fat	6.9g
of which saturated	3g
Sodium	202mg

### Allergens

Gluten, Dairy, Sesame, Wheat, Sulphites, Tree Nuts

> Cook within 3 Days