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# Chicken Bolognese Bake

with baby potatoes & fresh parsley

A hearty and delicious weeknight dinner that will warm your soul and satisfy every taste bud! Chicken mince is cooked down with carrots, celery and onion to create a rich bolognese. This divine bolognese sauce is then poured over tender baby potatoes before being sprinkled with cheese and baked to bubbling perfection!

Hands-On Time: 30 minutes

Overall Time: 60 minutes

**Serves:** 4 People

Chef: Jeannette Joynt

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### Ingredients & Prep

Chicken Stock 20<sub>m</sub>l 2 Onions peeled & roughly diced 960g Carrot

rinsed, trimmed & roughly chopped 2 Celery Stalks

rinsed & roughly chopped Garlic Cloves

peeled & grated 30ml Tomato Paste

600g Free-range Chicken Mince

400g Cooked Chopped Tomato

**Baby Potatoes** rinsed & cut into quarters

Grated Mozzarella &

Cheddar Cheese Mix Fresh Parsley

rinsed, picked & roughly chopped

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper

Water

800g

320g

15g

1. CHICKY MINCE Preheat the oven to 200°C. Boil the kettle. Dilute the

stock with 400ml of boiling water. Place a deep pan over a medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, add the diced onion, the chopped carrot, and the chopped celery. Fry for 6-8 minutes until softened, shifting

occasionally. Add the grated garlic and the tomato paste and fry for 1-2 minutes until fragrant, shifting constantly. Add the chicken mince and work quickly to break it up as it starts to cook. Allow to caramelise for 5-6 minutes until browned, shifting occasionally. Pour in the cooked chopped tomato and the diluted stock and bring to the boil. Once boiling,

reduce the heat and leave to simmer for 15-20 minutes until reduced and

thickened, stirring occasionally. Season to taste.

2. LITTLE POTS While the mince is reducing, place a pot of cold salted water over a high heat. Add the guartered baby potatoes and bring to the boil. Once boiling, reduce the heat and simmer for 20-25 minutes until soft. Drain on completion and season.

3. BAKE THE BAKE Spread out the softened baby potatoes in a large baking dish. Pour over the saucy chicken mince, making sure it's covering all the potatoes. Sprinkle over the grated cheese and bake in the hot oven

4. TUCK IN! Plate up a generous helping of the cheesy chicken bake. Sprinkle over the chopped parsley. Enjoy, Chef!

for 12-15 minutes until the cheese is melted and bubbling.

#### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy	384kJ
Energy	92Kcal
Protein	5.8g
Carbs	8g
of which sugars	3g
Fibre	1.5g
Fat	3.7g
of which saturated	1.7g
Sodium	147mg

#### **Allergens**

Dairy, Allium, Sulphites

Cook within 1 Day