



Spiced chicken and eggplant

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4 hours 30 minutes

Prep time

20 minutes

Cooking time

4-8 Servings

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INGREDIENTS

- 4 chicken breast fillets, cut in half
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 cloves garlic, crushed
- 2 teaspoons grated ginger
- 2 teaspoons cumin
- 11/2 teaspoons turmeric
- 2 teaspoons sweet paprika
- 1 onion, sliced
- 1 small eggplant, cut into 2cm dice
- 2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 8 fresh dates, pitted and quartered

tablespoons lemon juice

Salt and pepper to taste

1/2 cup yoghurt

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

METHOD

- 1. Combine chicken, olive oil, garlic, ginger, cumin, turmeric and paprika in a bowl. Cover and refrigerate for at least 4 hours.
- 2. Combine onion, eggplant and extra virgin olive oil in a 2 l (8 cup) microwave/oven safe dish.
- 3. Place dish on the glass tray on shelf position 1. Cook on Microwave 600W for 8 minutes.
- 4. Add honey, dates and marinated chicken to the onion mixture. Mix well.
- 5. Return dish to the oven on the glass tray on shelf position 1. Cook on Microwave 300W + Fan plus 180°C for 20 minutes or until chicken is cooked.
- 6. Stir through 2 tablespoons of the lemon juice and season to taste. Cover with aluminium foil and rest 5 minutes before serving.
- 7. Combine yoghurt with the remaining tablespoon of lemon juice and spoon over the chicken. Top with chopped parsley to serve.

Hints and tips

Serve with rice or cous cous.