



Friands

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10 minutes Preparation time

15 minutes Cooking

Makes 36 mini friands Serves

INGREDIENTS

6 egg whites 125 g (1 cup) almond meal 220 g (1½ cups) icing sugar mixture 75 g (½ cup) plain flour 125 g butter, melted Pinch salt 1 tsp vanilla essence 1 lemon, zested Icing sugar, extra

METHOD

- 1. Preheat the oven on Fan Plus at 170°C. Grease a mini friand or muffin pan.
- 2. In a medium bowl, lightly whisk the egg whites until combined and frothy.
- 3. Add the almond meal, flour, butter, salt, vanilla and zest to the bowl. Fold together, using a spatula or metal spoon, until just combined.
- 4. Divide the mixture into the prepared pan and top with your preferred toppings.
- 5. Place into the oven on shelf level 2 and bake for 15 minutes, or until firm to touch.
- 6. Cool slightly before removing from the pan. Cool to room temperature.
- 7. Dust with extra icing sugar to serve.

Roasted strawberry friand

- Combine 250 g halved strawberries, 1 tbsp balsamic vinegar and a little icing sugar. Place onto a universal tray and roast on Fan Plus at 170°C for 20 minutes or until caramelised.
- Place a strawberry half onto each friand before baking.

Raspberry friand

• Place a fresh raspberry into each friand before baking.

Mix nut and orange friands

- Substitute orange rind instead of lemon rind in the friand mix. Roughly chop 2 tbsp of almonds and pistachios.
- Sprinkle the nuts over the friands before baking.

Blueberry and pistachio friands

- Roughly chop 2 tbsp pistachios.
- Place a fresh blueberry into each friand before baking and sprinkle with the chopped nuts.

Lime and coconut friands

- Substitute orange rind instead of lemon rind in the friand mix.
- Sprinkle shredded coconut over the friands before baking.