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### **Useful tips**

tsp = teaspoon



When the recipe states 'chop', cut the ingredients into small pieces however you like.

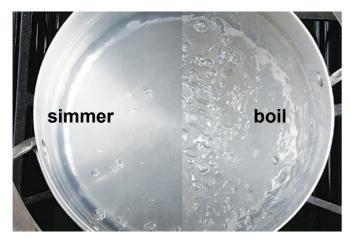
Don't worry if you don't have a set of measuring spoons, just use a teaspoon and

tablespoon/soup spoon that you have at home.



When the recipe states 'cube', cut the ingriedient into slices, each slice into a long stick and then cut those sticks into cubes.

Always use a wooden spoon to stir anything hot. It doesn't get as hot as a metal spoon so it's safer to use.



When the recipe states 'simmer' turn the heat as low as possible so you only see a few bubbles coming up every now and again.

When the recipes states 'boil', turn the heat up and wait until you see plenty of bubbles.



# Soups



- 1tbsp vegetable oil
- 1 onion, chopped
- tsp ground coriander
- ◊ 2 potatoes, chopped
- ♦ 500g carrots, chopped
- ♦ 4 stock cubes



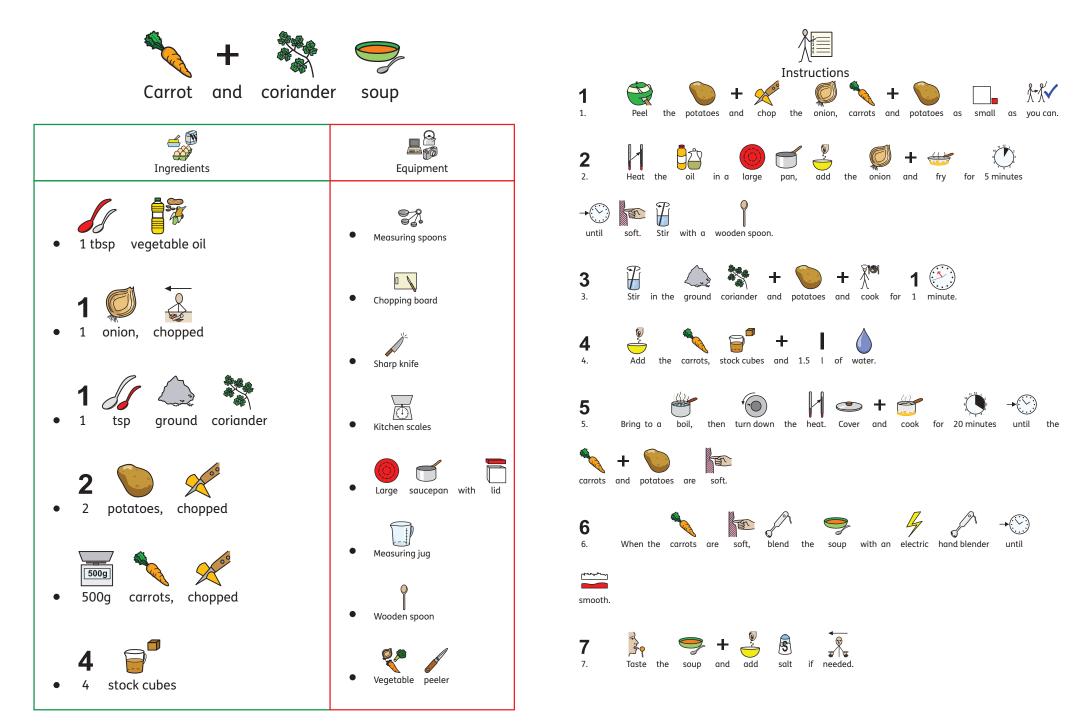
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- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Kitchen scales
- Large saucepan with lid
- Measuring jug
- Wooden spoon
- Vegetable peeler

### **Carrot and coriander soup**



- 1. Peel the potatoes and chop the onion, carrots and potatoes as small as you can.
- **2.** Heat the oil in a large pan, add the onion and fry for 5 minutes until soft. Stir with a wooden spoon.
- 3. Stir in the ground coriander and potatoes and cook for 1 min.
- 4. Add the carrots, stock cubes and 1.5l of water.
- **5.** Bring to a boil, then turn down the heat. Cover and cook for 20 minutes until the carrots and potatoes are soft.
- **6.** When the carrots are soft, blend the soup with an electric hand blender until smooth.
- 7. Taste the soup and add salt if needed.





- 1tbsp vegetable oil
- 1 onion, sliced
- 2 leeks, sliced
- ◊ 6 potatoes, cubed
- 4 stock cubes



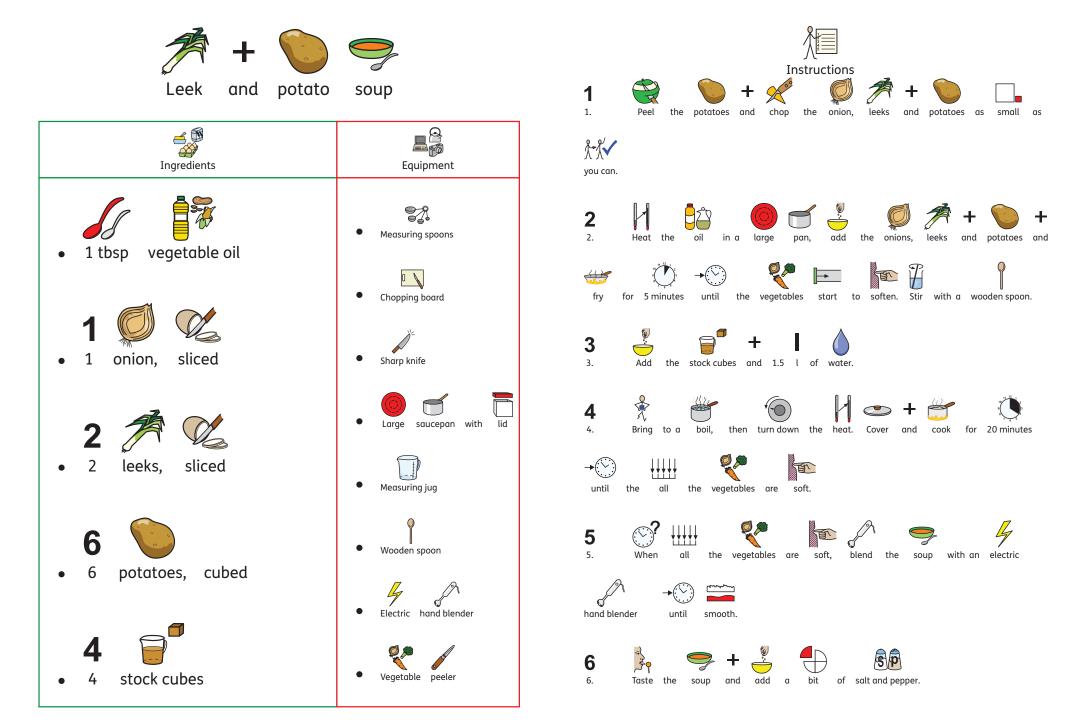
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- Wooden spoon
- Electric hand blender
- Vegetable peeler

### Leek and potato soup



- 1. Peel the potatoes and chop the onion, leeks and potatoes as small as you can.
- **2.** Heat the oil in a large pan, add the onions, leeks and potatoes and fry for 5 minutes until the vegetables start to soften. Stir with a wooden spoon.
- **3.** Add the stock cubes and 1.5l of water.
- **4.** Bring to a boil, then turn down the heat. Cover and cook for 20 minutes until the all the vegetables are soft.
- **5.** When all the vegetables are soft, blend the soup with an electric hand blender until smooth.
- 6. Taste the soup and add a bit of salt and pepper.







- 250g red lentils
- t tin coconut milk
- 6 curry leaves
- 2 medium tomatoes, chopped
- ◊ 2 red onions, finely chopped
- ◊ 2 red peppers, chopped
- ◊ 1 tsp turmeric



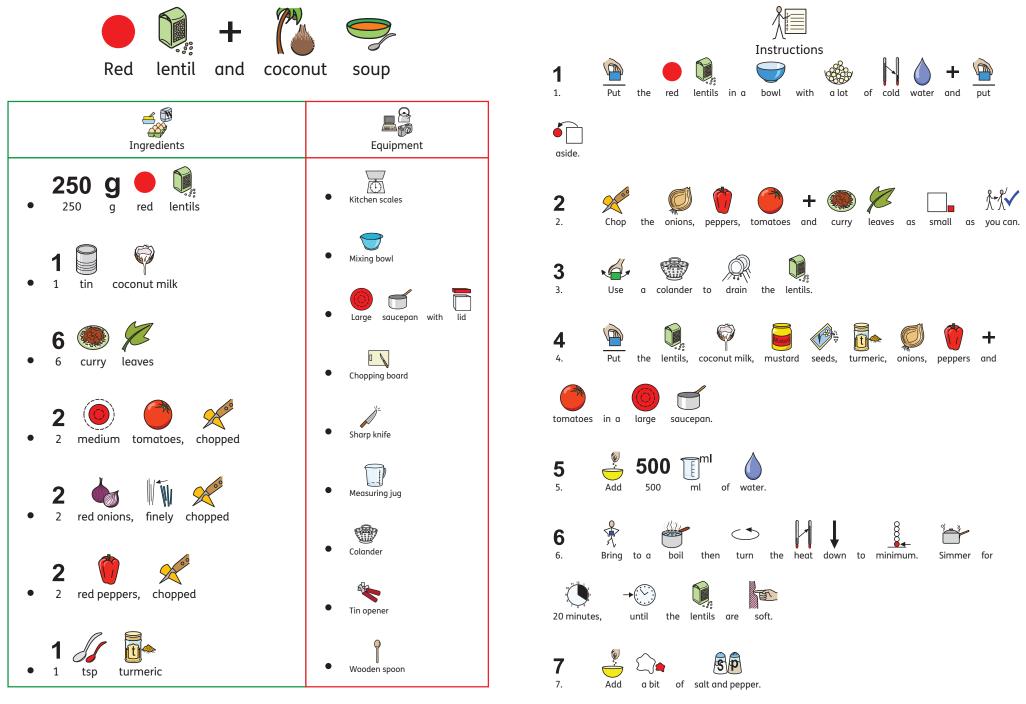
- ◊ Kitchen scales
- Mixing bowl
- Large saucepan with lid
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Measuring jug
- ◊ Colander
- ◊ Tin opener
- Wooden spoon

### Red lentil and coconut soup



- **1.** Put the red lentils in a bowl with a lot of cold water and put aside.
- **2.** Chop the onions, peppers, tomatoes and curry leaves as small as you can.
- 3. Use a colander to drain the lentils.
- **4.** Put the lentils, coconut milk, mustard seeds, turmeric, onions, peppers and tomatoes in a large saucepan.
- 5. Add 500ml of water.
- **6.** Bring to a boil then turn the heat down to minimum. Simmer for 20 minutes, until the lentils are soft.
- 7. Add a bit of salt and pepper.







- 2 onions, chopped
- 2 carrots, chopped
- 2 celery sticks, chopped
- ◊ 2 garlic cloves, chopped
- 2tbsp olive oil
- 2 tins of chopped tomatoes
- 1 vegetable stock cube
- ◊ 500ml of water
- ◊ 10 basil leaves, torn



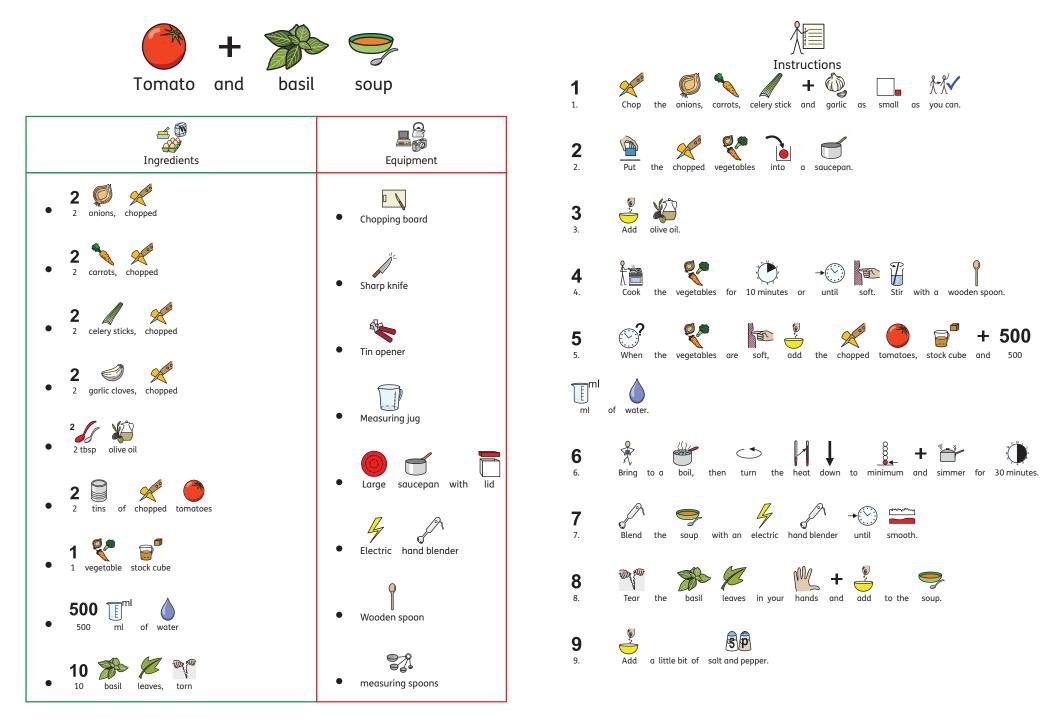
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- ◊ Sharp knife
- Measuring spoons
- Tin opener
- Measuring jug
- Large saucepan with lid
- Electric hand blender
- Wooden spoon

### Tomato and basil soup



- **1.** Chop the onions, carrots, celery stick and garlic as small as you can.
- 2. Put the chopped vegetables into a saucepan.
- **3.** Add olive oil.
- 4. Cook the vegetables for 10 minutes or until soft. Stir with a wooden spoon.
- **5.** When the vegetables are soft, add the chopped tomatoes, stock cube and 500ml of water.
- 6. Bring to a boil, then turn the heat down to minimum and simmer for 30 minutes.
- 7. Blend the soup with an electric hand blender until smooth.
- 8. Tear the basil leaves in your hands and add to the soup.
- **9.** Add a little bit of salt and pepper.







- 2 onions, chopped
- ◊ 2 celery sticks, chopped
- ◊ 3 carrots, chopped
- ♦ 6 potatoes, chopped
- tbsp olive oil
- ◊ 2 stock cubes

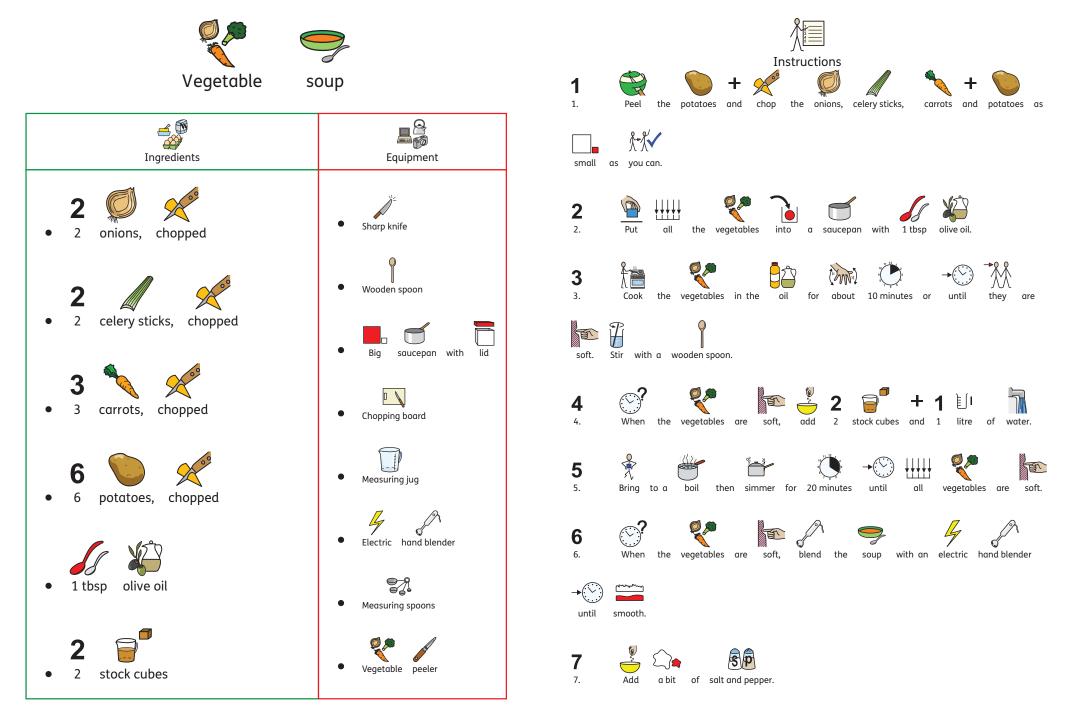


- ◊ Sharp knife
- Wooden spoon
- Big saucepan with lid
- Output Chopping board
- Measuring jug
- Electric hand blender
- Measuring spoons
- Vegetable peeler

Vegetable soup



- **1.** Peel the potatoes and chop the onions, celery sticks, carrots and potatoes as small as you can.
- 2. Put all the vegetables into a saucepan with 1tbsp olive oil.
- **3.** Cook the vegetables in the oil for about 10 minutes or until they are soft. Stir with a wooden spoon.
- 4. When the vegetables are soft, add 2 stock cubes and 1 litre of water.
- 5. Bring to a boil then simmer for 20 minutes until all vegetables are soft.
- **6.** When the vegetables are soft, blend the soup with an electric hand blender until smooth.
- 7. Add a bit of salt and pepper.





# Main meals



- 1 onion, chopped
- 2 potatoes, diced
- 2tbsp olive oil
- $\diamond \qquad 1 \text{ garlic clove, crushed}$
- ◊ 100g frozen peas
- ◊ 4 eggs
- 150ml milk
- Salt and pepper
- Butter for greasing the dish



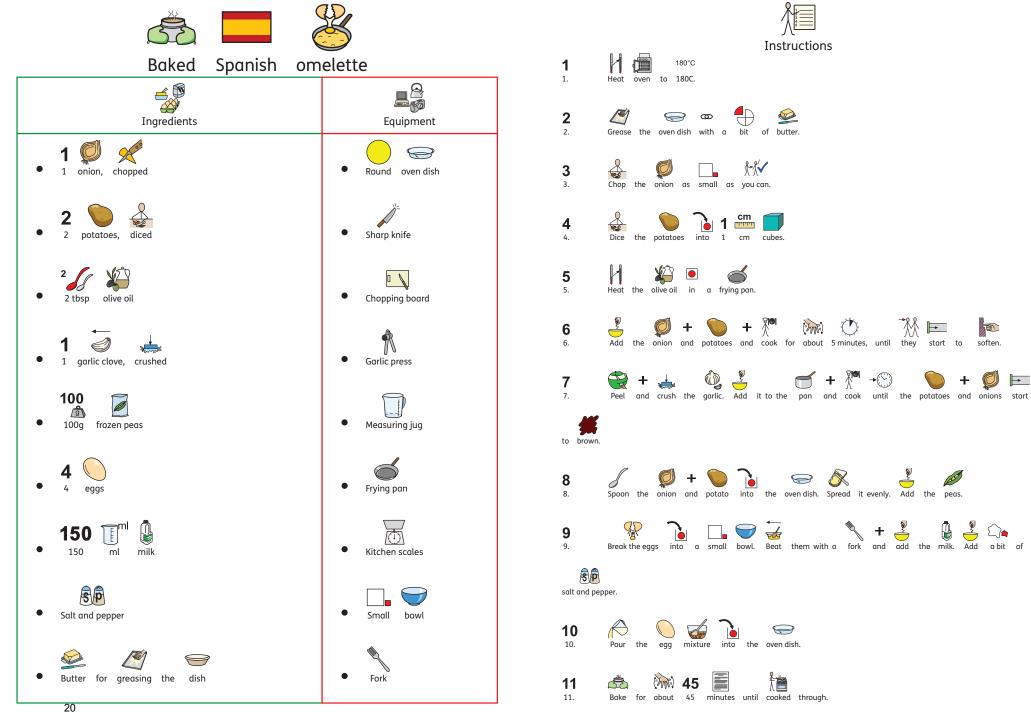
- A Round oven dish
- Sharp knife
- Output Chopping board
- ◊ Garlic press
- Measuring jug
- Frying pan
- o Kitchen scales
- Small bowl
- ◊ Fork

### **Baked Spanish omelette**



- 1. Heat oven to 180C.
- 2. Grease the oven dish with a bit of butter.
- **3.** Chop the onion as small as you can.
- **4.** Dice the potatoes into 1cm cubes.
- **5.** Heat the olive oil in a frying pan.
- **6.** Add the onion and potatoes and cook for about 5 minutes, until they start to soften.
- **7.** Peel and crush the garlic. Add it to the pan and cook until the potatoes and onions start to brown.
- 8. Spoon the onion and potato into the oven dish. Spread it evenly. Add the peas.
- **9.** Break the eggs into a small bowl. Beat them with a fork and add the milk. Add a bit of salt and pepper.
- **10.** Pour the egg mixture into the oven dish.
- **11.** Bake for about 45 minutes until cooked through.







- ◊ 500g minced meat or Quorn
- tbsp olive oil
- 2 garlic cloves, chopped
- 1 onion, chopped
- ◊ 1/2tsp ground cumin
- tsp chilli powder
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 tin chopped tomatoes
- 1 vegetable stock cube
- 1 green pepper, chopped
- 1 tin red kidney beans
- ♦ 1tsp cornflour
- Rice to serve



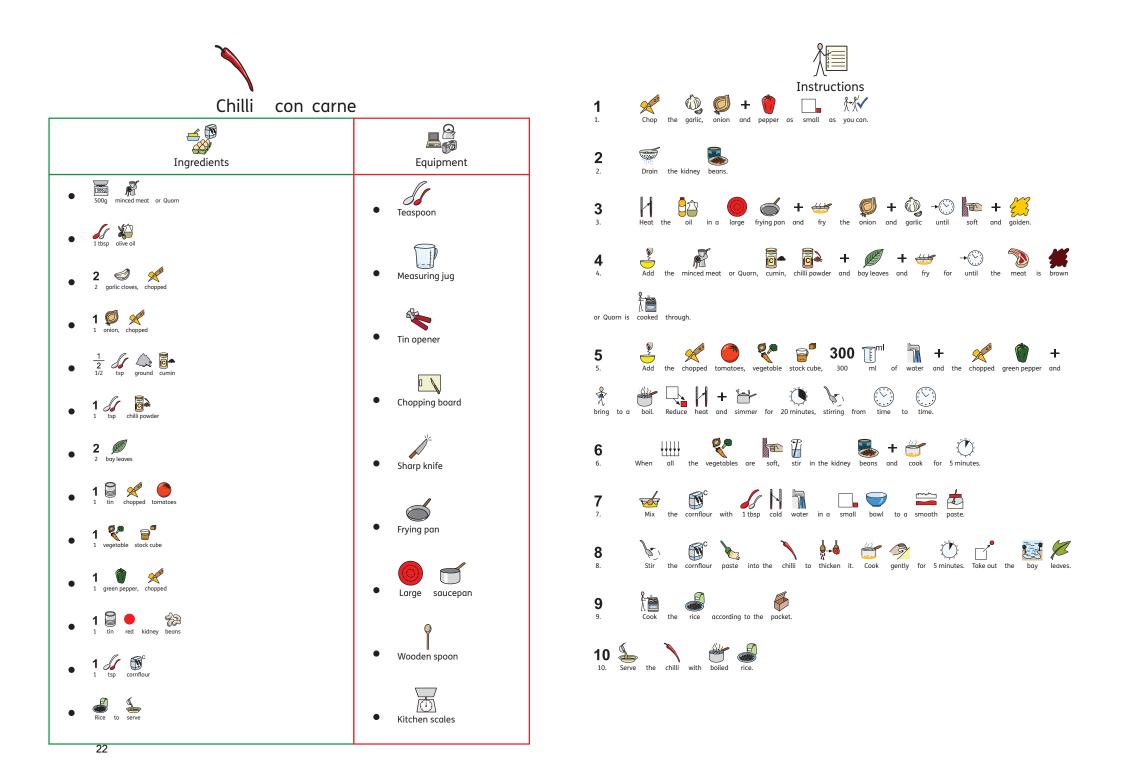
- Teaspoon
- Measuring jug
- Tin opener
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- ◊ Frying pan
- ◊ Large saucepan
- ◊ Wooden spoon
- ◊ Kitchen scales





- **1.** Chop the garlic, onion and pepper as small as you can.
- 2. Drain the kidney beans.
- **3.** Heat the oil in a large frying pan and fry the onion and garlic until soft and golden.
- **4.** Add the minced meat or Quorn, cumin, chilli powder and bay leaves and fry for until the meat is brown or Quorn is cooked through.
- Add the chopped tomatoes, vegetable stock cube, 300ml of water and the chopped green pepper and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer for 20 minutes, stirring from time to time.
- **6.** When all the vegetables are soft, stir in the kidney beans and cook for 5 minutes.
- 7. Mix the cornflour with 1tbsp cold water in a small bowl to a smooth paste.
- Stir the cornflour paste into the chilli to thicken it. Cook gently for 5 minutes.
  Take out the bay leaves.
- 9. Cook the rice according to the packet.
- **10.** Serve the chilli with boiled rice.







- ◊ 2tbsp oil
- 1 onion, chopped
- ◊ 1 garlic clove, chopped
- ◊ 500g minced meat or Quorn
- 12 lasagne sheets
- ◊ 100g hard cheese, grated
- ◊ 1 jar red lasagne sauce (500g)
- 1 jar white lasagne sauce (500g)
  - Oil



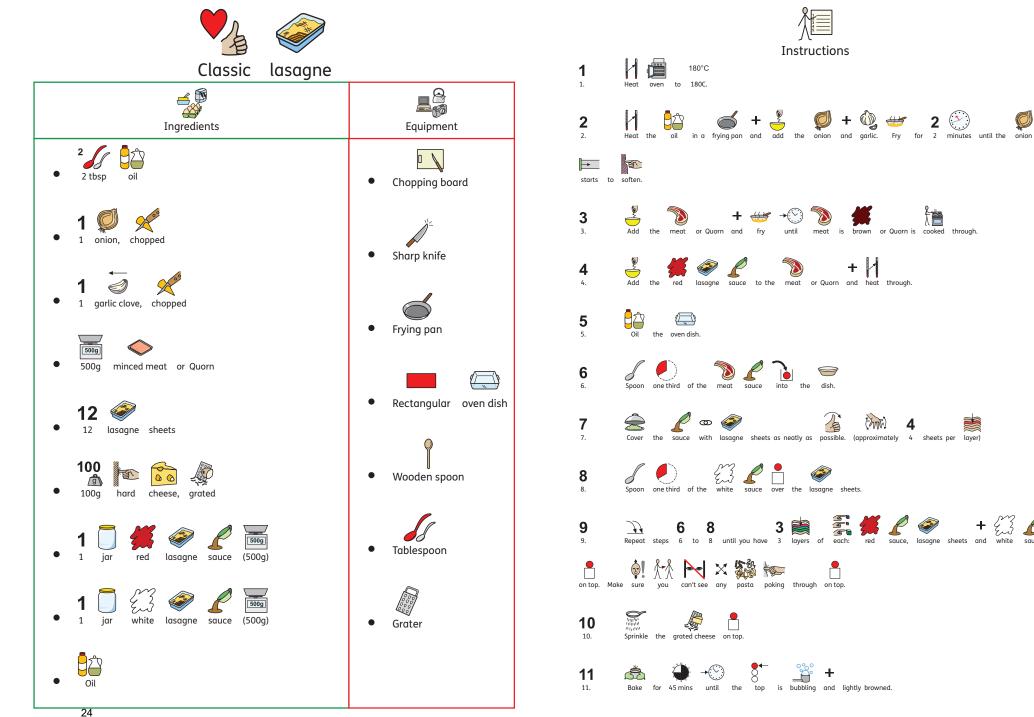
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Frying pan
- Rectangular oven dish
- Wooden spoon
- ◊ Table spoon
- ◊ Grater

## **Classic lasagne**



- 1. Heat oven to 180C.
- **2.** Heat the oil in a frying pan and add the onion and garlic. Fry for 2 minutes until the onion starts to soften.
- **3.** Add the meat or Quorn and fry until meat is brown or Quorn is cooked through.
- **4.** Add the red lasagne sauce to the meat or Quorn and heat through.
- 5. Oil the oven dish.
- 6. Spoon one third of the meat sauce into the dish.
- **7.** Cover the sauce with lasagne sheets as neatly as possible. (approximately 4 sheets per layer)
- 8. Spoon one third of the white sauce over the lasagne sheets.
- Repeat steps 6-8 until you have 3 layers of each: red sauce, lasagne sheets and white sauce on top. Make sure you can't see any pasta poking through on top.
- **10.** Sprinkle the grated cheese on top.
- **11.** Bake for 45mins until the top is bubbling and lightly browned.







- 2tbsp vegetable oil
- 2 onions, sliced
- 4tbsp curry paste
- 2 vegetable stock cubes
- 2 carrots, diced
- ◊ 100g green beans, chopped
- 100g red lentils
- Basmati rice
- ◊ 1/2tsp turmeric



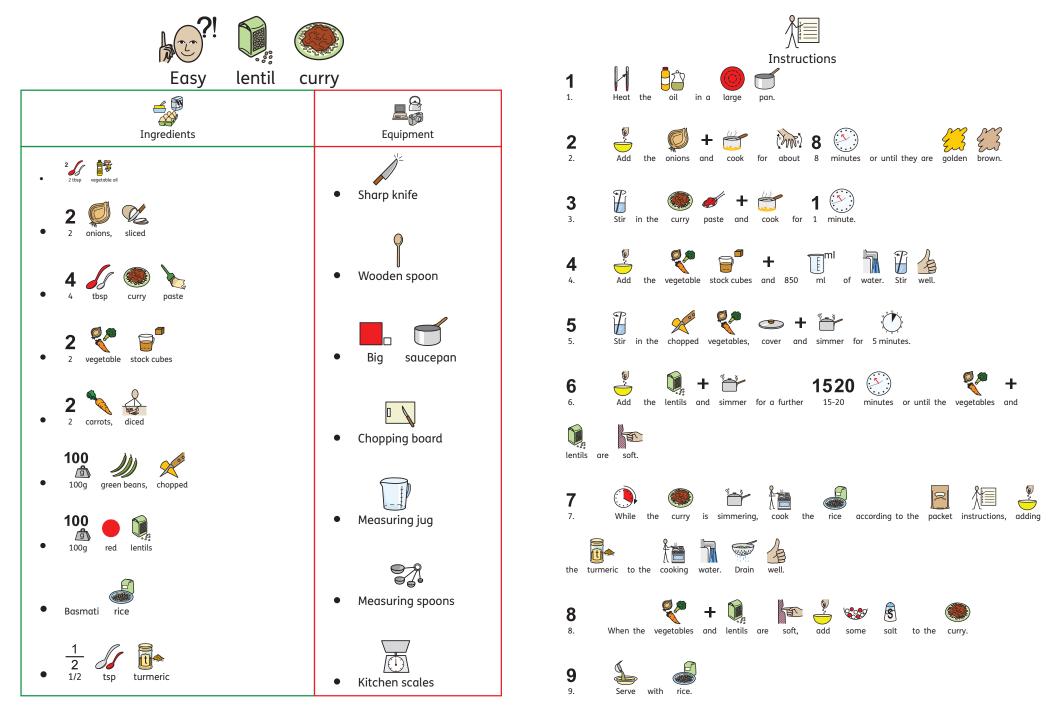
- Sharp knife
- Wooden spoon
- Big saucepan
- Output Chopping board
- Measuring jug
- Measuring spoons
- Kitchen scales

# Easy lentil curry



- **1.** Heat the oil in a large pan.
- 2. Add the onions and cook for about 8 minutes or until they are golden brown.
- 3. Stir in the curry paste and cook for 1 minute.
- 4. Add the vegetable stock cubes and 850ml of water. Stir well.
- **5.** Stir in the chopped vegetables, cover and simmer for 5 minutes.
- **6.** Add the lentils and simmer for a further 15-20 minutes or until the vegetables and lentils are soft.
- **7.** While the curry is simmering, cook the rice according to the packet instructions, adding the turmeric to the cooking water. Drain well.
- 8. When the vegetables and lentils are soft, add some salt to the curry.
- 9. Serve with rice.







- 4 large potatoes
- ◊ Oil
- 2 tins of tuna, drained
- 4tbsp mayonnaise
- Butter (optional)



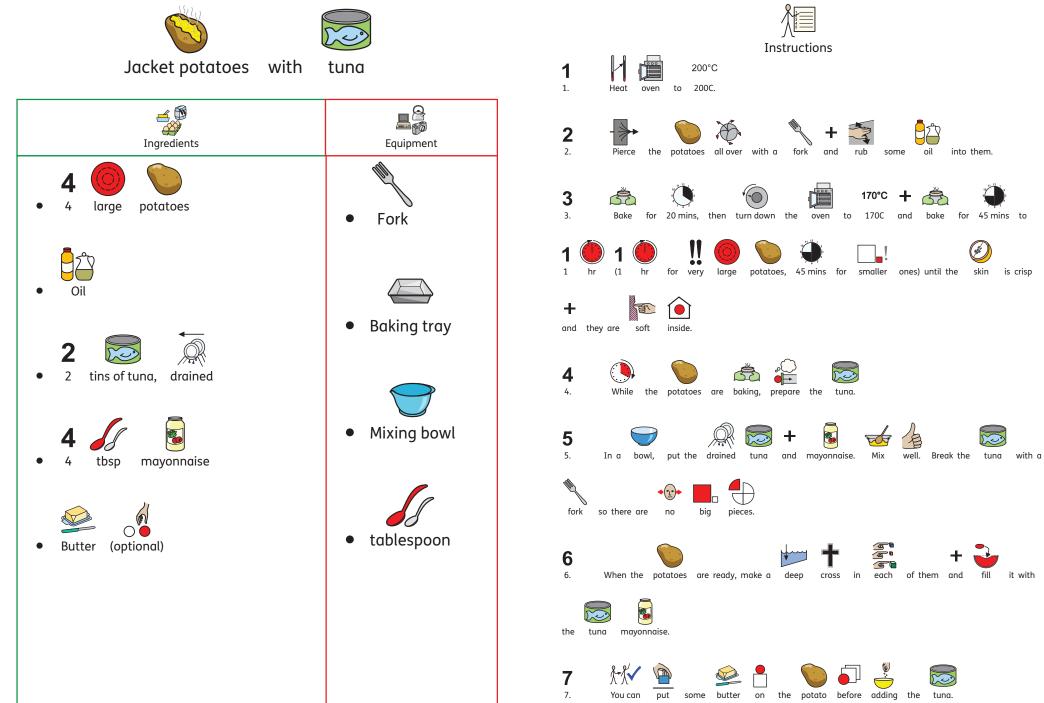
- ♦ Fork
- o Baking tray
- Mixing bowl
- ◊ Table spoon

### Jacket potatoes with tuna



- 1. Heat oven to 200C.
- **2.** Pierce the potatoes all over with a fork and rub some oil into them.
- Bake for 20mins, then turn down the oven to 170C and bake for 45 mins-1 hr (1hr for very large potatoes, 45mins for smaller ones) until the skin is crisp and they are soft inside.
- 4. While the potatoes are baking, prepare the tuna.
- **5.** In a bowl, put the drained tuna and mayonnaise. Mix well. Break the tuna with a fork so there are no big pieces.
- **6.** When the potatoes are ready, make a deep cross in each of them and fill it with the tuna mayonnaise.
- 7. You can put some butter on the potato before adding the tuna.







- $\diamond$  1/2 baguette, cut into small chunks
- 4tbsp butter
- 2tbsp olive oil
- o 700g macaroni
- 2 garlic cloves
- 2 tsp mustard powder
- 6tbsp plain flour
- 11 whole milk
- 500g low-fat cheddar , grated
- 100g hard cheese, grated

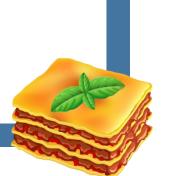


- Sharp knife
- Output Chopping board
- A Rectangular oven dish
- Large saucepan
- Medium saucepan
- Measuring jug
- Measuring spoons
- ◊ Grater
- ♦ 29 Baking tray

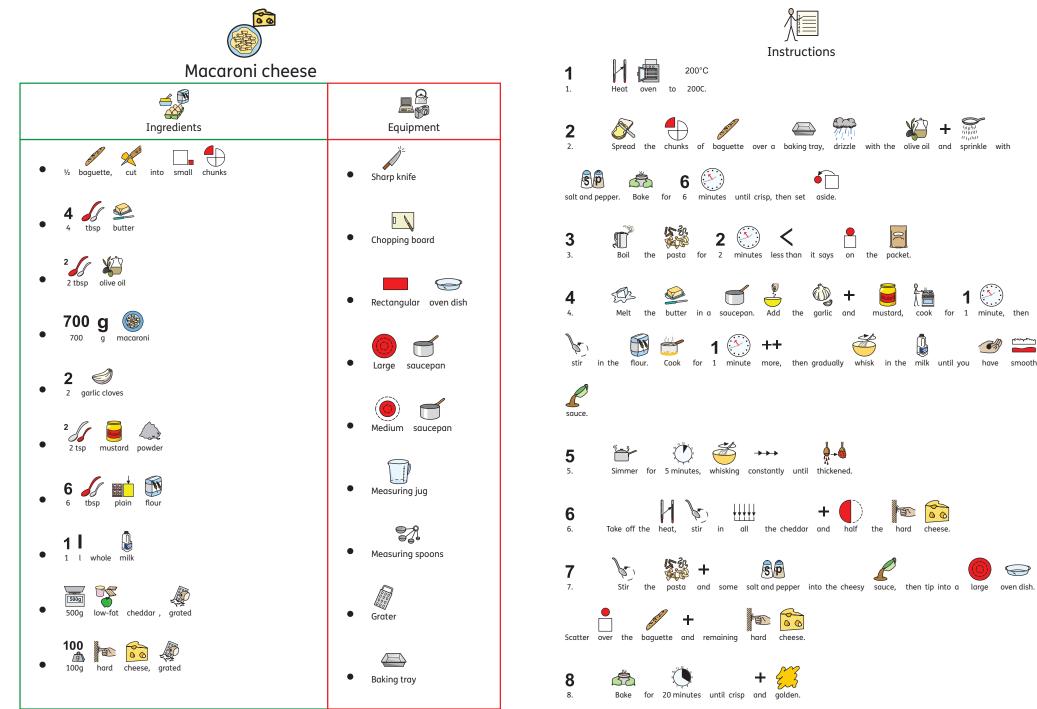




- 1. Heat oven to 200C.
- **2.** Spread the chunks of baguette over a baking tray, drizzle with the olive oil and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Bake for 6 minutes until crisp, then set aside.
- 3. Boil the pasta for 2 minutes less than it says on the packet.
- **4.** Melt the butter in a saucepan. Add the garlic and mustard, cook for 1 min, then stir in the flour. Cook for 1 min more, then gradually whisk in the milk until you have a smooth sauce.
- 5. Simmer for 5 minutes, whisking constantly until thickened.
- 6. Take off the heat, stir in all the cheddar and half the hard cheese.
- 7. Stir the pasta and some salt and pepper into the cheesy sauce, then tip into a large oven dish. Scatter over the baguette and remaining hard cheese.
- 8. Bake for 20 minutes until crisp and golden.









- 1 wholemeal pitta bread per person
- Pizza topping
- Plum tomatoes, diced
- ◊ Shallots, thinly sliced
- ◊ Mature cheddar, grated
- ♦ Salami, chopped (optional)
- Olives, chopped
- Basil leaves



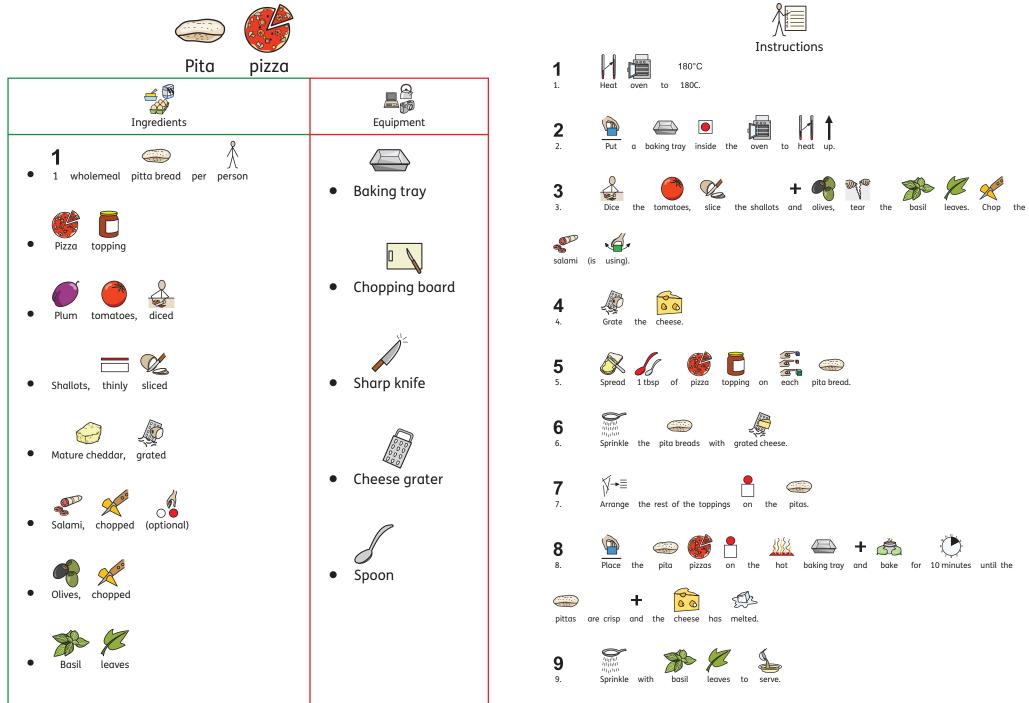
- Baking tray
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Cheese grater
- ◊ Spoon



- 1. Heat oven to 180C.
- 2. Put a baking tray inside the oven to heat up.
- **3.** Dice the tomatoes, slice the shallots and olives, tear the basil leaves. Chop the salami (is using).
- 4. Grate the cheese.
- 5. Spread 1tbsp of pizza topping on each pita bread.
- **6.** Sprinkle the pita breads with grated cheese.
- 7. Arrange the rest of the toppings on the pitas.
- **8.** Place the pita pizzas on the hot baking tray and bake for 10 minutes until the pittas are crisp and the cheese has melted.
- 9. Sprinkle with basil leaves to serve.

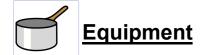








- 2tbsp sundried tomato paste
- 1 garlic clove
- 1 ready-rolled puff pastry sheet
- ◊ 1 mozzarella
- 100g mushrooms
- 1 courgette
- o 3 tomatoes
- 1 pepper
- 1tbsp olive oil
- 2 tsp dried oregano (optional)



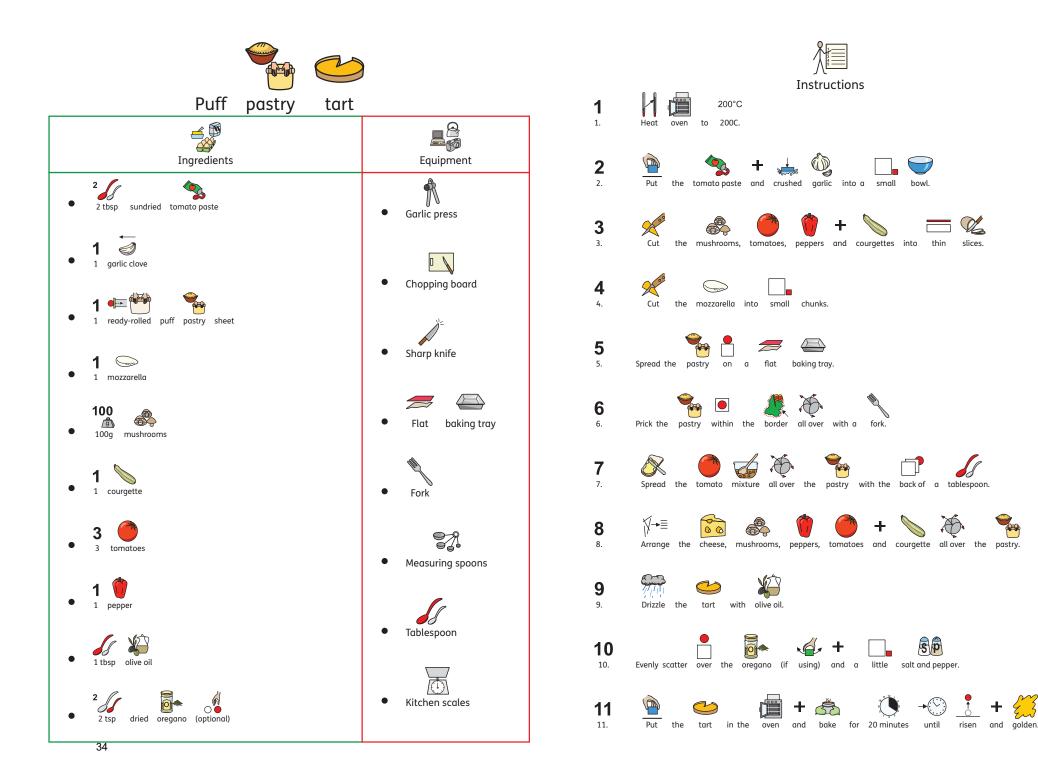
- Garlic press
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- ◊ Flat baking tray
- ◊ Fork
- Measuring spoons
- ◊ Table spoon
- Kitchen scales

## Puff pastry tart



- 1. Heat oven to 200C.
- 2. Put the tomato paste and crushed garlic into a small bowl.
- 3. Cut the mushrooms, tomatoes, peppers and courgettes into thin slices.
- 4. Cut the mozzarella into small chunks.
- 5. Spread the pastry on a flat baking tray.
- 6. Prick the pastry within the border all over with a fork.
- 7. Spread the tomato mixture all over the pastry with the back of a table spoon.
- **8.** Arrange the cheese, mushrooms, peppers, tomatoes and courgette all over the pastry.
- 9. Drizzle the tart with olive oil.
- **10.** Evenly scatter over the oregano (if using) and a little salt and pepper.
- **11.** Put the tart in the oven and bake for 20 minutes until risen and golden.







- 1tbsp vegetable oil
- 1 onion, chopped
- 2 garlic cloves, chopped
- 3tbsp mild curry powder
- 2tbsp tomato purée
- 1 tin chopped tomatoes
- 1 vegetable stock cube
- 300g frozen mixed vegetables
- 350ml water
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Chopped fresh coriander to serve
- ◊ Rice



- Wooden spoon
- ◊ Table spoon
- ◊ Large saucepan
- Medium saucepan for rice
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Tin opener
- $\diamond$  <sup>35</sup> Measuring jug

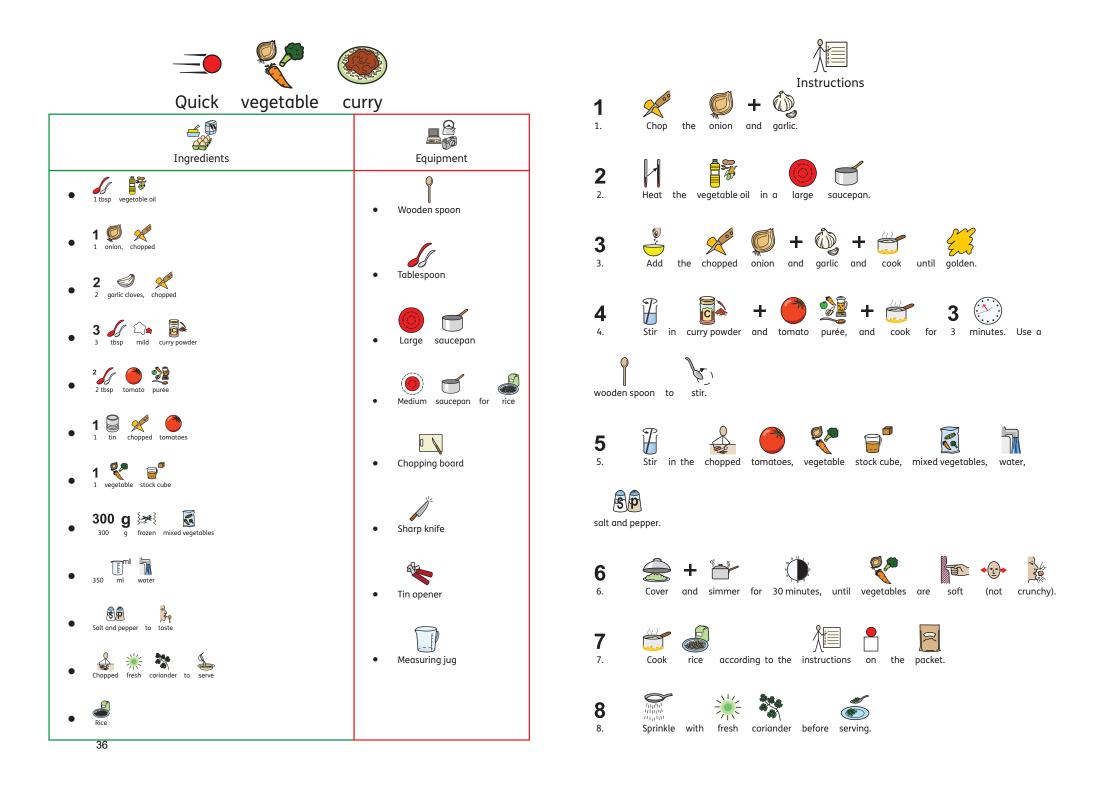
## **Quick vegetable curry**



- **1.** Chop the onion and garlic.
- **2.** Heat the vegetable oil in a large saucepan.
- **3.** Add the chopped onion and garlic and cook until golden.
- **4.** Stir in curry powder and tomato purée, and cook for 3 minutes. Use a wooden spoon to stir.
- **5.** Stir in the chopped tomatoes, vegetable stock cube, mixed vegetables, water, salt and pepper.
- 6. Cover and simmer for 30 minutes, until vegetables are soft (not crunchy).
- 7. Cook rice according to the instructions on the packet.
- 8. Sprinkle with fresh coriander before serving.









- 6 peppers, halved
- ◊ 150g couscous
- 1 vegetable stock cube
- Boiling water
- $\diamond$  1/2 red onion, chopped
- ◊ 6 spring onions, chopped
- ◊ 4 tomatoes, chopped
- $\diamond$  100g mushrooms, chopped
- 1tbsp chopped fresh parsley
- tbsp oil for frying



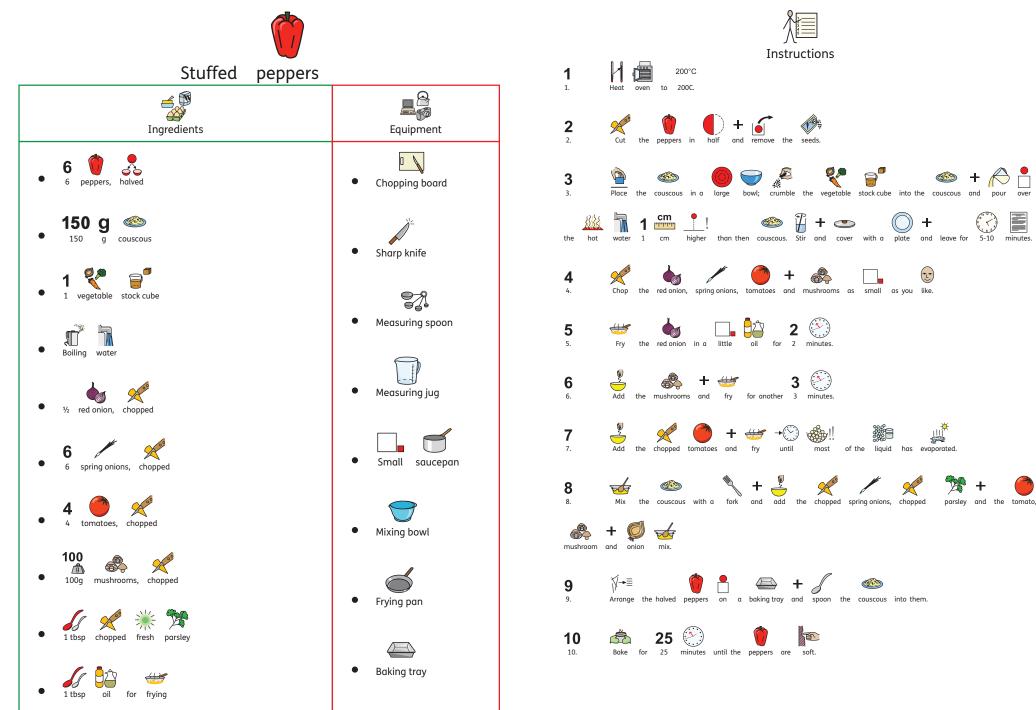
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- Measuring spoon
- Measuring jug
- ◊ Small saucepan
- Mixing bowl
- ◊ Frying pan
- Baking tray

## **Stuffed peppers**



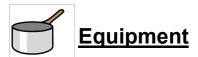
- 1. Heat oven to 200C.
- 2. Cut the peppers in half and remove the seeds.
- **3.** Place the couscous in a large bowl; crumble the vegetable stock cube into the couscous and pour over the hot water 1cm higher than then couscous. Stir and cover with a plate and leave for 5-10 minutes.
- **4.** Chop the red onion, spring onions, tomatoes and mushrooms as small as you like.
- 5. Fry the red onion in a little oil for 2 minutes.
- 6. Add the mushrooms and fry for another 3 minutes.
- 7. Add the chopped tomatoes and fry until most of the liquid has evaporated.
- **8.** Mix the couscous with a fork and add the chopped spring onions, chopped parsley and the tomato, mushroom and onion mix.
- 9. Arrange the halved peppers on a baking tray and spoon the couscous into them.
- **10.** Bake for 25 minutes until the peppers are soft.







- 1 onion, chopped
- ◊ 1 garlic clove, chopped
- ◊ 1 courgette, cubed
- $\diamond$  1 tin of tuna, drained
- 2 peppers, cubed
- 1 tin of chopped tomatoes
- 1tbsp oil for frying
- 1/2 tsp dried basil
- 1/2 tsp dried oregano
- 1/2 paprika
- ◊ 1/2 tsp brown sugar
- o Pasta



- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Saucepan
- Tin opener
- Teaspoon
- Big saucepan for pasta

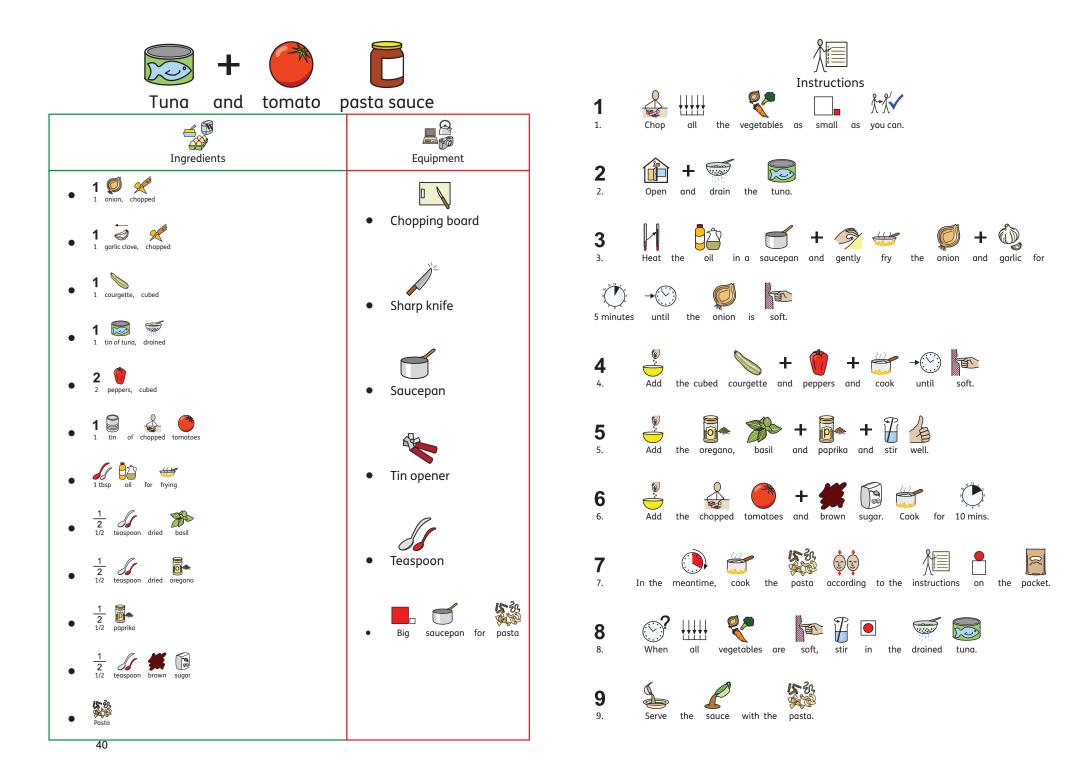
## Tuna and tomato pasta sauce



- **1.** Chop all the vegetables as small as you can.
- **2.** Open and drain the tuna.
- **3.** Heat the oil in a saucepan and gently fry the onion and garlic for 5 minutes until the onion is soft.
- 4. Add the cubed courgette and peppers and cook until soft.
- 5. Add the oregano, basil and paprika and stir well.
- 6. Add the chopped tomatoes and brown sugar. Cook for 10mins.
- 7. In the meantime, cook the pasta according to the instructions on the packet.
- 8. When all vegetables are soft, stir in the drained tuna.
- **9.** Serve the sauce with the pasta.

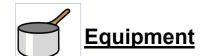








- ◊ 250g fusilli pasta
- 150g cheese, grated
- 25g butter
- ◊ 25g plain flour
- 300ml milk
- $\diamond$  1 tin of tuna in spring water, drained
- ◊ 1 tin sweetcorn, drained
- $\diamond \qquad \text{Large handful fresh parsley, chopped}$



- Cheese grater
- ◊ Small saucepan
- Large saucepan for pasta
- Tin opener
- Olander
- ◊ Whisk
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Oven dish
- Measuring jug
- A Kitchen scales

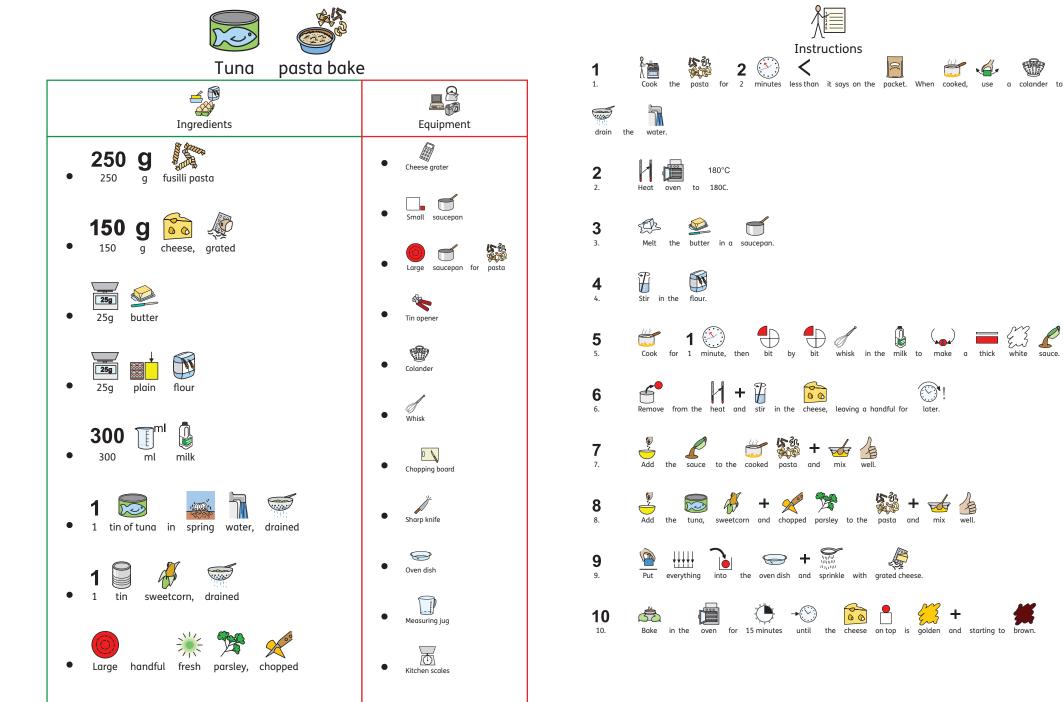
## Tuna pasta bake



- **1.** Cook the pasta for 2 minutes less than it says on the packet. When cooked, use a colander to drain the water.
- 2. Heat oven to 180C.
- **3.** Melt the butter in a saucepan.
- 4. Stir in the flour.
- 5. Cook for 1 min, then bit by bit whisk in the milk to make a thick white sauce.
- 6. Remove from the heat and stir in the cheese, leaving a handful for later.
- 7. Add the sauce to the cooked pasta and mix well.
- 8. Add the tuna, sweetcorn and chopped parsley to the pasta and mix well.
- **9.** Put everything into the oven dish and sprinkle with grated cheese.
- **10.** Bake in the oven for 15 minutes until the cheese on top is golden and starting to brown.









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Instructions

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- tbsp olive oil
- 1 pepper, chopped
- 1 onion, chopped
- ◊ 1 courgette, chopped
- ◊ 1 garlic clove, chopped
- ◊ 1 jar of Pasta Bake Sauce
- 250g fusilli pasta
- 100g cheddar cheese, grated



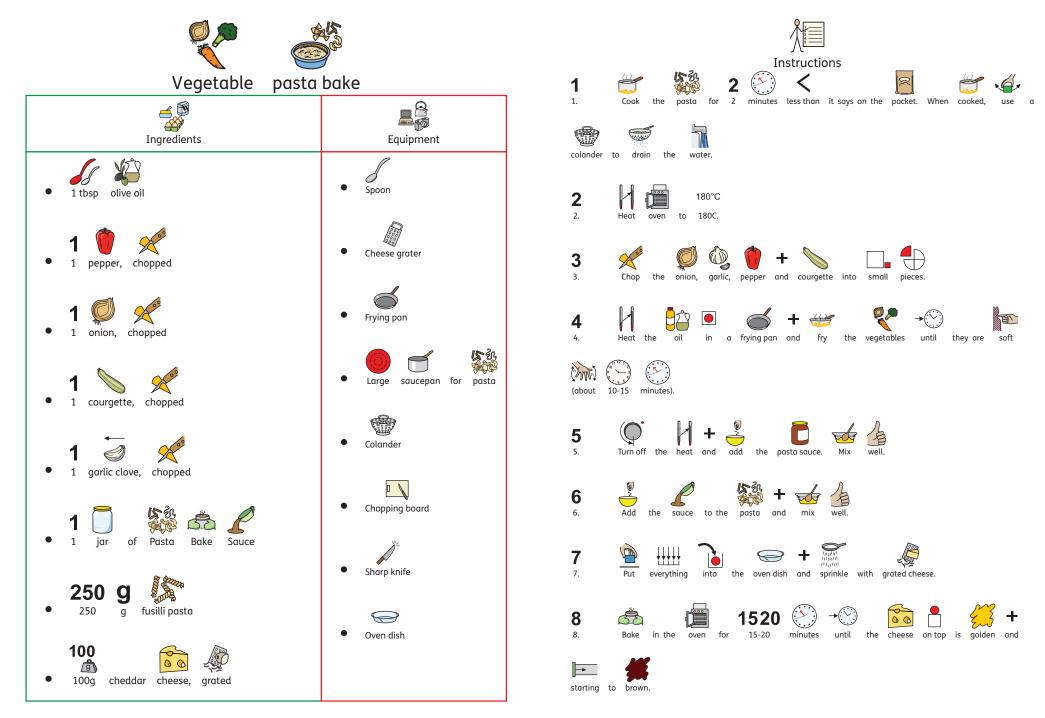
- ◊ Spoon
- Cheese grater
- ◊ Frying pan
- Large saucepan for pasta
- ◊ Colander
- Output Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Oven dish

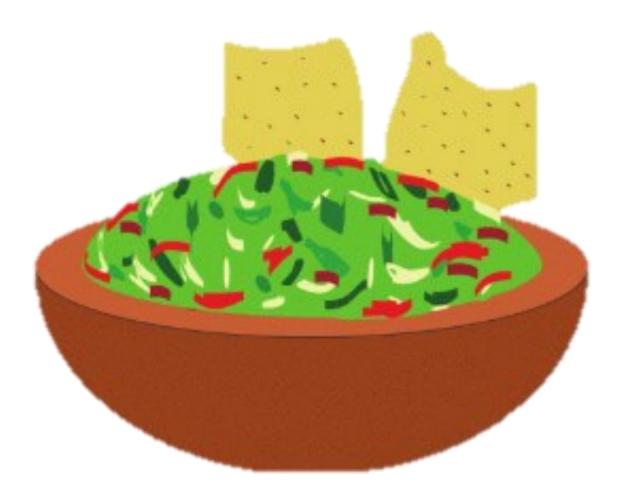
## Vegetable pasta bake



- **1.** Cook the pasta for 2 minutes less than it says on the packet. When cooked, use a colander to drain the water.
- 2. Heat oven to 180C.
- **3.** Chop the onion, garlic, pepper and courgette into small pieces.
- **4.** Heat the oil in a frying pan and fry the vegetables until they are soft (about 10-15 minutes).
- 5. Turn off the heat and add the pasta sauce. Mix well.
- 6. Add the sauce to the pasta and mix well.
- 7. Put everything into the oven dish and sprinkle with grated cheese.
- **8.** Bake in the oven for 15-20 minutes until the cheese on top is golden and starting to brown.







# Snacks, dips and bread



- 100g bread mix
- Warm water

#### Optional:

- ◊ ½tbsp sesame seeds
- ◊ Fresh rosemary
- ◊ Sea salt
- ◊ Olive oil
- Sundried tomatoes



- Kitchen scales
- o Baking tray
- Baking paper
- ◊ Teaspoon
- Mixing bowl
- Measuring jug

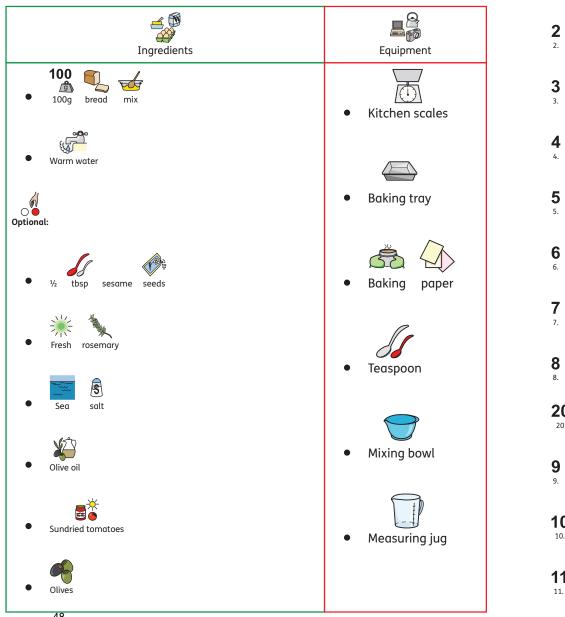


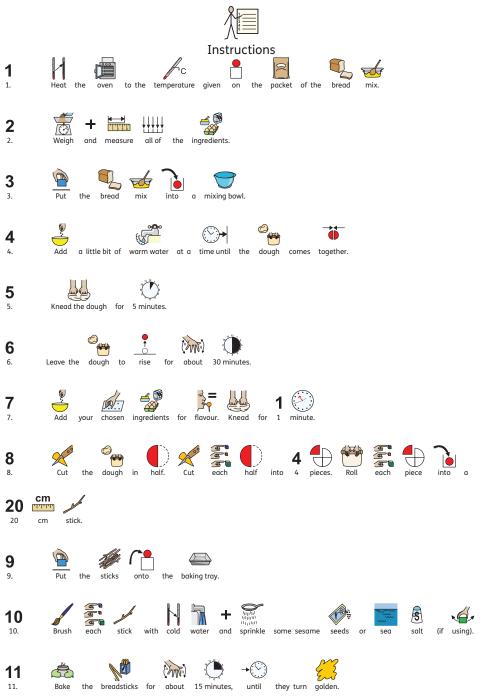


- Instructions
- 1. Heat the oven to the temperature given on the packet of the bread mix.
- **2.** Weigh and measure all of the ingredients.
- 3. Put the bread mix into a mixing bowl.
- 4. Add a little bit of warm water at a time until the dough comes together.
- 5. Knead the dough for 5 minutes.
- 6. Leave the dough to rise for about 30 minutes.
- 7. Add your chosen ingredients for flavour. Knead for 1 minute.
- Cut the dough in half. Cut each half into 4 pieces. Roll each piece into a 20cm stick.
- 9. Put the sticks onto the baking tray.
- **10.** Brush each stick with cold water and sprinkle some sesame seeds or sea salt (if using).
- **11.** Bake the breadsticks for about 15 minutes, until they turn golden.











- ◊ 150ml vegetable oil
- ◊ 1 egg
- 284ml pot buttermilk, made up to 350ml with milk
- ◊ 500g self-raising flour
- ◊ 1tsp English mustard powder
- ◊ 140g mature cheddar, grated
- 1 bunch spring onions, sliced
- Small bunch chives, chopped
- 25g hard cheese, grated
- 200g low-fat soft cheese, gently diced into cubes



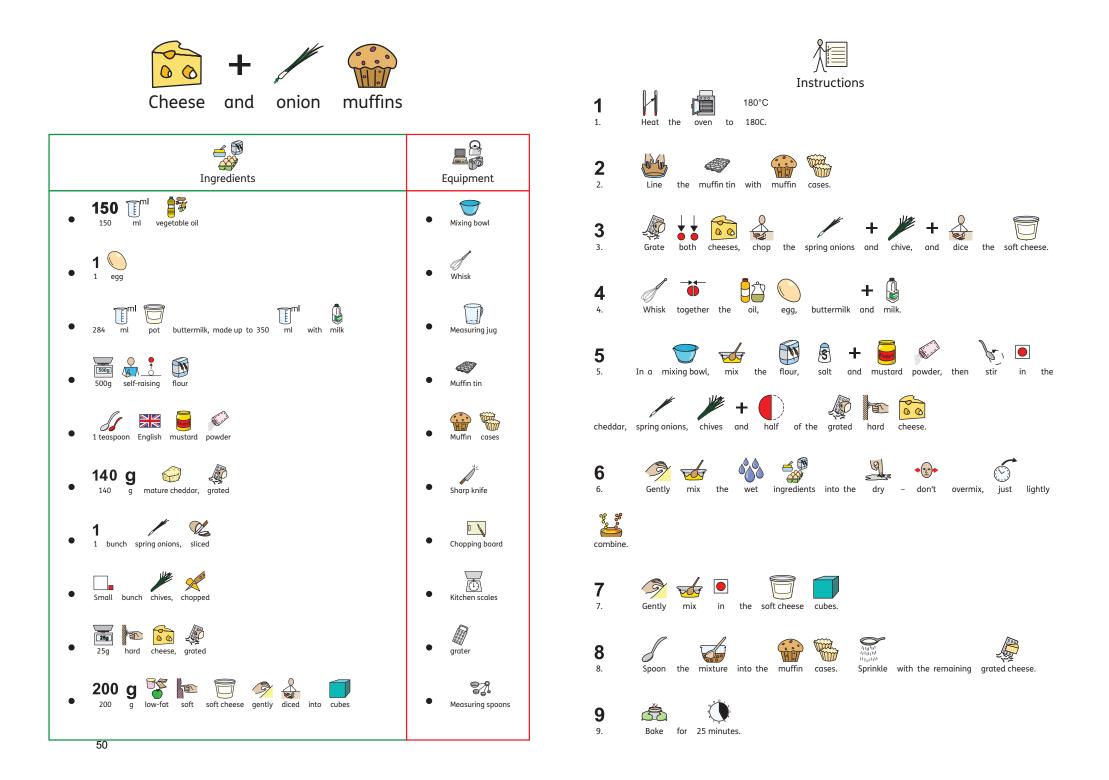
- Mixing bowl
- ◊ Whisk
- Measuring jug
- ◊ Muffin tin
- ◊ Muffin cases
- ◊ Sharp knife
- Output Chopping board
- Kitchen scales
- Measuring spoons
- ◊ <sup>49</sup> Grater

## Cheese and onion muffins



- **1.** Heat the oven to 180C.
- 2. Line the muffin tin with muffin cases.
- **3.** Grate both cheeses, chop the spring onions and chive, and dice the soft cheese.
- 4. Whisk together the oil, egg, buttermilk and milk.
- **5.** In a mixing bowl, mix the flour, salt and mustard powder, then stir in the cheddar, spring onions, chives and half of the grated hard cheese.
- 6. Gently mix the wet ingredients into the dry don't overmix, just lightly combine.
- 7. Gently mix in the soft cheese cubes.
- **8.** Spoon the mixture into the muffin cases. Sprinkle with the remaining grated cheese.
- 9. Bake for 25 minutes.







- 150g Greek yoghurt
- 1/2 cucumber
- 2 crushed garlic cloves
- 1tbsp olive oil
- 1 tsp lemon juice
- ♦ 1 tsp chopped mint (or dill)
- Salt and pepper to taste

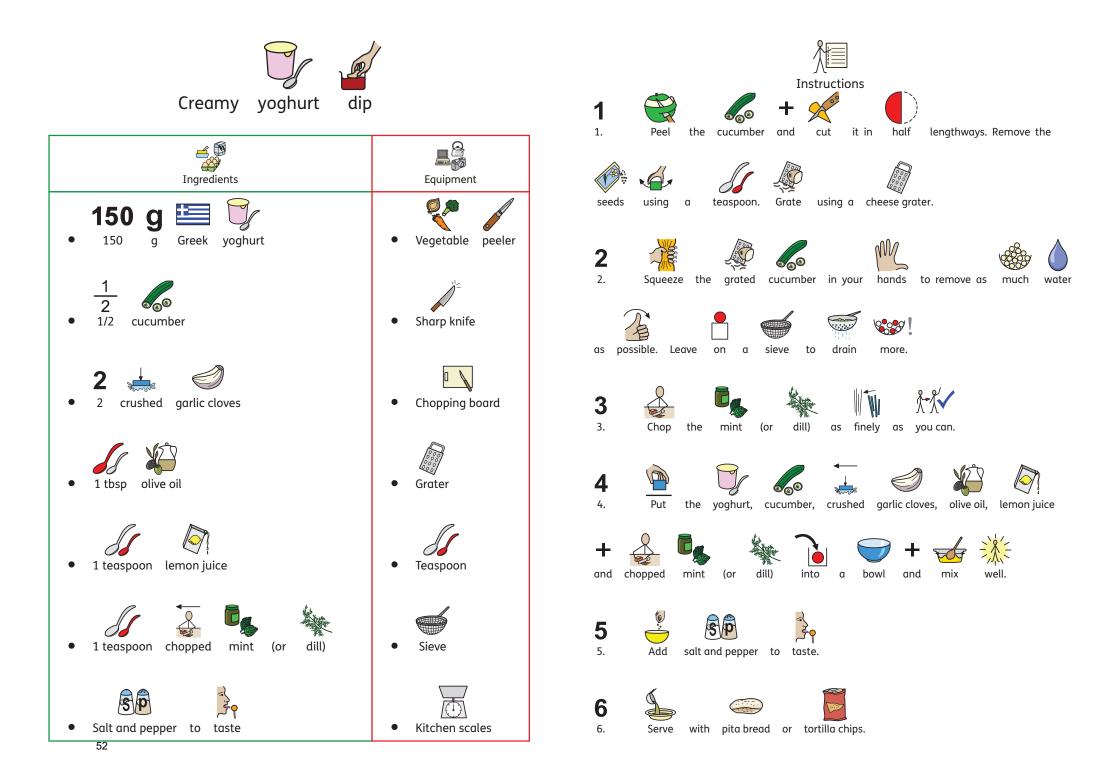


- ◊ Vegetable peeler
- Sharp knife
- Output Chopping board
- ◊ Grater
- ◊ Teaspoon
- ◊ Sieve
- Kitchen scales

## Creamy yoghurt dip

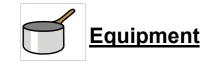


- **1.** Peel the cucumber and cut it in half lengthways. Remove the seeds using a teaspoon. Grate using a cheese grater.
- **2.** Squeeze the grated cucumber in your hands to remove as much water as possible. Leave on a sieve to drain more.
- **3.** Chop the mint (or dill) as finely as you can.
- **4.** Put the yoghurt, cucumber, crushed garlic cloves, olive oil, lemon juice and chopped mint (or dill) into a bowl and mix well.
- **5.** Add salt and pepper to taste.
- 6. Serve with pita bread or tortilla chips.





- 1 large ripe tomato
- $\diamond$  3 avocados, very ripe
- ♦ Juice of 1/2 lime
- ♦ Handful coriander, chopped
- $\diamond$  1/2 red onion, finely chopped
- Breadsticks, toasted pita bread or tortilla chips, to serve

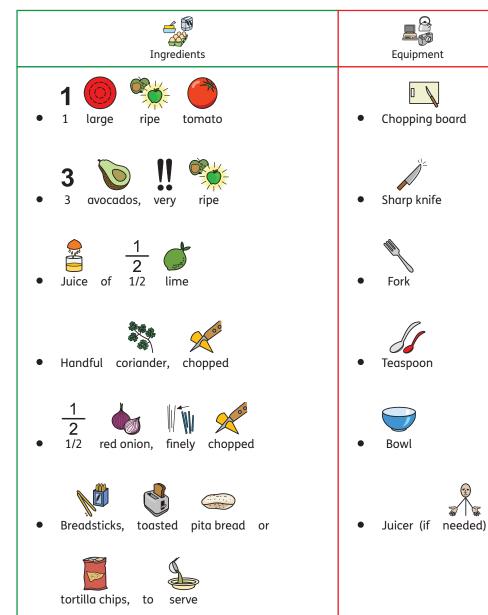


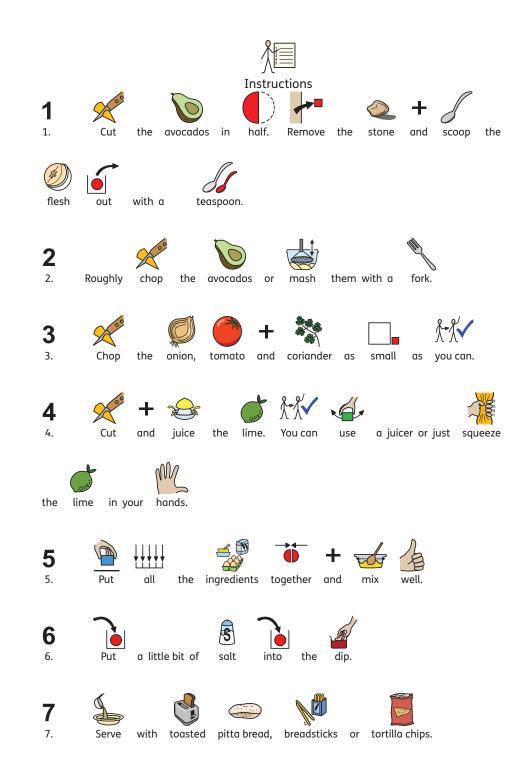
- Chopping board
- ◊ Sharp knife
- ♦ Fork
- ◊ Teaspoon
- ◊ Bowl
- Juicer (if needed)



- **1.** Cut the avocados in half. Remove the stone and scoop the flesh out with a teaspoon.
- 2. Roughly chop the avocados or mash them with a fork.
- 3. Chop the onion, tomato and coriander as small as you can.
- **4.** Cut and juice the lime. You can use a juicer or just squeeze the lime in your hands.
- 5. Put all the ingredients together and mix well.
- 6. Put a little bit of salt into the dip.
- 7. Serve with toasted pitta bread, breadsticks or tortilla chips.









- 250g plain white flour
- 250g plain wholemeal flour
- 100g porridge oats
- 1 tsp bicarbonate of soda
- ◊ 1 tsp salt
- $\diamond$  25g butter, cut into cubes
- 500ml buttermilk (or 500ml milk with 2tbsp lemon juice)



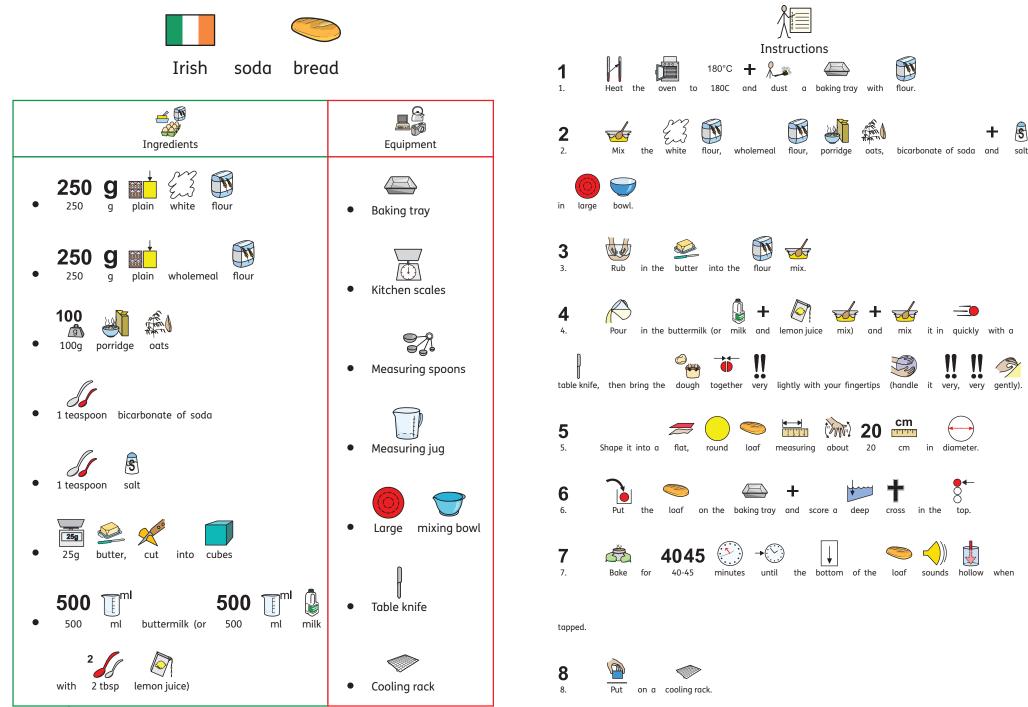
- ◊ Baking tray
- Kitchen scales
- Measuring spoons
- Measuring jug
- ♦ Large mixing bowl
- ◊ Table knife
- Ocoling rack

## Irish soda bread



- **1.** Heat oven to 180C and dust a baking tray with flour.
- **2.** Mix the white flour, wholemeal flour, porridge oats, bicarbonate of soda and salt in large bowl.
- **3.** Rub in the butter into the flour mix.
- 4. Pour in the buttermilk (or milk and lemon juice mix) and mix it in quickly with a table knife, then bring the dough together very lightly with your fingertips (handle it very, very gently).
- 5. Shape it into a flat, round loaf measuring about 20cm in diameter.
- 6. Put the loaf on the baking tray and score a deep cross in the top.
- 7. Bake for 40-45 minutes until the bottom of the loaf sounds hollow when tapped.
- 8. Put on a cooling rack.







- 1 ready-rolled puff pastry sheet
- o Tomato puree
- o Parmesan cheese, grated



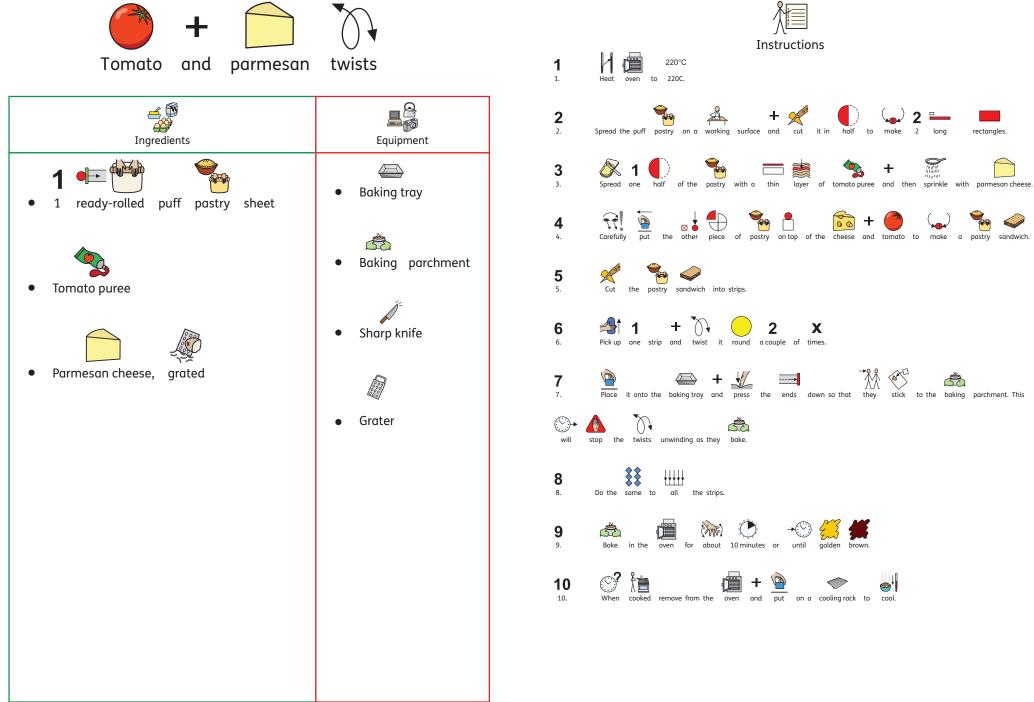
- ◊ Baking tray
- Baking parchment
- Sharp knife
- ◊ Grater

## Tomato and parmesan twists



- 1. Heat oven to 220C.
- **2.** Spread the puff pastry on a working surface and cut it in half to make 2 long rectangles.
- **3.** Spread one half of the pastry with a thin layer of tomato puree and then sprinkle with parmesan cheese.
- **4.** Carefully put the other piece of pastry on top of the cheese and tomato to make a pastry sandwich.
- 5. Cut the pastry sandwich into strips.
- 6. Pick up one strip and twist it round a couple of times.
- 7. Place it onto the baking tray and press the ends down so that they stick to the baking parchment. This will stop the twists unwinding as they bake.
- 8. Do the same to all the strips.
- **9.** Bake in the oven for about 10 minutes or until golden brown.
- **10.** When cooked remove from the oven and put on a cooling rack to cool.







# **Sweet treats**



#### For the crumble

- 250g flour
- 100g oats
- Pinch of salt
- ◊ 175g brown sugar
- 200g unsalted butter, cubed

#### For the apples

- 8 apples, peeled and cut into 1cm pieces
- ◊ 50g brown sugar
- ◊ 1tsp of cinnamon

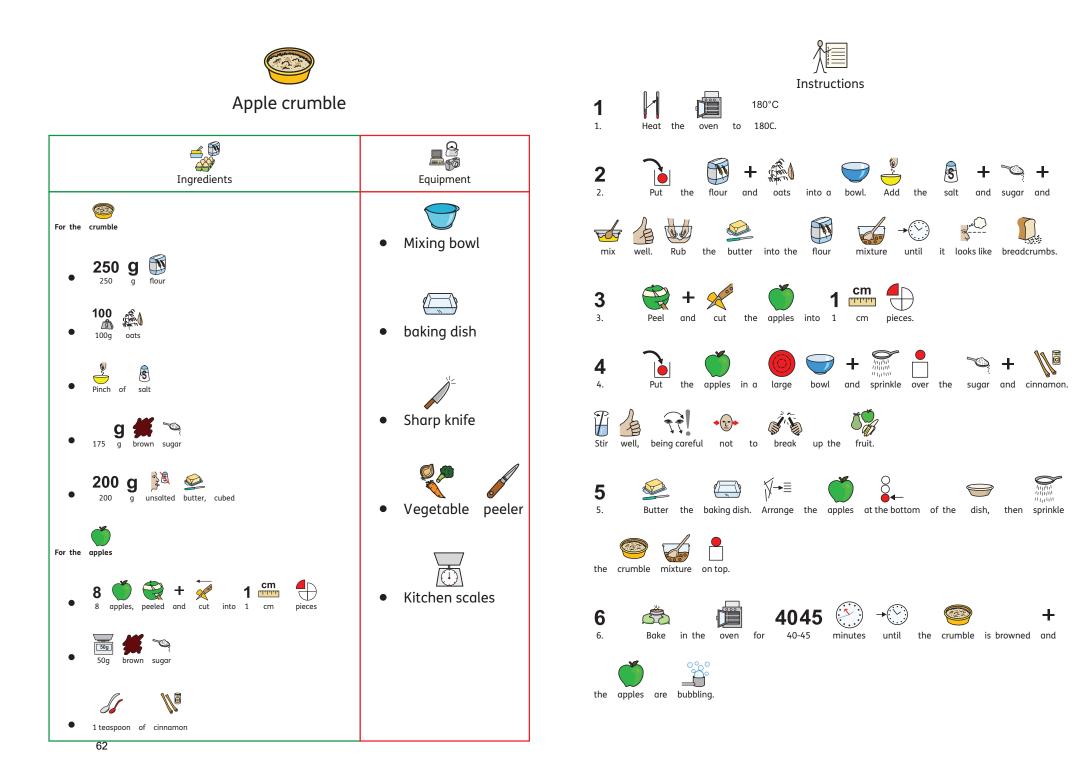


- Mixing bowl
- o Baking dish
- Sharp knife
- Vegetable peeler
- Kitchen scales



- **1.** Heat the oven to 180C.
- **2.** Put the flour and oats into a bowl. Add the salt and sugar and mix well. Rub the butter into the flour mixture until it looks like breadcrumbs.
- **3.** Peel and cut the apples into 1cm pieces.
- **4.** Put the apples in a large bowl and sprinkle over the sugar and cinnamon. Stir well, being careful not to break up the fruit.
- **5.** Butter the ovenproof dish. Arrange the apples at the bottom of the dish, then sprinkle the crumble mixture on top.
- **6.** Bake in the oven for 40-45 minutes until the crumble is browned and the apples are bubbling.







- 140g butter, softened, plus extra for the tin
- o 100g caster sugar
- ◊ 2 eggs, beaten
- ◊ 140g self-raising flour
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 2 very ripe bananas, mashed with a fork



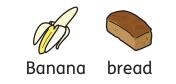
- ◊ Loaf tin
- Kitchen scales
- Mixing bowl
- Output Chopping board
- ♦ Fork
- ◊ Teaspoon
- Wooden spoon
- Ocoling rack

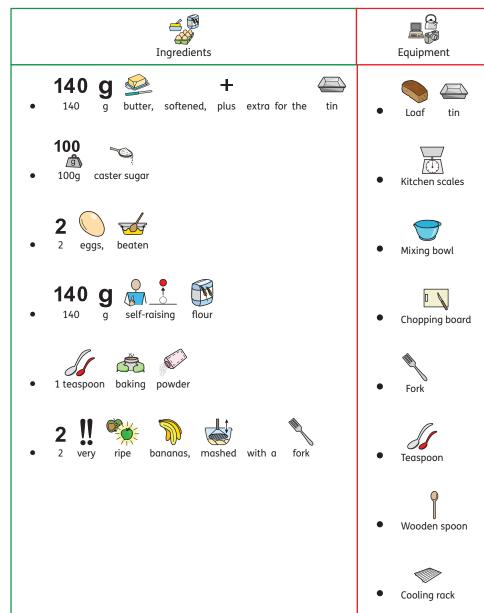


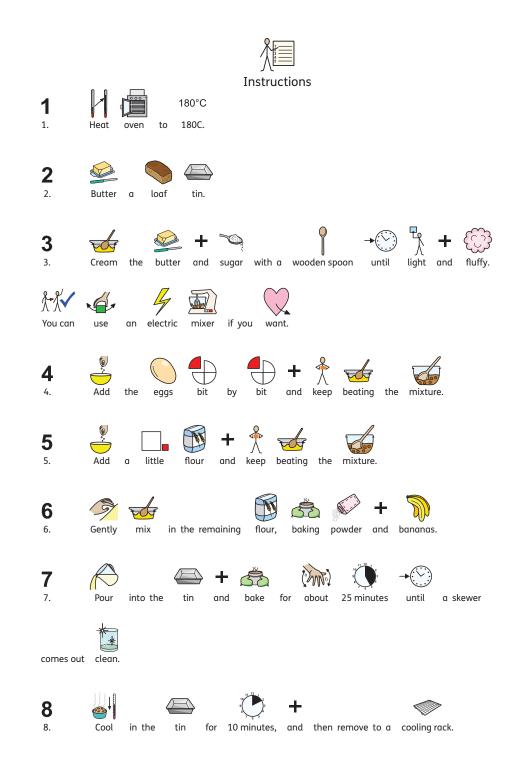
- 1. Heat oven to 180C.
- 2. Butter a loaf tin.
- **3.** Cream the butter and sugar with a wooden spoon until light and fluffy. You can use an electric mixer if you want.
- 4. Add the eggs bit by bit and keep beating the mixture.
- 5. Add a little flour and keep beating the mixture.
- 6. Gently mix in the remaining flour, baking powder and bananas.
- 7. Pour into the tin and bake for about 25 minutes until a skewer comes out clean.
- **8.** Cool in the tin for 10 minutes, and then remove to a cooling rack.













- 140g brown sugar
- 80ml rapeseed oil
- ◊ 260g self-raising flour
- 1 tsp baking powder
- $\diamond$  1/2 tsp bicarbonate of soda
- 2 very ripe bananas, mashed with a fork



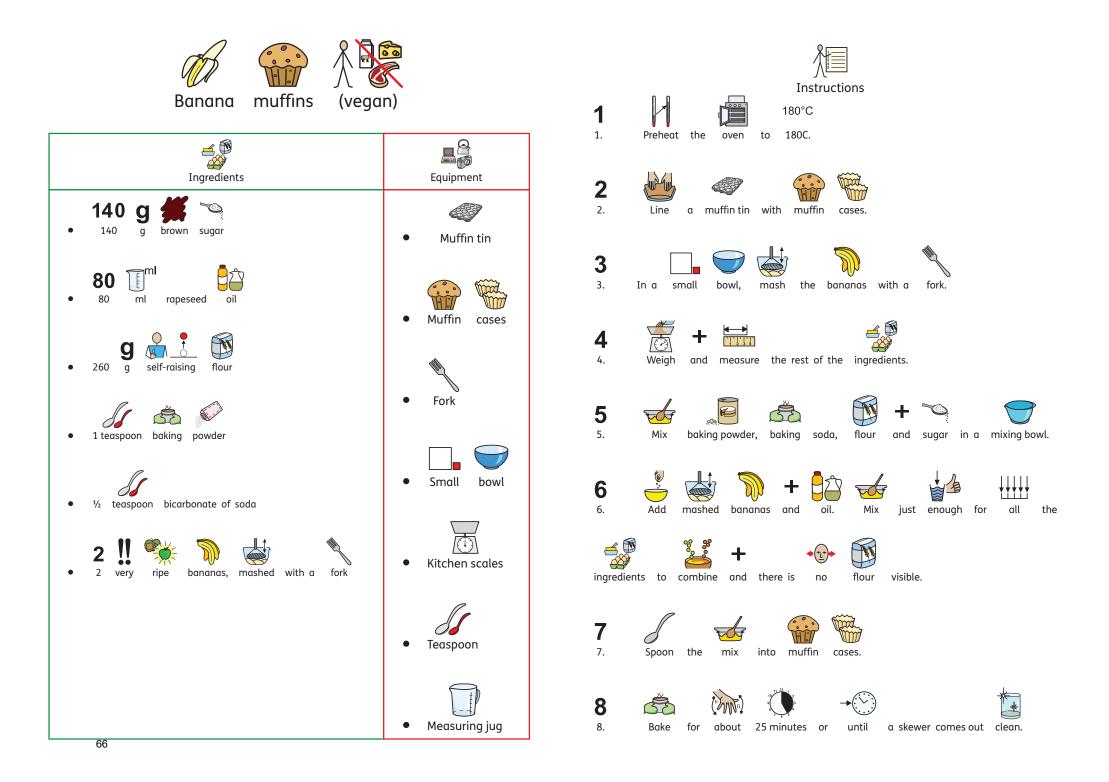
- ♦ Muffin tin
- Muffin cases
- ♦ Fork
- Small bowl
- Kitchen scales
- ◊ Teaspoon
- Measuring jug

## Banana muffins (vegan)



- **1.** Preheat the oven to 180C.
- 2. Line a muffin tin with muffin cases.
- **3.** In a small bowl, mash the bananas with a fork.
- 4. Weigh and measure the rest of the ingredients.
- 5. Mix baking powder, baking soda, flour and sugar in a mixing bowl.
- **6.** Add mashed bananas and oil. Mix just enough for all the ingredients to combine and there is no flour visible.
- 7. Spoon the mix into muffin cases.
- 8. Bake for about 25 minutes or until a skewer comes out clean.







- 1 very ripe banana, mashed with a fork
- ◊ 1 egg
- 2tbsp flour
- 2tbsp oil for frying



- Mixing bowl
- ♦ Fork
- ◊ Spoon
- ◊ Frying pan
- ◊ Fish slice
- ◊ Spatula

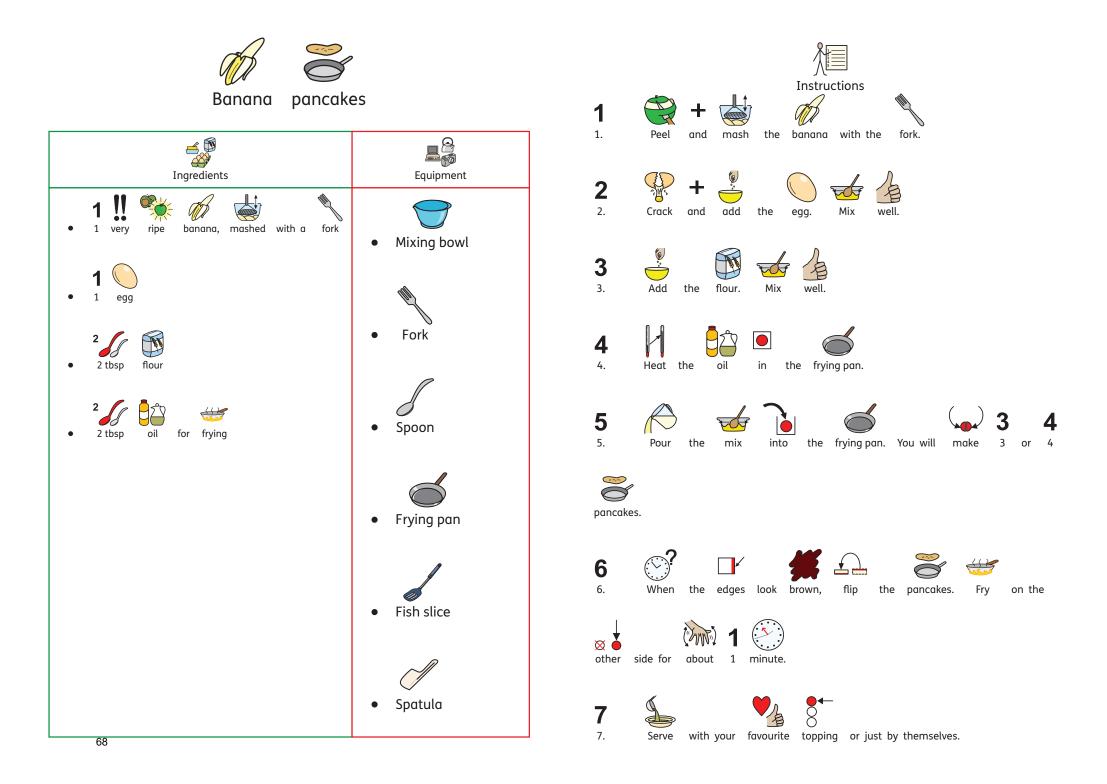
## Banana pancakes



- **1.** Peel and mash the banana with the fork.
- 2. Crack and add the egg. Mix well.
- **3.** Add the flour. Mix well.
- **4.** Heat the oil in the frying pan.
- 5. Pour the mix into the frying pan. You will make 3 or 4 pancakes.
- **6.** When the edges look brown, flip the pancakes. Fry on the other side for about 1 minute.
- 7. Serve with your favourite topping or just by themselves.









- Butter for spreading
- 1 Brioche loaf or 1 white loaf
- ◊ 50g raisins
- 2 tsp cinnamon
- 1 tsp nutmeg

#### For custard

- 350ml whole milk
- 50ml double cream
- o 2 eggs
- ◊ 25g sugar



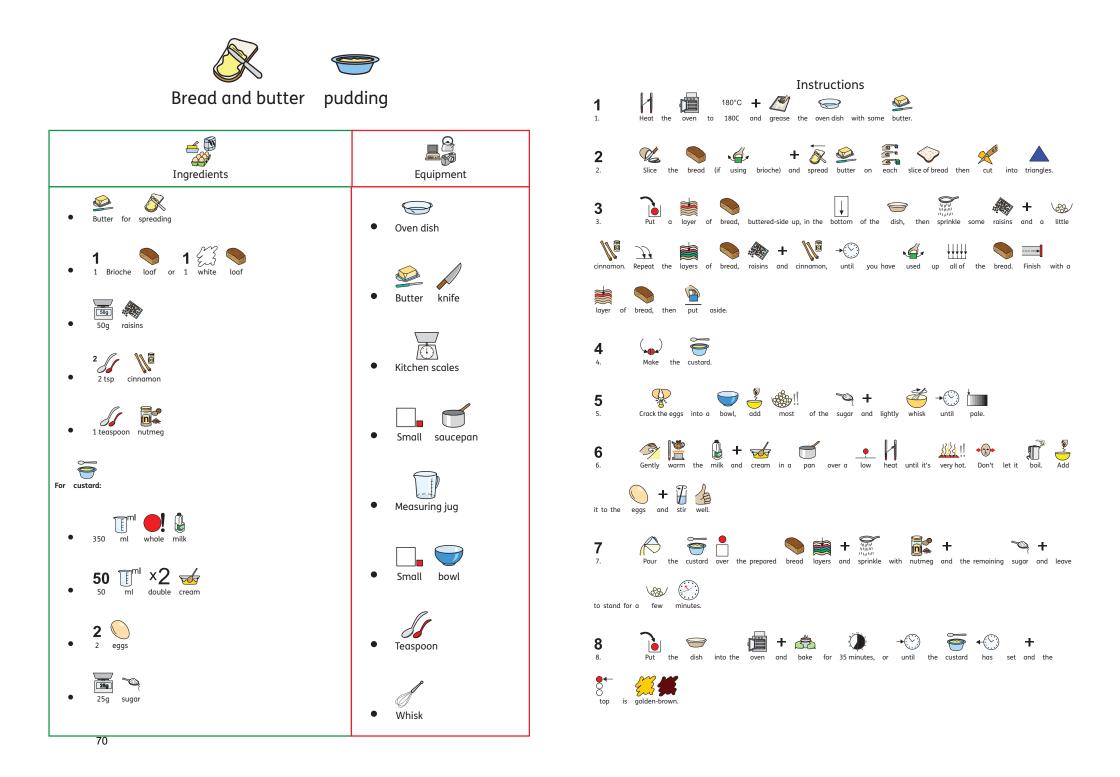
- Oven dish
- Output Sector Sector
- A Kitchen scales
- Small saucepan
- Measuring jug
- Small bowl
- ◊ Teaspoon
- ◊ Whisk

## Bread and butter pudding



- **1.** Heat the oven to 180C and grease the oven dish with some butter.
- **2.** Slice the bread (if using brioche) and spread butter on each slice of bread then cut into triangles.
- **3.** Put a layer of bread, buttered-side up, in the bottom of the dish, then sprinkle some raisins and a little cinnamon. Repeat the layers of bread, raisins and cinnamon, until you have used up all of the bread. Finish with a layer of bread, then put aside.
- 4. Make the custard.
- 5. Crack the eggs into a bowl, add most of the sugar and lightly whisk until pale.
- **6.** Gently warm the milk and cream in a pan over a low heat until it's very hot. Don't let it boil. Add it to the eggs and stir well.
- **7.** Pour the custard over the prepared bread layers and sprinkle with nutmeg and the remaining sugar and leave to stand for a few minutes.
- **8.** Put the dish into the oven and bake for 35 minutes, or until the custard has set and the top is golden-brown.







- 240g self-raising flour
- 70g porridge oats
- 140g light muscovado sugar
- 3 tsp ground cinnamon
- 1 tsp bicarbonate of soda
- $\diamond$  1½ bananas, mashed
- 200ml buttermilk
- tsp vanilla extract
- 8tbsp vegetable oil
- $\diamond$  200g stoned prunes, chopped



- ◊ Muffin tin
- Muffin cases
- Measuring jug
- Kitchen scales
- ◊ Teaspoon
- Sharp knife
- Output Chopping board
- 2 mixing bowls

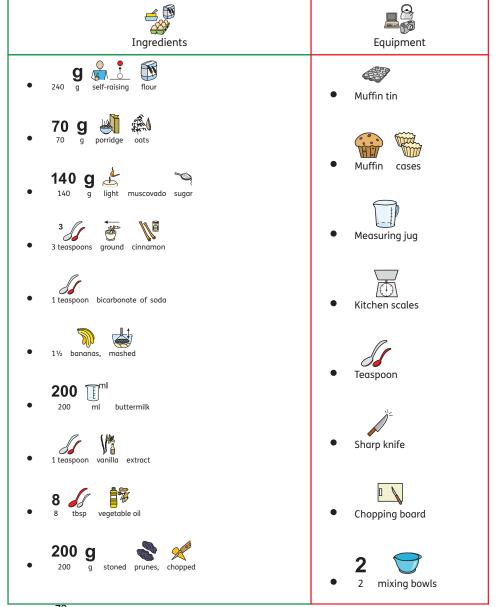
## **Feel-good muffins**

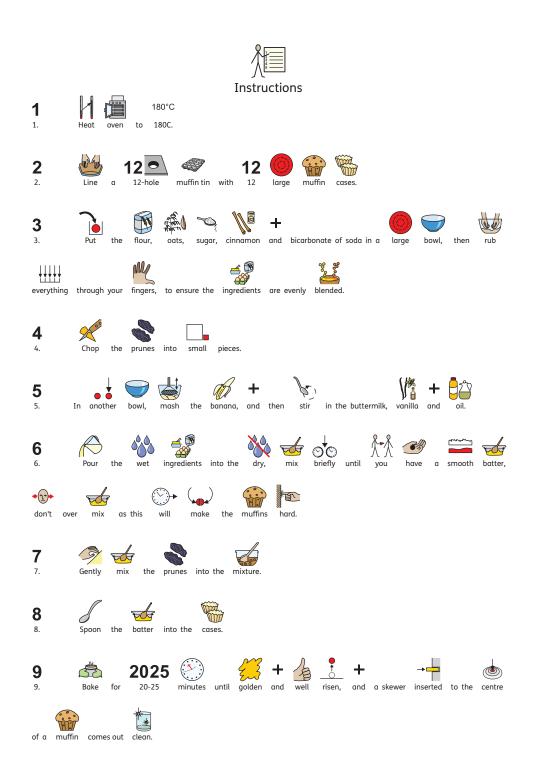


- **1.** Heat oven to 180C.
- **2.** Line a 12-hole muffin tray with 12 large muffin cases.
- Put the flour, oats, sugar, cinnamon and bicarbonate of soda in a large bowl, then rub everything through your fingers, to ensure the ingredients are evenly blended.
- 4. Chop the prunes into small pieces.
- 5. In another bowl, mash the banana, and then stir in the buttermilk, vanilla and oil.
- **6.** Pour the wet ingredients into the dry, mix briefly until you have a smooth batter, don't over mix as this will make the muffins hard.
- 7. Gently mix the prunes into the mixture.
- 8. Spoon the batter into the cases.
- **9.** Bake for 20-25 minutes until golden and well risen, and a skewer inserted to the centre of a muffin comes out clean.











- 100g butter, plus extra for greasing
- 200g porridge oats
- 100g sunflower seeds
- 100g sesame seeds
- 3tbsp honey
- ◊ 100g light muscovado sugar
- ◊ 2tsp ground cinnamon
- 100g dried cranberries or raisins



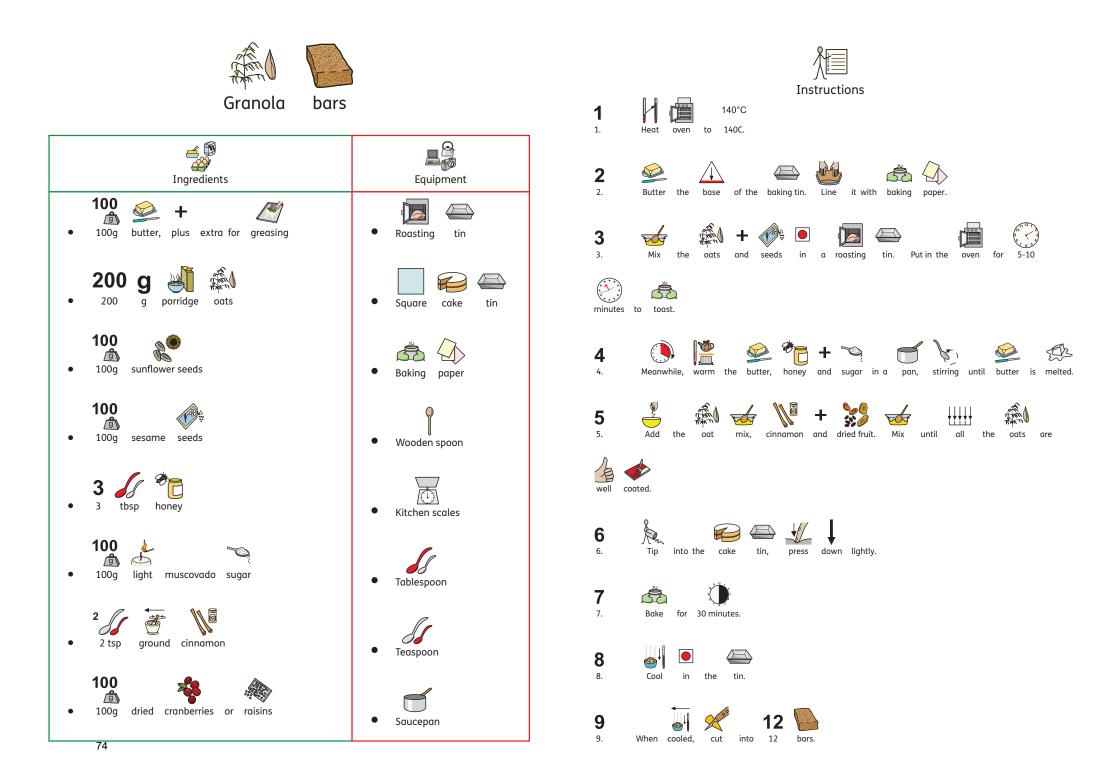
- A Roasting tin
- Square cake tin
- o Baking paper
- Wooden spoon
- Kitchen scales
- ◊ Tablespoon
- ◊ Teaspoon
- ◊ Saucepan



- **1.** Heat oven to 140C.
- 2. Butter the base of the baking tin. Line it with baking paper.
- **3.** Mix the oats and seeds in a roasting tin. Put in the oven for 5-10 minutes to toast.
- **4.** Meanwhile, warm the butter, honey and sugar in a pan, stirring until butter is melted.
- 5. Add the oat mix, cinnamon and dried fruit. Mix until all the oats are well coated.
- 6. Tip into the cake tin, press down lightly.
- 7. Bake for 30 minutes.
- 8. Cool in the tin.
- 9. When cooled, cut into 12 bars.









- ◊ 250g self raising flour
- 200g caster sugar
- tsp baking powder
- $\diamond$  1½ lemons (zest and juice)
- 100ml vegetable oil
- 170ml cold water



- ◊ Large mixing bowl
- Kitchen scales
- ◊ Loaf tin
- Wooden spoon
- ◊ Grater
- Lemon juicer
- Measuring jug
- ◊ Teaspoon

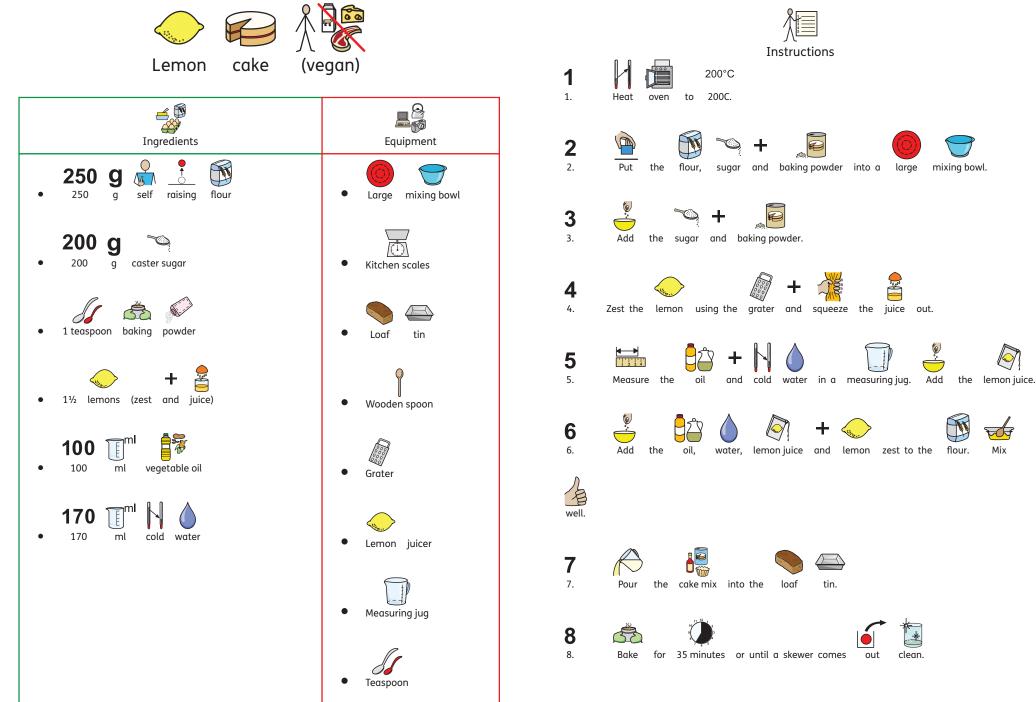
## Lemon cake (vegan)



- 1. Heat oven to 200C.
- 2. Put the flour, sugar and baking powder into a large mixing bowl.
- **3.** Add the sugar and baking powder.
- **4.** Zest the lemon using the grater and squeeze the juice out.
- 5. Measure the oil and cold water in a measuring jug. Add the lemon juice.
- 6. Add the oil, water, lemon juice and lemon zest to the flour. Mix well.
- 7. Pour the cake mix into the loaf tin.
- 8. Bake for 35 minutes or until a skewer comes out clean.









- 200g lemon curd
- 500g tub Greek yogurt (low fat or 0% fat)
- 100g raspberries
- ◊ 1tbsp icing sugar



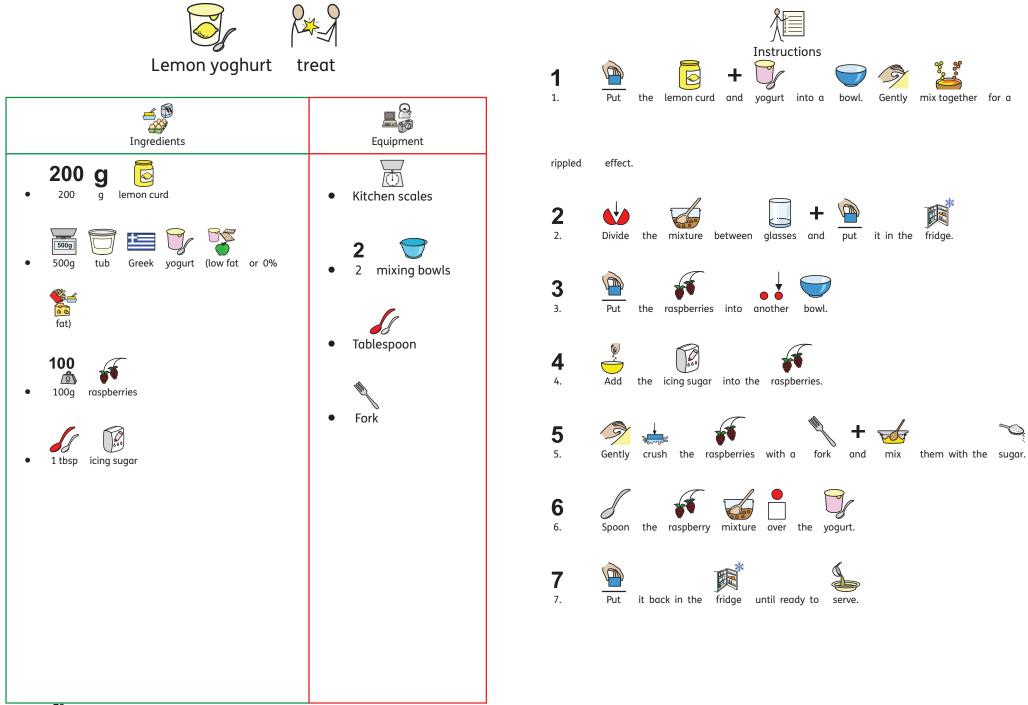
- Kitchen scales
- 2 mixing bowls
- ◊ Tablespoon
- ♦ Fork

## Lemon yoghurt treat



- **1.** Put the lemon curd and yogurt into a bowl. Gently mix together for a rippled effect.
- 2. Divide the mixture between glasses and put it in the fridge.
- **3.** Put the raspberries into another bowl.
- **4.** Add the icing sugar into the raspberries.
- 5. Gently crush the raspberries with a fork and mix them with the sugar.
- 6. Spoon the raspberry mixture over the yogurt.
- 7. Put it back in the fridge until ready to serve.







- ◊ 75g self-raising flour
- o 75g porridge oats
- ◊ 75g sugar
- ◊ 75g butter
- 1tbsp golden syrup
- ♦ 1tbsp milk



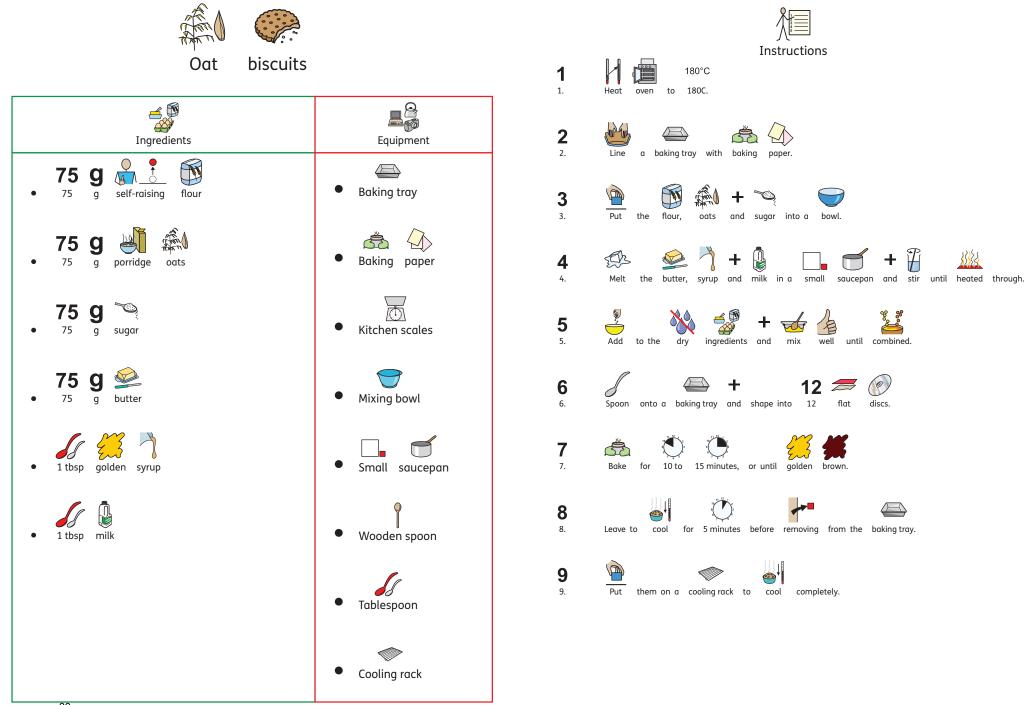
- ◊ Baking tray
- o Baking paper
- Kitchen scales
- Mixing bowl
- ◊ Small saucepan
- Wooden spoon
- ◊ Tablespoon
- Ocoling rack



- **1.** Heat oven to 180C.
- 2. Line a baking tray with baking paper.
- **3.** Put the flour, oats and sugar into a bowl.
- 4. Melt the butter, syrup and milk in a small saucepan and stir until heated through.
- 5. Add to the dry ingredients and mix well until combined.
- 6. Spoon onto a baking tray and shape into 12 flat discs.
- 7. Bake for 10 to 15 minutes, or until golden brown.
- 8. Leave to cool for 5 minutes before removing from the baking tray.
- **9.** Put them on a cooling rack to cool completely.









- 110g butter, softened
- 110g caster sugar
- 2 eggs, lightly beaten
- 1tsp vanilla extract
- ◊ 110g self-raising flour

For the buttercream icing

- ◊ 70g butter, softened
- 140g icing sugar
- 1tbsp milk
- A few drops of food colouring



- ◊ Bun tin
- Cupcake cases
- Kitchen scales
- Mixing bowl
- Wooden spoon
- ◊ Fork
- Ociling rack

## Vanilla cupcakes



- **1.** Heat oven to 180C.
- 2. Line a 12-hole bun tin with cupcake cases.
- **3.** Weigh all the ingredients.
- 4. Cream the butter and sugar with a wooden spoon until light and fluffy.
- **5.** Add the vanilla extract.
- 6. In a small bowl, beat the eggs with a fork.
- 7. Add the eggs bit by bit and keep beating the mixture.
- 8. Gently mix in the flour until it is well combined.
- 9. Spoon the mixture into the cases.
- **10.** Bake for 10-15 minutes until the cakes are golden and springy when you touch them. Cool the cakes on the wire rack.
- **11.** Make the icing while the cakes are cooling down.
- **12.** Beat the butter until it is really soft.
- **13.** Add the icing sugar, food colouring and milk.
- 14. Spread the butter cream on top of the cakes with the back of a spoon



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