## **Chicken or Vegetable Curry**

## Ingredients

- 1 clove garlic
- 1 onion
- 1 tablespoon oil
- 1 red or green pepper
- 1 or 2 chicken breast portions <u>or</u> 1 pack Quorn pieces (for a vegetarian curry), <u>Or</u> for a vegetable curry, use 500g / 1 lb mixed vegetables, e.g. cauliflower, aubergine, potatoes, parsnip, courgettes, carrots, peas, sweetcorn, butternut squash, peppers, mushrooms.
- 2 tablespoons curry paste + 'extra ingredients' as stated on the jar <u>Choose ONE of the following flavours</u> Korma Paste + small carton single cream (mild) Tikka Masala Paste + 1 tin tomatoes and small carton single cream or yoghurt, (medium) Balti Paste + 1 tin tomatoes and water (medium) Madras Paste + 1 tin tomatoes and water (medium) Rogan Josh Paste + 1 tin tomatoes & water, (medium) Thai Green Paste + 1 tin tomatoes (hot) Optional ingredients, to finish/serve

(you could add these at home)

- 2 tomatoes, each cut into 6 wedges
- chopped fresh coriander or parsley to garnish



## Method

- 1. Chop onion and chop or crush garlic.
- 2. Wash and slice other vegetables e.g. peppers, mushrooms, etc.
- 3. Cut/dice chicken into small pieces.
- 4. Heat oil in a wok or frying pan, gently fry onion, peppers etc and garlic until soft.
- 5. Add diced chicken (or Quorn, or mixed diced vegetables). Fry until meat is sealed.
- 6. Add 2 tablespoons curry paste and stir fry **gently** 2-3 mins. **WATCH carefully** as spices burn easily.
- 7. Stir in tomatoes/water (or as stated on jar) and simmer gently for 20-30 mins until meat / veg are cooked. Stir occasionally and test meat is done.
- 8. Stir in cream or yoghurt if using.
- 9. Stir in tomato wedges, simmer for further 5 mins.

## To serve:

Sprinkle over the coriander or parsley and serve with rice or naan bread.

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