## <u>Enchiladas</u>

One of the best known of all Mexican recipes is beef enchiladas. An **enchilada** is basically a stuffed tortilla baked in the oven with a sauce and melted cheese. While beef enchiladas are very popular, chicken, cheese, vegetables, seafood or eggs may also be used in the filling.

## Ingredients

## BRING AN OVENPROOF DISH TO BAKE ENCHILADAS IN

- 500g / 1lb minced beef
- 1 onion, finely chopped
- 1 garlic clove, crushed
- 1 red pepper
- 1 carton passata
- 3 tablespoons tomato purée
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon ground cumin
- 1 teaspoon chilli powder
- A handful of fresh coriander, chopped
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 8 flour tortillas
- 150g (6oz) Cheddar, grated
- 1 tub sour cream

## Method

- 1. Fry the minced beef and onion and garlic in a medium pan for about 5 minutes until browned.
- 2. Add the chopped red pepper and fry for 1-2 minutes.
- 3. Add about ¾ of the carton of passata, tomato purée, paprika, cumin, chilli powder and season.
- 4. Bring the pan to the boil, then cover and simmer for 15 minutes.
- 5. Add the chopped coriander.
- 6. Spread a little mince in the centre of each tortilla, roll up and place in a baking dish.
- 7. Mix the remaining passata with  $\frac{1}{2}$  the tub of sour cream. Pour over the enchiladas.
- 8. Top with the grated cheese, and chopped chilli.
- 9. Bake for 15 minutes until golden and cheese is bubbling. Serve with remaining sour cream on top.

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