

Cajun Spiced Beef Meatballs

with cheesy mash and roasted broccoli

Family 35 - 40 mins

















Grated Cheese









Cajun Spice Mix



Vegetable Stock

Pantry Items: Salt, Sugar, Oil, Pepper, Water, Butter, Milk (Optional)



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Before you start

Our fruit, veg and herbs need a wash before you use them! We recommend reading the recipe in full before beginning to cook.

Cooking tools you will need

Baking sheet with baking paper, colander, grater, pot with lid, potato masher

Ingredients

| | 2P | 4P |
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| Beef Mince | 250 g | 500 g |
| Potatoes | 3 units | 6 units |
| Grated Cheese | 50 g | 100 g |
| Garlic | 2 units | 4 units |
| Broccoli | 1 unit | 1 unit |
| Breadcrumbs | 1 pack | 1 pack |
| Passata | 1 pack | 2 packs |
| Cajun Spice Mix | 2 sachets | 4 sachets |
| Vegetable Stock | 1 sachet | 2 sachets |

Nutrition

| | Per serving | Per 100g |
|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| for uncooked ingredients | 702.5 g | 100 g |
| Energy (kJ/kcal) | 3698 kJ/ 884 kcal | 526 kJ/ 126 kcal |
| Fat (g) | 36.9 g | 5.3 g |
| Sat. Fat (g) | 15.7 g | 2.2 g |
| Carbohydrate (g) | 92.8 g | 13.2 g |
| Sugars (g) | 14.6 g | 2.1 g |
| Protein (g) | 45 g | 6.4 g |
| Salt (g) | 4.7 g | 0.6 g |
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Nutrition for uncooked ingredients based on 2 person recipe, excludes Pantry Items.

Allergens

For allergen information please refer to the website or individual ingredient labels.

Please check the ingredients you already have at home to ensure that they are safe for your allergen and dietary needs.

Wash your hands before and after handling ingredients.
Wash fruit and vegetables, but not meat. Use different chopping boards and utensils for raw and ready-to-eat foods or wash these in between uses.

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Make the Mash

- Preheat the oven to 220°C/200°C fan/gas mark 7.
- Boil a large pot of salted water for the **potatoes**.
- Chop the **potatoes** into 2cm chunks (peeling optional).
- Add the potatoes to the boiling water and cook until fork tender, 12-18 mins. Once cooked, drain in a colander and return to the pot off the heat.
- Add a knob of butter and a splash of milk or water.
 Mash until smooth. Add half the cheese and season with salt and pepper. Cover to keep warm.



Prep the Veg

- While the **potatoes** cook, peel and grate the **garlic** (or use a garlic press).
- Trim the tip of the **broccoli**. Cut head into small florets and stem into 2cm pieces.



Shape the Meatballs

- In a large bowl, combine the mince with half the Cajun spice, half the garlic and the breadcrumbs.
- Add 2 tbsp water and ¼ tsp salt (double both for 4p).
- Season with **pepper** and mix together by hand.
- Roll into evenly-sized balls, five per person.
 IMPORTANT: Wash hands and equipment after handling raw mince.



Bake the Meatballs

- Pop the meatballs and broccoli onto a lined baking tray.
- Drizzle the **broccoli** with **oil** then season with **salt** and **pepper**.
- Bake on the top shelf of the oven until the broccoli is crispy and the meatballs are browned on the outside and cooked through, 12-15 mins.

 IMPORTANT: Meatballs are cooked when no longer pink in the middle.



Simmer the Sauce

- Place a pan over medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. Add the remaining garlic and Cajun spice and cook until fragrant, 30 secs.
- Stir in passata, stock, ½ tsp sugar and 100ml water (double both for 4p).
- Bring to the boil, lower the heat and simmer until thickened, 6-7 mins.
- Season to taste with salt and pepper. Add a splash of water if the sauce is too thick.
- Add the cooked meatballs to the sauce and simmer for 2-3 mins.



Finish and Serve

- When everything's ready, share the cheesy mash between plates.
- Top with the meatballs, spooning over the sauce from the pan.
- Serve the roasted broccoli alongside.
- · Finish with a sprinkling of the remaining cheese.

Enjoy!