

#### Product Spotlight: Pumpkin

Pumpkins come in many different shapes and sizes. The thing they all have in common is their versatility (baked, steamed, mashed) and deliciousness!

# Smokey Lemon Roasted Chicken with Pumpkin and Mint Dressing

Crispy skin, oven baked chicken breast lightly seasoned with lemon pepper accompanied by roasted pumpkin and a fresh green dressing.





Dice pumpkin, remove corn kernels and slice spring onions and add to a saucepan. Add some garlic and a stock cube with 1 1/2 L water. Simmer until tender then blend. Cook the chicken in a frypan then shred and stir through to serve.

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#### FROM YOUR BOX

CHICKEN BREAST (SKIN ON)	600g
BUTTERNUT PUMPKIN	1
CORN COBS	2
SPRING ONIONS	1/2 bunch *
MINT	1/2 bunch *
LEMON	1/2 *
GREEN BEANS	1 bag (250g)

\*Ingredient also used in another recipe

#### FROM YOUR PANTRY

olive oil, oil for cooking, salt, pepper, lemon pepper, smoked paprika (optional), dried thyme, maple syrup

#### **KEY UTENSILS**

oven tray x 2, small saucepan, stick mixer

#### NOTES

We choose to leave the skin on the pumpkin for added texture and goodness. You can peel it if preferred.

Add some extra maple syrup for a sweeter sauce.

Add the beans to the tray with the vegetables for the last 5 minutes if preferred.



## **1. ROAST THE CHICKEN**

#### Set oven to 220°C.

Slash chicken in 3-4 places. Place on a lined oven tray and rub with 1 tsp lemon pepper, 1 tsp smoked paprika (optional), oil, salt and pepper. Roast for 25 minutes until golden and cooked through.



## **4. COOK THE BEANS**

Trim and halve beans (see notes). Heat a saucepan with **1/2 cup of water** over medium-high heat. Add beans and cook for 2–3 minutes until just tender. Drain.



## **2. COOK THE VEGETABLES**

Cut pumpkin into wedges (see notes) and quarter corn. Slice white ends of spring onions into 3 cm pieces (keep green ends for sauce). Place vegetables on a lined oven tray and toss with **1 tsp thyme, oil, salt and pepper.** Roast for 20-25 minutes until tender.



### **5. FINISH AND PLATE**

Slice chicken and serve onto plates with roasted vegetables and beans. Spoon over dressing to taste and sprinkle with reserved spring onion tops.



## **3. MAKE THE DRESSING**

Roughly chop mint leaves to yield 1/2 cup and chop reserved spring onion ends (save some for garnish). Place into a jug with lemon juice, **3 tbsp olive oil, 1/2 tbsp maple syrup, salt and pepper** (see notes). Blend to a sauce consistency.

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