





Chicken Saag Curry with Rice

35 minutes 4 servings Chicken





Tender chicken thighs simmered in a fragrant spinach and garam masala sauce, with juicy tomatoes, served over fluffy rice.

FROM YOUR BOX

BASMATI RICE	300g
BROWN ONION	1
GINGER	1 piece
BABY SPINACH	120g
CHICKEN THIGH FILLETS	600g
TOMATOES	2

FROM YOUR PANTRY

oil for cooking, salt and pepper, garam masala

NOTES

A blender or small food processor can be used instead of a stick mixer.

You can serve this dish with a side of papadums or naan bread.

1. COOK THE RICE

Place rice in a saucepan, cover with 600ml water. Cover with a lid and bring to a boil. Reduce to medium-low heat for 10-15 minutes. Remove from heat, stand for 5 minutes. Stir carefully with a fork.



For extra fragrance, cook the rice with a cinnamon stick or a few cardamom pods.

2. SAUTÉ THE AROMATICS

Heat a frypan over oil over medium-high heat. Dice onion, peel and grate ginger, adding to the pan as you go. Cook for 5 minutes until softened. Stir in 1 tbsp garam masala and cook for 1 minute until fragrant. Add spinach and stir until lightly wilted. Remove to a jug along with 1/4 cup water. Blend with a stick mixer until semi-smooth (see notes). Set aside.



Use coconut oil or butter for a richer flavour. Blending the onion and spinach will give a smoother sauce but is optional. You can use curry powder or ground cumin if you don't have garam masala.

3. COOK THE CHICKEN

Reheat pan over medium-high heat with oil. Halve or dice chicken thighs and wedge tomatoes. Add both to the pan, season with salt and pepper, and cook for 5 minutes until chicken is sealed. Pour in blended sauce, cover with lid and simmer for 10 minutes until the chicken is cooked through. Season to taste with salt and pepper.



TIP Stir in a spoonful of yoghurt or cream for a richer, creamier curry.

4. FINISH AND SERVE

Serve chicken saag curry with rice.



Garnish with fresh coriander or a squeeze of lemon juice for added freshness.

This recipe has simplified instructions to help lower your meal cost.