

Red Lentil and Spinach Dal

with Roasted Aubergine

40 · Little Spice · 2 of your 5 a day · Veggie













Aubergine









Basmati Rice





Tomato Passata



Red Split Lentils



Vegetable Stock Paste



Baby Spinach

Before you start

Our fruit and veggies need a little wash before you

Cooking tools, you will need:

Cutting Board, Knife, Garlic Press, Baking Tray and Saucepan.

Ingredients

	2P	3P	4P	
Echalion Shallot**	1	1	2	
Garlic Clove	1	2	2	
Aubergine**	1	11/2	2	
North Indian Style Curry Powder	1 sachet	1 sachet	2 sachets	
Water for the Rice*	300ml	450ml	600ml	
Basmati Rice	150g	225g	300g	
Korma Curry Paste 9)	1 sachet	2 sachets	2 sachets	
Tomato Passata	1 carton	1½ cartons	2 cartons	
Red Split Lentils	100g	150g	200g	
Water for the Lentils*	350ml	525ml	700ml	
Vegetable Stock Paste 10)	10g	15g	20g	
Baby Spinach**	40g	75g	100g	
*Notice deal at **Character the Folder				

^{*}Not Included **Store in the Fridge

Nutrition

	Per serving	Per 100g
for uncooked ingredient	442g	100g
Energy (kJ/kcal)	2415 /577	546 /130
Fat (g)	7	2
Sat. Fat (g)	4	1
Carbohydrate (g)	104	24
Sugars (g)	13	3
Protein (g)	23	5
Salt (g)	2.92	0.66

Nutrition for uncooked ingredients based on 2 person recipe.

Allergens

9) Mustard 10) Celery

Please remember to check your ingredient packaging for information on allergens and traces of allergens!

Wash your hands before and after prep. Wash fruit and veg; but not meat! Use different chopping boards and utensils for raw and ready-to-eat foods (or wash in-between).

Boxes are packed in facilities that handle Peanut, Nut, Sesame, Fish, Crustaceans, Milk, Egg, Mustard, Celery, Soya, Gluten & Sulphites.

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Prep

Preheat your oven to 200°C. Halve, peel and chop the **shallot** into small pieces. Peel and grate the garlic (or use a garlic press). Trim the aubergine then halve lengthways. Chop each half into four long strips then chop widthways into roughly 3cm pieces.



Roast the Aubergine

Pop the aubergine pieces onto a large baking tray. Drizzle with oil and season with salt, pepper and North Indian style curry powder. Toss to coat, then arrange in a single layer. Roast the aubergine until golden brown and soft, 20-25 mins, turning halfway through. Meanwhile, heat a drizzle of oil in a medium saucepan on a medium heat. When hot, add the **shallot** and cook, stirring frequently until tender, 3-4 mins.



Cook the Rice

Pour the water for the rice (see ingredients for amount) into another saucepan and bring to the boil. When boiling, add 1/4 tsp of salt, stir in the rice, lower the heat to medium and pop a lid on the pan. Leave to cook for 10 mins, then remove the pan from the heat (still covered) and leave to the side for another 10 mins or until ready to serve (the **rice** will continue to cook in its own steam).



Finish the Dal

Add the korma paste and garlic to the shallot and cook, stirring frequently for 1 minute. Add the passata, lentils, water (see ingredients for amount) and vegetable stock paste. Stir well and bring to a boil. Once boiling, lower the heat to medium and cook until the lentils are soft, 20-25 mins. TIP: Stir regularly to make sure it doesn't stick to the bottom of the pan and add a splash of water if it starts to get too thick.



Add the Spinach

Once the **lentils** are cooked, add the **spinach** a handful at a time, stirring until wilted and piping hot, 2-3 mins. Stir through the roasted aubergine and cook until everything is piping hot. Taste and season with salt and pepper if necessary.



Serve

Once everything is ready, divide the **rice** between your plates. Top with the aubergine dal and tuck in.

Enjoy!

There may be changes to ingredients in recipes:

Allergens: Always check the packaging of individual products/ingredients for up to date information.

Missing Ingredients: You will be notified by email if an ingredient is missing or replaced, with any potential recipe step changes.