

Ingredients

1 tbsp olive oil 500g diced lamb 1 onion, roughly chopped 2 garlic cloves, finely chopped 25g piece root ginger, peeled and roughly chopped 2 tbsp Madras curry paste 2 tsp paprika 2 bay leaves 1 cinnamon stick 4 green cardamom , bashed to break the shells 4 cloves 1 tbsp tomato purée 2 large ripe tomatoes chopped 100g Greek yogurt

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Method

- Preheat oven to 170C/150C fan
- Heat the oil in a large flameproof casserole dish until hot
- Brown the diced lamb in batches over a high heat, removing to a plate as you go
- Whiz the onion, garlic, ginger and curry paste to a purée in a blender or food processor (if you don't have one, you can just finely chop them)
- Add the purée to the pan and stir-fry over a medium heat for 3-4 minutes, then return the lamb to the pan and stir to coat
- Add the paprika, bay leaf, cinnamon stick, cardamoms, cloves, tomato puree, yogurt, chopped tomatoes, 300ml just-boiled water and seasoning, to taste
- Stir the mixture well and cover
- Place in oven for about 1hr 30mins until the lamb is tender
- Remove the cinnamon and bay leaves
- Serve with freshly cooked rice and or nan bread