

Growing Harvesting Preparing Sharing

Patatas Bravas

Season: Winter/Spring

Serves: 30 tastes in the classroom or 6 at home

Fresh from the garden: garlic, parsley, potato, red onion, thyme

Equipment:

metric measuring jug and spoons

clean tea towel

chopping board

cook's knife

large frying pan

wooden spoon

slotted spoon or spatula

kitchen paper

serving platters

small frying pan

Ingredients:

3 tbsp extra-virgin olive oil

6 medium potatoes, peeled and chopped into bite-sized pieces

1 red onion, peeled and finely chopped

3 garlic cloves, peeled and finely chopped

1/4 tsp cayenne pepper

1 sprig of thyme

1 tsp sweet paprika

1 × 400 g tin diced tomatoes or 600 ml home-made passata

½ tsp salt

1 small handful of parsley, finely chopped

What to do:

- 1. Prepare the ingredients based on the instructions in the ingredients list.
- 2. Pour 2 thsp olive oil into the large frying pan and heat it on medium-high.
- 3. Add the potatoes and cook until they are golden brown (about 10 minutes). Use a slotted spoon or spatula to remove them, and set them aside on kitchen paper to drain.
- 4. Heat 1 thsp of olive oil in the small frying pan.
- 5. Add onion and cook for 2 minutes, then add garlic, cayenne pepper, thyme and paprika, and cook for a further 30 seconds.
- 6. Pour the tomatoes into the pan and sauté for 5 minutes.
- 7. Turn heat down.
- 8. Taste the sauce and season to taste.
- 9. Divide the potatoes between serving platters.
- 10. Pour the sauce over the potatoes and sprinkle with parsley.

