

# **Autumn Feast Muffins**

These muffins use oats, apples and carrots, which are harvested in the autumn. They are juicy, fresh and great for a treat!









Egg, milk, oats (gluten) and wheat (gluten)\*



Typical values per 100g: energy 904kJ/215kcal.

## Equipment

Weighing scales 12 hole muffin tin Paper muffin case x 12 Chopping board Sharp knife Plate Vegetable peeler Grater Measuring spoons Mixing bowl Measuring jug x 2 Fork Metal spoon Oven gloves Pan stand Wire rack

## Ingredients

Makes 12 muffins 1 large eating apple 1 large carrot 50g raisins 200g self-raising flour 50g porridge oats 100g soft brown sugar 1 x 5ml spoon bicarbonate of soda 1 x 5ml spoon ground cinnamon 85ml sunflower oil 2 eggs 200ml semi-skimmed milk 50ml apple juice 1 x 5ml spoon vanilla extract Topping

15g porridge oats

15g Demerara sugar

\*Presence of allergens can vary by brand – always check product labels. If you serve food outside the home you must make allergen information available when asked.



## Top Tip

 Always grate onto a flat surface, such as a plate or chopping board. It takes much less effort and is easier to clear up.



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- 1. Preheat the oven to  $200^{\circ}C/180^{\circ}C$  fan or gas mark 6.
- 2. Put the paper cases into the muffin tin.
- 3. Wash the apple and cut it into quarters. Remove the core and cut the quarters into 1cm cubes. Put the apple pieces onto a plate.
- Wash the carrot and chop the ends off (top and tail). Peel and grate the carrot onto the plate. Add the raisins.
- 5. Mix together the dry ingredients (flour, porridge oats, sugar, bicarbonate of soda and ground cinnamon) in a mixing bowl.
- 6. Place the oil in the measuring jug.
- 7. Beat the eggs separately in a second measuring jug and add to the oil.
- 8. Measure out the milk and apple juice. Add this to the oil and egg mixture.
- 9. Add the vanilla extract to the wet ingredients.
- 10. Add the chopped apple, grated carrot and raisins to the dry ingredients and mix well.
- 11. Pour the wet ingredients into the dry ingredients and stir until combined.
- 12. Spoon the mixture into the paper cases.
- 13. To make the topping, mix the Demerara sugar and porridge oats together and sprinkle onto the muffins.
- 14. Place the muffins into the preheated oven and cook for 16 minutes or until golden and springy when touched.

### Something to try next time

• Replace the apple and raisins with a pear and 50g of dried cranberries.

#### Prepare now, eat later

- The muffins will keep in an airtight tin for up to 2 days.
- Muffins are best eaten straight away, but any leftover freshly baked muffins can be frozen for up to 1 month. Defrost fully before eating.

Skills used include: Weighing, measuring, peeling, chopping, grating, mixing/combining and baking.



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