Emma's PUMPKIN SOUP WITH GINGER AND CHILLI



Ingredients-

Serves 6

2 onions2 cloves garlic-crushed4 cm piece of ginger-grated1 teaspoon grated ginger

One fresh chilli

1/2 teaspoon tumeric

1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

200ml coconut milk

2 litres of vegetable stock

1 tablespoon olive oil/rice bran oil

Salt and pepper

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WHAT TO DO

CUTTING

- 1. Cut the pumpkin into cubes or in thin slices
- 2. Cut the onion into small pieces (diced)
- 3. Now crush the garlic and grate the ginger.
- 4. Cut the Thai basil or coriander and finely chop the chili

MEASURING

- 1. Measure spices into a bowl
- 2. Mix and measure stock into a measuring jug
- 3. Open the coconut milk

COOKING

- 1. Get a large pot put a dash of oil, put on a medium heat
- 2. Add in the onion and cook, turning with a wooden spoon, until brown
- 3. Add the ginger, garlic, basil, oil and some salt and pepper and the 2 drops of hot sauce. Leave a little coriander or basil to garnish.
- 4. Now add all the spices and the pumpkin
- 5. Mix up the vegetable stock and pour this in
- 6. Now add the pumpkin and the chilli sauce
- 7. Boil for 20-25 minutes until both the sweet potato and pumpkin are soft (the sweet potato will take longer)
- 8. Leave to cool for 5 minutes and add the coconut milk

WHIZZING AND SERVING

1. Plug in a hand blender and thoroughly whiz through all lumps in your tasty soup and serve with a chopped coriander or Thai basil