





## **Cook Your Own - Cottage Pie**

## **Ingredients**

500g Beef mince, 1 onion, chopped, 4 carrots, chopped, 2 garlic (cloves) crushed

500ml stock, 200g chopped tomatoes, gravy granules

1 tsp mixed herbs, 850g potatoes, 25g butter

100g cheddar cheese, grated

## Method

- 1. Preheat oven to 180'C/Gas mark 4
- 2. Place the meat in a large frying pan and heat gently, stirring frequently, until the meat begins to brown
- Add the onions, carrots and garlic and continue to cook for 10 minutes - stir in the stock and tomatoes and bring to the boil
- 4. Add the gravy granules to thicken and herbs cover the pan and simmer gently for 25 mins giving it the occasional stir
- Meanwhile cook the potatoes in boiling water until tender, then drain and mash, mixing in the butter (don't use too much butter, you want the mash to be quite firm)
- 6. Turn the meat into an ovenproof dish add on the mashed potato and smooth over
- 7. Cook for approximately 30 minutes until the potatoes are golden brown
- 8. Serve and enjoy!

Always ask for an adult's permission before cooking in the kitchen







