



Macarons

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15 minutes

Preparation time

23 minutes

Cooking time

Makes 20

Serves

INGREDIENTS

Macarons

290 g icing sugar 170 g almond meal 170 g egg whites 90 g caster sugar

Buttercream

200 g unsalted butter, softened 100 g icing sugar Vanilla extract or other flavouring of your choice Food colouring of your choice

METHOD

Macarons

- 1. Blend or process the icing sugar and almond meal together to make a fine mix.
- 2. In the bowl of a freestanding mixer with whisk attachment, add the egg whites and beat on high speed for 3 minutes or until soft peaks form. Add the sugar, a little at a time, and continue to beat on high speed for 2 minutes to form a stiff meringue.
- 3. Fold one third of the almond mixture into the meringue using a rubber spatula. Once fully incorporated, stir the remaining almond mixture into the meringue, being conscious not to knock out all of the air.
- 4. Line a baking tray with baking paper, with a macaron template underneath.
- 5. Place the mixture into a piping bag with a size 7 nozzle and pipe out onto the lined tray.
- 6. Preheat the oven on Fan Plus at 140°C with the Crisp function activated.
- 7. Place the tray into the oven on shelf level 2 and bake for 5 minutes. Turn off the Crisp function and continue to cook for another 18 minutes, or until the macarons are cooked.
- 8. Allow the macarons to cool on the trays and then fill with your favourite buttercream.

Buttercream

- 1. Beat all ingredients together until smooth and fluffy.
- 2. Add your desired flavour and colour to the buttercream.