Boozy Beef, Mashed Potatoes & Peas

Ingredients



- 400g diced beef
- 1 onion, diced
- 2 celery stalks, sliced
 - 3 carrots, sliced
- 100g mushrooms, sliced
- 2 garlic cloves, grated
- 1 bottle/can of beer/ale
 - 2 beef stock cubes
 - 2 tbsp flour
 - 1 tbsp oil
 - ½ tsp salt
 - ½ tsp pepper
 - 300ml water
 - 500g potatoes
 - 2 tbsp butter
 - 200g frozen peas

Method

- Add the flour, salt, and pepper to a bowl and mix through.
- Add the beef and stir until fully coated in the seasoned flour.
- 3. Add the oil to a large pan on a medium heat.
- 4. Add the seasoned beef and fry till browned but not cooked, this should take around 3 4 minutes.
- Remove the beef from the pan, cover and set aside.
- Add the onion to the same pan and fry until it begins to soften 2 - 3 minutes.
 Then add the garlic, celery, carrots and mushrooms.
- **7.** Stir through and fry for another couple of minutes.
- Add the beef back into the pan and add the stock cubes.
- 9. Stir through, then add the beer/ale.
- **10**. Top up with a little water to cover the ingredients and bring to the boil.
- 11. Reduce the heat right down so it's just simmering lightly with the lid on.
- **12.** Cook for around 1 hour 1 hour 30 minutes, or until the beef is soft.
- 13. Once cooked, taste and adjust the seasoning if needed. If this is too tart, add a tsp of sugar. If it's too thick, add a little bit of water.
- 14. To make the mash potatoes, peel the potatoes and put them on to boil.
- **15**. When the potatoes are cooked through, drain them, then add the butter and mash them.
- 16. Serve with frozen peas cooked as per the pack instructions.