

FRENCH-STYLE ROASTED BUTTERFLIED CHICKEN

This delicious butterflied chicken with roast vegies and a side of green beans, is easy to make and will be sure to satisfy everyone at the dinner table.

SERVES 4

PREP: 25 MINS COOK: 50 MINS



WHAT YOU NEED

INGREDIENTS

- 1.9kg Ingham's whole chicken
- 750g chat potatoes, thickly sliced
- · 4 eschalots, peeled
- · 2 tablespoons olive oil
- · Salt and pepper, to taste
- · 3 parsnips, peeled, halved lengthways
- 1 bunch Dutch carrots, trimmed, peeled
- 50g butter, chopped
- · 250g green beans, trimmed
- ¼ cup slivered almonds, toasted
- · Lemon wedges, to serve

Marinade

- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 30g butter, melted
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped fresh tarragon
- 3 cloves garlic, crushed
- · 2 tablespoons Dijon mustard
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice





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HOW TO COOK

IN A FEW SIMPLE STEPS

- 1. Preheat oven to 200C (fan-forced). Lightly grease a large roasting pan. Grease and line an oven tray.
- Butterfly the whole chicken, by removing the backbone and flattening. Watch Manu's Tips and Tricks video on How to Butterfly a chicken.
- Arrange potatoes and eschalots in a single layer in prepared roasting pan. Drizzle with half the oil and season with salt and pepper. Top with chicken.
- Place parsnips and carrots on prepared tray.
 Drizzle with remaining oil and season with salt and pepper.
- To make marinade, combine all ingredients in a bowl. Season with salt and pepper and mix well. Brush half over the chicken.
- Roast chicken on upper shelf of oven for 30 minutes. Brush with remaining marinade.
 Roast for a further 20 minutes, or until chicken

- is cooked through (insert a small sharp knife into the thickest part of the thigh, juices will run clear if cooked.).
- 7. Meanwhile, roast vegetables on lower shelf of oven for 40 minutes, or until tender.
- 8. Just before serving, melt butter in a medium frying pan over medium-high heat until frothy. Cook the beans, tossing occasionally, for 2 to 3 minutes, until tender. Stir in almonds. Remove from heat.
- 9. Serve chicken and vegetables with buttered beans and lemon wedges.

SWITCH IT UP...

• If tarragon is unavailable, you can replace it with fresh thyme or rosemary.

