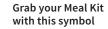
Double Chocolate Cake

with Ganache & Candied Hazelnuts







Chips





Basic Sponge Mix



Cocoa Powder



Caster Sugar







Chips



Hazelnuts



Hands-on: 20 mins Ready in: 1 hr 30 mins

This double chocolate cake is so moist and rich that just one slice will be sure to cure any sweet craving. Top off this fudgy delight with a dark chocolate ganache and candied hazelnuts for extra decadence.

Pantry items

Bicarb Soda, Eggs, Milk, Vegetable Oil, Brown Sugar

Before you start

Remember to wash your hands for 20 seconds before you get cooking.

You'll also need to give your fruit and veggies a wash.

You will need

Deep 20cm round cake tin · Small saucepan · Medium frying pan

Ingredients

	6-8 People
dark chocolate chips	1 medium packet
light cooking cream	1 medium packet
basic sponge mix	1 medium packet
cocoa powder	1 medium packet
caster sugar	1 medium packet
bicarb soda*	1 tsp
eggs*	2
milk*	180ml
vegetable oil*	80ml
vanilla-flavoured syrup	1 medium packet
boiling water*	150ml
white chocolate chips	1 medium packet
brown sugar*	1 tbs
water*	2 tsp
hazelnuts	1 medium packet

^{*}Pantry Items

Nutrition

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	2730kJ (652Cal)	1500kJ (358Cal)
Protein (g)	10.5g	5.8g
Fat, total (g)	32.8g	18.0g
- saturated (g)	14.3g	7.8g
Carbohydrate (g)	78.3g	42.9g
- sugars (g)	54.3g	29.8g
Sodium (mg)	490mg	269mg

The quantities provided above are averages only. *Nutritional information is based on 7 servings.

Allergens

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Get prepped

Preheat the oven to 180°C/160°C fan-forced. Grease and line the cake tin with baking paper. In a medium heatproof bowl, place the dark chocolate chips.



Make the ganache

In a small saucepan, heat the **light cooking cream** over a medium heat until just steaming, **1-2 minutes**. Pour the **cream** over the **chocolate**, then stir until melted and combined. Place in the fridge to cool, **20-30 minutes**.

TIP: You want the cream steaming but not boiling!



Make the cake batter

While the ganache is cooling, boil the kettle. In a large heatproof bowl, use a whisk to combine the basic sponge mix, cocoa powder, caster sugar and bicarb soda. Add the eggs, milk, vegetable oil and vanilla-flavoured syrup and whisk until smooth and well combined. Whisking constantly, gradually add the boiling water until smooth and combined.

TIP: The batter will be runny, this makes for a moist cake!



Bake the cake

Pour the **cake batter** into the lined cake tin then evenly sprinkle with the **white chocolate chips**. Bake for **50 minutes** to **1 hour** or until firm to touch and skewer inserted comes out clean. Set aside to cool completely in the tin.



Make the candied hazelnuts

While the cake is baking, heat a medium frying pan over a medium heat. Cook the **brown sugar**, the **water** and a pinch of **salt** until melted and bubbling. Add the **hazeInuts** to the pan and cook, stirring, until the caramel has thickened, **2-3 minutes**. Transfer to a sheet of baking paper and spread out to cool completely.

TIP: Cooking the caramel completely will ensure the coating is crunchy and not chewy.



Serve up

When the cake has cooled, transfer to a serving plate and spread with the chocolate ganache. Roughly chop the candied hazelnuts and sprinkle over the cake. Slice and serve.

Enjoy!

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