Lemony Couscous Stuffed Peppers



Serves 2 Prep 15 mins Cooking 40 mins Easy

Ingredients

85g couscous
2 tbsp raisins
50ml hot vegetable stock
1 tsp clear honey
zest and juice 1 lemon
small bunch flat-leaf parsley
150ml tub low-fat natural yogurt
2 tomatoes, roughly chopped
2 red peppers, halved, cores removed
1 tbsp olive oil

- 1. Heat oven to 190C/170C fan/gas 5. Put the couscous and raisins in a heatproof bowl. Stir together the stock, honey and lemon juice, then pour over the couscous. Cover and leave to absorb for 5 mins.
- 2. Meanwhile, make the gremolata. Place the lemon zest, garlic and parsley in a mini food processor, then whizz until fine (or finely chop everything together). Stir 1 tbsp of this mixture into the yogurt, then set aside. Stir the remaining mixture into the couscous with the tomatoes and some seasoning.
- 3. Brush the peppers with oil and bake in the oven for 30 mins or until just tender. Spoon the couscous mixture into each pepper half, then sit them in a small roasting tin. Drizzle with oil, then bake for 25 30 mins until the peppers are tender. Serve with the yogurt and a simple green salad on the side.