

## **BROCCOLI & NOBLE CHEDDAR FRITTERS WITH GARLIC & MINT YOGHURT**



PREP TIME COOKING TIME **10 MINS** 

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SERVES 4

https://www.mainland.co.nz/recipe/broccoli-noble-cheddar-fritters.html

These delicious fritters combine the goodness of broccoli with crowd-pleasing Mainland Noble cheddar and a punchy yoghurt sauce. Wonderful for a light lunch or as a lunchbox filler by Kelly Gibney. They are gluten free too, so great for those with dietary requirements.

## Ingredients

- · 1 medium head broccoli cut into florets
- · 3 free-range eggs
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup milk
- 1 large garlic clove finely diced
- 1/2 cup tapioca flour
- 2 cups grated Mainland Noble Cheddar Cheese
- · Sea salt and cracked black pepper
- · Olive oil for frying fritters
- · Garlic & mint yoghurt
- 1 cup full-fat Greek yoghurt
- 1 large garlic clove finely diced
- · Handful fresh mint leaves roughly chopped
- · Zest of 1 lime

To serve: additional fresh mint leaves, lime wedges

## Method

- 1. Combine all the yoghurt sauce ingredients in a bowl and mix well. Season generously with sea salt and cracked black pepper. Store in the fridge until ready to use.
- 2. Steam broccoli florets until tender. Set aside for 10 minutes to cool. Lay out on a chopping board and roughly dice.
- 3. Whisk together the eggs, milk, garlic, tapioca flour and grated cheese. Season well. Stir through broccoli.
- 4. Heat a glug of olive oil in a sauté pan over a medium heat. Cook heaped tablespoons of fritter mixture (you should be able to fit 4 at a time in the pan). Spread the broccoli pieces out a little over the surface of the fritter before flipping. You can also tidy up any stray tendrils of batter with the spatula or back of a spoon. Cook for 3 minutes on both sides until golden brown.
- 5. Repeat until all the batter is used.
- 6. Serve the fritters with the yoghurt dip on the side. Garnish with fresh mint leaves and lime wedges.

Leftover fritters can be stored in the fridge for up to 3 days.