

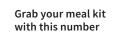
# Easy Lamb Koftas & Cucumber Ribbon Couscous

with Flaked Almonds & Garlic Yoghurt

FEEL-GOOD TAKEAWAY

NEW

CLIMATE SUPERSTAR













Carrot





Thyme

Flaked Almonds





Lamb Mince

Fine Breadcrumbs



Middle Eastern Seasoning

Pearl (Israeli) Couscous





Greek-Style Yoghurt

**Baby Leaves** 



Recipe Update We've replaced the couscous in this recipe with pearl couscous due to local ingredient availability. It'll be just as delicious, just follow your

recipe card!





Calorie Smart





#### Before you start

Wash hands and fresh veggies. Avoid cross contamination by washing utensils after handling raw meat/poultry. Always use separate utensils for raw and cooked meat.

If you're cooking for 6, use the 2 people plus 4 people ingredients and cook meat and veggies in batches

#### You will need

Medium saucepan with lid · Large frying pan

# Ingredients

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	2 People	4 People	
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method	
cucumber	1 (medium)	1 (large)	
lemon	1/2	1	
garlic	3 cloves	6 cloves	
carrot	1	2	
thyme	½ medium packet	1 medium packet	
flaked almonds	1 packet	2 packets	
lamb mince	1 medium packet	2 medium packets OR 1 large packet	
fine breadcrumbs	1 medium packet	1 large packet	
Middle Eastern seasoning	1 sachet	2 sachets	
egg*	1	2	
pearl (Israeli) couscous	1 packet	2 packets	
water*	1½ cups	3 cups	
Greek-style yoghurt	1 medium packet	1 large packet	
baby leaves	1 small packet	1 medium packet	

#### \*Pantry Items

#### **Nutrition**

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	2468kJ (590cal)	263kJ (63cal)
Protein (g)	41.5g	4.4g
Fat, total (g)	18.7g	2g
- saturated (g)	5g	0.5g
Carbohydrate (g)	61g	6.5g
- sugars (g)	13.7g	1.5g
Sodium (mg)	562mg	59.8mg
Dietary Fibre (g)	10.1g	1.1g

The quantities provided above are averages only.

## Allergens

Always read product labels for the most up-to-date allergen information.

Visit hellofresh.co.nz/foodinfo for allergen and ingredient information. If you have received a substitute ingredient, please be aware allergens may have changed.



## Get prepped

- Using a vegetable peeler, peel cucumber into ribbons. Slice lemon into wedges. Finely chop garlic. Grate carrot.
- Pick thyme leaves and roughly chop.
- Heat a large frying pan over medium-high heat. Toast flaked almonds, tossing, until golden, 2-3 minutes. Transfer to a bowl and set aside.
- In a large bowl, combine lamb mince, fine breadcrumbs, Middle Eastern seasoning, thyme, the egg and a pinch of salt.
- Using damp hands, roll lamb mixture into small koftas (you should get 3 koftas per person).



#### Cook the koftas

- Meanwhile, return frying pan to medium-high heat with a drizzle of olive oil.
  Cook remaining garlic until fragrant, 1 minute.
- Transfer **garlic oil** to a small bowl, then add **Greek-style yoghurt** and stir to combine. Season to taste and set aside.
- Return frying pan to medium-high heat with a drizzle of olive oil. Cook koftas, turning regularly, until browned and cooked through, 10-12 minutes (cook in batches if your pan is getting crowded).



## Cook the pearl couscous

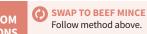
- In a medium saucepan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** over medium-high heat.
- Add carrot and half the garlic and cook, stirring, until softened,
  2-3 minutes.
- Add pearl couscous and toast, stirring occasionally, until golden,
  1-2 minutes.
- Add the water and a pinch of salt and bring to the boil. Cook, uncovered on medium-high heat, stirring occasionally until tender and the water is absorbed, 10-12 minutes.

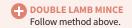


## Serve up

- To the saucepan with the pearl couscous, add cucumber, baby leaves, a generous squeeze of lemon juice and a drizzle of olive oil. Season to taste.
- Divide couscous salad between bowls.
- Top with lamb koftas and a dollop of garlic yoghurt.
- Sprinkle with flaked almonds and serve with any remaining lemon wedges. Enjoy!







If you've chosen to add, swap or upgrade, scan the QR code to see detailed cooking instructions and nutrition information.

