

# Chicken Tikka Masala

with Peppers and Garlic Rice

30 Minutes



This South Asian-style sauce is the perfect curry base!

## Start here

Before starting, wash and dry all produce.

## Bust out

Measuring spoons, medium pot, measuring cups, large non-stick pan, paper towels

## Ingredients

	2 Person	4 Person
Chicken Thighs •	4	8
Basmati Rice	¾ cup	1½ cup
Sweet Bell Pepper	160 g	320 g
Cilantro	7 g	7 g
Baby Spinach	56 g	113 g
Garlic Puree	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Tikka Sauce	½ cup	1 cup
Coconut Milk	165 ml	400 ml
Indian Spice Mix	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Oil*		

Salt and Pepper\*

\* Pantry items

\*\* Cook to a minimum internal temperature of 74°C/165°F, as size may vary.

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#### Allergens

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Ingredients are packaged in a facility that also handles egg, fish, crustacean, shellfish, milk, mustard, peanuts, sesame, soy, sulphites, tree nuts and wheat.

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## Make garlic rice

Heat a medium pot over medium heat. When hot, add ½ tbsp oil (dbl for 4 ppl), then rice and half the garlic puree. Cook, stirring often, until fragrant, 2-3 min. Add 1 ¼ cups water and ¼ tsp salt (dbl both for 4 ppl) and bring to a boil over high heat. Reduce heat to low. Cover and cook until rice is tender and liquid is absorbed, 12-14 min. Remove pot from heat. Set aside, still covered.



#### Prep

While **rice** cooks, core, then cut **pepper** into 1/2-inch slices. Roughly chop **spinach**. Roughly chop **cilantro**.



## **Cook peppers**

Heat a large non-stick pan over medium high heat. When hot, add ½ **tbsp oil** (dbl for 4 ppl), then **peppers**. Cook, stirring often, until tender-crisp, 3-4 min. Season with **salt** and **pepper**, then transfer to a plate.



#### Cook chicken

Pat **chicken** dry with paper towels. Cut into 2-inch pieces. Season with **salt**, **pepper** and **half the Indian Spice Mix**. Heat the same pan over medium. When hot, add ½ **tbsp oil** (dbl for 4 ppl), then **chicken**. Cook until golden-brown, 2-3 min per side. (**TIP:** It's okay if chicken doesn't cook all the way through in this step!)



#### Make sauce

Add **remaining Indian Spice Mix** and **remaining garlic puree** to the pan with **chicken**. Cook, stirring often, until fragrant, 30 sec. Reduce heat to medium-low, then add **tikka sauce** and **coconut milk**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until **sauce** is slightly thickened and **chicken** is cooked through, 5-7 min.\*\* Add **peppers** and **spinach**. Season with **salt** and **pepper**, then stir until **spinach** wilts, 1-2 min.



#### Finish and serve

Fluff rice with a fork, then stir in half the cilantro. Divide rice between plates. Top with chicken, veggies and sauce. Sprinkle remaining cilantro over top.

## **Dinner Solved!**