

## Lighter Chicken Enchiladas

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## Ingredients:

Coarse salt and ground black pepper

1 lb boneless skinless chicken thighs

1 Tbsp canola oil

1 medium yellow onion, thinly sliced

2 garlic cloves, minced

1/4 cup all-purpose flour

1 tsp ground cumin

1-2 Tbsp canned chipotles (minced) in adobo

1 (14.5 oz) can reduced sodium chicken broth

8 (6-inch) corn tortillas

1/2 grated Monterey Jack cheese

## Steps:

- In a large skillet with a tight-fitting lid, bring 1-inch water to a boil. Add chicken. Cover. Reduce heat to medium-low. Simmer 5 minutes then remove skillet from heat. Let chicken steam, covered, until opaque and cooked throughout, at least 12-14 minutes. Transfer chicken to a medium bowl, shred with two forks. Set aside.
- While chicken is cooking, make sauce. In a medium saucepan, heat oil over medium. Add onion and sauté, stirring occasionally, until softened, about 4-5 minutes. Add garlic, cook until fragrant (without burning), 1 minute, stirring constantly. Add flour, cumin, and chipotles in adobo. Cook, whisking, 1 minute.
- Whisk in broth and  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup water. Bring to a boil. Reduce to a simmer and cook, whisking occasionally, until sauce has thickened slightly, 5-8 minutes. Season with salt and pepper. Transfer 1 cup of sauce to chicken and stir.
- Preheat oven to 400°. Pour ¼ cup sauce into bottom of a greased 8-inch square baking dish. Set aside.
- Stack tortillas and wrap in a double layer of damp paper towels. Microwave until hot, about 1 minute. Fill each tortilla with chicken mixture, roll up tightly, and arrange, seam side down, in baking dish. Cover with remaining sauce, and top with cheese.
- Bake until hot and bubbling, 15-20 minutes. Let cool 5 minutes before serving.

Tips from the Test Kitchen: Garnish each serving with cilantro if desired, and additional salsa. This recipe is a little different because of the addition of chipotles in adobo. It's a great change of pace from the normal enchilada flavor!

<u>Nutritional Facts</u>: per serving Calories: 259, Carbohydrates: 22 grams, Protein: 21 grams, Total Fat: 10 grams, Saturated Fat: 3 grams, Cholesterol: 79 mg, Sodium: 183 mg, Fiber: 3 grams, Total Sugars: 1 grams.

