

Potato Skins with Buffalo Chicken

Servings 4 | Prep time 10 mins. | Total time 55 mins.

Equipment: Skillet or pan with lid, Vegetable scrub brush, Microwave-safe dish large enough to hold sweet potatoes, Measuring cups and spoons, Bowl to mix potato, chicken and hot sauce, Cutting board. Utensils: Two forks, Knife, Spoon.

Ingredients

- 12 ounces boneless, skinless chicken breast
- 1 cup water or enough to cover the chicken
- 4 medium sweet potatoes (about 6 ounces each)
- 1/4 cup hot pepper sauce
- 1/4 cup fat-free milk
- 1/4 cup reduced fat sour cream
- 1/4 cup crumbled blue cheese
- 2 green onions, chopped
- 2 medium tomatoes, chopped
- 4 stalks celery, cut into 4 inch lengths

Nutritional Information: Calories 340 Total Fat 13g Sodium 640mg Total Carbs 30g Protein 25g

Instructions

- 1. Before you begin wash your hands, surfaces, utensils and vegetables.
- 2. Center oven rack. Preheat oven to 425 degrees.
- 3. Place chicken in skillet or pan with a lid. Add water. Cover with lid. Begin with high heat and reduce heat to a low simmer. Cook for about 20 minutes.
- 4. While chicken is simmering wash and scrub sweet potatoes. Trim as needed. Cut a one inch deep slit in each to ensure potato cooks.
- 5. Put potatoes in a microwave safe dish. Microwave on high, uncovered, for about 5-8 minutes. Turn the potatoes and microwave for another 3-5 minutes. (Turn to be sure the potatoes cook through and through). Push a fork into each potato to test for doneness. The fork should come out easily. Set aside to cool.
- While potatoes are cooking, take chicken from pan.
 When chicken is cool enough to handle, shred using two forks to pull the chicken apart (one fork in each hand).
- Slice each potato lengthwise. Scoop out the inside, leaving a 1/4 inch shell.
- 8. Mash potato along with pepper sauce, sour cream and milk.
- 9. Fold in blue cheese and shredded chicken.
- 10. Spoon mixture into each potato skin, leaving a slight dent in the center to hold fresh toppings after baking.
- 11. Put skins on a 9 x 13 inch baking sheet. Bake 15-20 minutes to brown the top.
- 12. Chop tomatoes and green onions. Cut celery into four inch sticks.
- Sprinkle tomatoes and green onions over each potato skin. Serve celery sticks on the side to scoop into the potatoes.
- 14. Serve with apple slices and carrot sticks.

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