Focaccia

- 1. Preheat the oven to 220°C (200°C fan).
- 2. In a large bowl, combine the flour, salt, and yeast.
- 3. Make a well in the center and add the oil and water.
- 4. Mix until a soft dough forms.
- 5. Turn out onto a lightly floured surface and knead for 5 minutes.
- 6. Shape into a ball and place in a lightly oiled bowl.
- 7. Cover with a tea towel and leave to rise for 1 hour.
- 8. Punch the dough down and knead for 1 minute.
- 9. Shape into a ball and place on a lightly floured baking sheet.
- 10. Cover with a tea towel and leave to rise for 30 minutes.
- 11. Use your fingers to dimple the dough.
- 12. Brush with oil and bake for 25 minutes.
- 13. Cool on a wire rack.

Note: The dough can be made in a stand mixer fitted with a dough hook.

Ingredients:

- * 500g strong white bread flour
- * 1tsp salt
- * 7g fast-action yeast
- * 3tbsp olive oil
- * 300ml warm water

Cooking time: 30 minutes