



# Coq au Vin with Bone-In Chicken with mashed potatoes

### (i) You will need

Olive Oil, Salt, Pepper Baking Sheet, Medium Pot, Colander, Medium Pan

## Before you cook

Take a minute to read through the recipe before you startwe promise it will be time well spent!

- ☐ Preheat oven to **400 degrees**
- ☐ Thoroughly rinse produce and pat dry
- ☐ Prepare a baking sheet with foil
- ☐ Ingredient(s) used more than once: **butter**, **thyme**



#### Make the Mashed Potatoes

- Cut **potatoes** into 2" dice. Bring a medium pot with potatoes covered by 8 cups water and 2 tsp. salt to a boil. Reduce to a simmer and cook until tender, 16-20 minutes.
- Reserve ¼ cup potato cooking liquid. Drain potatoes in a colander and return to pot.
- Add half the **butter** (reserve remaining for sauce), ½ tsp. salt, and a pinch of **pepper** and mash until smooth. *If necessary*, add reserved potato cooking liquid 1 Tbsp. at a time until desired consistency is reached. Cover and keep warm.
- While potatoes simmer, prepare ingredients.



## Prepare the Ingredients

- Cut mushrooms into ¼" slices.
- Stem and coarsely chop thyme.
- Pat chicken breasts dry, and season both sides with 1/4 tsp. salt and ¼ tsp. **pepper.** When chicken is cooked with bones in and skin on, it tends to retain more juiciness and flavor.



#### Sear and Roast the Chicken

- Place a medium pan over medium-high heat and add 2 tsp. olive oil. Add chicken to hot pan, skin side down, and sear undisturbed until golden brown, 2-3 minutes per side.
- Transfer to one half of prepared baking sheet, skin side up. Roast in hot oven, 20 minutes.
- Remove from oven. Chicken will finish cooking in a later step.
- Reserve pan; no need to wipe clean.
- While chicken roasts, start vegetables.



#### Cook Vegetables and Finish Chicken

- Return pan used to cook chicken to medium-high heat and add 2 tsp. olive oil and mushrooms to hot pan. Stir occasionally until lightly browned, 3-4 minutes.
- Add pearl onions and a pinch of salt. Stir occasionally until onions are lightly caramelized, 3-4 minutes.
- Transfer vegetables to empty half of baking sheet. Roast until vegetables are browned and chicken reaches a minimum internal temperature of 165 degrees, 4-6 minutes.
- Reserve pan; no need to wipe clean.



#### Make the Red Wine Reduction

- Return pan used to cook vegetables to medium-high heat and add red cooking wine and demi-glace. Cook until liquid is reduced by half, 4-5 minutes. Don't be afraid of a little steam; reducing requires heat!
- Remove from burner. Add half the **thyme** (reserve remaining for garnish) and swirl in remaining butter.
- Plate dish as pictured on front of card, placing **chicken** on sauce and sauce on **mashed potatoes**. Garnish with remaining thyme. Bon appétit!

