HARIRA SOUP

INGREDIENTS

1-2 tbsp oil

2 large onions, finely chopped

4 garlic cloves, chopped

2 tsp turmeric

2 tsp cumin

1/2 tsp cinnamon

2 red chillies, deseeded and sliced

500g carton passata

1.7l vegetable stock

1 can green lentils, rinsed and drained

2 carrots, chopped into small pieces

1 sweet potato, peeled and diced

5 celery sticks, chopped into small pieces

2/3 small pack coriander, few sprigs reserved, the rest chopped

1 lemon, cut into 4 wedges, to serve

METHOD

STEP 1:

Heat the oil in a large non-stick sauté pan over a medium heat and fry the onions and garlic until starting to soften. STEP 2:

Tip in the spices and chilli, stir briefly, then pour in the passata and stock. Add the lentils, carrots, sweet potato and celery, and bring to the boil.

STEP 3:

Cover the pan and leave to simmer for 30 mins, then cook uncovered for a further 5-10 mins until the vegetables and lentils are tender.

STEP 4:

Stir in the chopped coriander and serve in bowls with lemon wedges for squeezing over, and the reserved coriander sprinkled over

