DINNERLY



Blue Plate Special Meatballs & Gravy

with Mashed Potatoes & Green Beans



20-30min 2 Servings



Food throwbacks are great. Jello molds, baked Alaska, cheese balls, and our personal favorites—blue plate specials. Who doesn't love a low-priced meal that changes daily? Especially when that meal is ready for the table in no time thanks to ready-to-heat meatballs? Sounds like a great deal to us. We've got you covered!

WHAT WE SEND

- · 2 potatoes
- ½ lb green beans
- ½ lb pkg ready to heat beef meatballs 1,3,6,7
- · ¼ oz granulated garlic
- · 1 pkt chicken broth concentrate

WHAT YOU NEED

- · kosher salt & ground pepper
- neutral oil
- · all-purpose flour (or gluten-free alternative)
- butter ⁷

TOOLS

- · medium saucepan
- medium skillet
- rimmed baking sheet
- potato masher or fork

ALLERGENS

Wheat (1), Egg (3), Soy (6), Milk (7). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

NUTRITION PER SERVING

Calories 800kcal, Fat 54g, Carbs 59g, Protein 24g



1. Cook potatoes

Preheat broiler with a rack in the top position.

Peel potatoes, then cut into 1-inch pieces; place in a medium saucepan. Add enough salted water to cover by 1 inch; cover and bring to a boil. Uncover and cook until tender when pierced with a knife, 10–12 minutes. Reserve ½ cup cooking water; drain potatoes and return to saucepan off heat. Cover to keep warm until step 5.



2. Prep green beans

Trim stem ends from green beans.



3. Start meatballs & gravy

Heat 1 tablespoon oil in a medium skillet over medium-high. Add meatballs; cook, turning once or twice, until browned, 3-5 minutes. Transfer to a plate.

Return skillet to medium heat. Whisk in 1/2 tablespoon flour. Add 1/2 teaspoon granulated garlic, all of the broth concentrate, and 1 cup water; bring to a boil.



4. Finish meatballs & gravy

Reduce heat to medium: return meatballs to skillet, stirring to coat. Cook until meatballs are cooked through and gravy is slightly thickened, 3-5 minutes. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

On a rimmed baking sheet, toss green beans with 1 tablespoon oil; season with salt and pepper. Broil on top oven rack until tender, 5-7 minutes (watch closely).



5. Finish & serve

Return saucepan with potatoes to medium heat. Add 1/4 cup reserved cooking water (or milk, if preferred) and 2 tablespoons **butter**: use a potato masher or fork to mash until smooth. Add more cooking water (or milk) 1 tablespoon at a time, as desired. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

Serve meatballs and gravy with mashed potatoes and green beans alongside.



6. Jump on the gravy train!

The thickening component of gravy is roux, a mixture of liquid fat-like melted butter or oil-and flour, like in step 3. Want that glistening glow? For an extra rich gravy that's smooth as silk, whisk in 1 tablespoon butter or heavy cream just before serving.

Enjoy!

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