Sarah's SLICE



Sarah's Festive Biscotti

Ingredients

250g Plain Flour
1/2 tsp Baking Powder
150g Caster Sugar
50g Melted Unsalted Butter
2 Large Eggs
75g Mixed Dried Fruit
30g Pistachio Nuts
30g Blanched Hazelnuts
30g Walnuts
Zest of I Orange

Method

- Pre-heat the oven to 180 degrees centigrade (160 fan) Gas mark 4.
- Line a baking tray with parchment.
- In a large bowl place the flour, baking powder, sugar, melted butter and eggs.
- Mix together with a spatula then add the fruit, nuts and orange zest, then use your hands to knead it all together in the bowl.
- Transfer to a floured surface and divide the mixture into two.
- Roll each piece to a log approximately 23cm long and 5cm wide.
- Place the two logs on the lined baking tray but leave a gap as they will spread while baking.
- Place in the preheated oven and bake for 30 minutes.
- Leave to cool for 10 minutes.
- Then with a bread knife cut each log slightly on the diagonal into 1 cm thick slices.
- Place the slices back on the baking tray and bake for another 18 minutes turning them over half way through the baking time.
- Leave to cool before serving.