

No-bake Easter oat nests (makes 12)

You will need

150g Hamlyns Scottish porridge oats
100g milk chocolate
50g butter
2 tbsp golden syrup
1 tsp vanilla extract (optional)
Mini chocolate eggs or jelly beans for decorating
Paper cupcake cases

Method

1. Melt the chocolate, butter and syrup together in a heatproof bowl over a pan of simmering water until smooth (or gently in the microwave). Stir in the vanilla extract if using.
2. Remove from the heat and stir in the oats until everything's coated in the chocolatey mixture.
3. Spoon heaped tablespoons of the mixture into paper cupcake cases.
4. Use the back of a spoon or your thumb to press a little dip in the middle of each to form a nest shape.
5. Pop three mini eggs in the centre of each nest then cool in the fridge for about an hour until they've set.

Try some colouring in while you're waiting for your oat nests to set





