Becky Bakes...

APPLE SLICES - Bonus Recipe

- 1 packet ready-rolled Puff Pastry
- 2 Bramley Cooking Apples (+1 tablespoon Water)
- 1 tablespoon Caster or Granulated Sugar
- 3-4 red-skinned Eating Apples (e.g. Gala)
- 1 tablespoon Apricot Jam + 1 tablespoon Water for the glaze

Makes 8

Cook in the oven on a baking tray lined with greaseproof paper

- 1. Oven on to Gas mk. 6, 200°C (180°C Fan)
- 2. Peel, core and chop the 2 Bramley apples and put into a small saucepan. Add 1 tablespoon of cold water and put the lid on
- 3. Heat until the water boils, then reduce the heat to a simmer and continue cooking for 4-5 minutes or until the apple begins to collapse.
- 4. Remove from the heat, add sugar to taste and stir well.
- 5. Unroll the pastry and cut into 8 equal rectangles. Using a sharp knife "score" each pastry piece with a border 1cm in from each edge
- 6. Prod the central rectangle of each pastry piece 8-10 times wit the prongs of a fork, to prevent it rising
- 7. Cut each eating apple into 4 quarters and remove the core.
- 8. Thinly slice each apple quarter lengthways into approx. 6 slices
- 9. Put 1 dessertspoon of the stewed Bramley apple onto the central rectangle of each piece of pastry, then overlap the eating apple slices on top
- 10. Mix the jam with water to make the glaze and brush it over the apple slices
- 11. Cook for 15-20 minutes or until the pastry edges are well risen and brown
- 12. Serve hot or cold with Crème Anglaise, custard or cream

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