

Enchilatkes

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Ingredients

Pancakes:

- 1 lb. Starchy Potatos
- 1/2 Cup of Onion (grated)
- 1 or 2 eggs
- Flour
- Olive oil for frying

Enchilada Sauce:

- 2 tbsp. Chili powder
- 2 tbsp. flour
- dash of oregano
- 1 tsp. cacao powder
- 2 cups water
- 8 oz tomato sauce

Traditional Toppings:

- Applesauce
- Sour cream

Enchilada Toppings:

- Enchilada sauce (above)
- Queso blanco, or other mexican cheese
- Lettuce
- Sour cream sauce

Instructions

This is a fun mashup of Jewish and Mexican foods. <u>Latkes</u> are potato pancakes that we usually make on the festival of <u>Hanukkah</u>. This recipe combines them with enchilada sauce and some mexican cheese.

Pancakes:

- 1. Peel potatoes. Grate your onion and potatoes and mix them up in a bowl. The gratings should be dried a little bit, either you can squeeze out the water or press it out with a screen.
- 2. Heat a skillet (high heat, but not smoking) with a shallow layer of oil.
- 3. Lightly beat your egg(s) and pour on the potato/onion mixture. Add some salt and pepper to taste, and mix around with your hands so that everything is coated.
- 4. Add some flour if your mixture is too wet. Spoon some of the mixture into the skillet and flatten it into a round pancake shape. Cook until one side is brown, then flip and repeat. You may have to turn down the heat a little bit while it cooks.
- 5. When the pancakes are done, transfer them to a paper towel and season.

Sauce:

- 1. Put all the dry ingredients into a pot. Stir in some water until it forms a thin paste.
- 2. Add the tomato sauce and turn on the heat.
- 3. Continue to add water while stirring until you get your desired thinness.

To enchiladize my latkes, I dip them in the enchilada sauce while its hot, top it with Queso blanco or another mexican cheese, and garnish with some lettuce.