# Chocolate Mousse

List of ingredients	List of equipment
200g bar dark chocolate (70% cocoa solids if	Equipment to be provided by school
possible)	
Small knob of butter	
3 tbsp caster sugar	
300ml double cream	
1tsp vanilla extract - optional	
2 eggs	
	*REMEMBER TO BRING A CONTAINER WITH
Aim Higher	TIGHT FITTING LID TAKE YOUR FOOD
Reserve 50g of the chocolate and grate it. Use	HOME IN*
to mix into the mousse to add texture or sprinkle	
on top to garnish	
WARNING: THIS RECIPE CONTAINS	
RAW EGGS AND MAY NOT BE	
SUITABLE FOR THE VERY YOUNG, OLD	
OR PREGNANT PEOPLE.	

Time	Stage of making	Hygiene and safety	Quality
	Get organised:	Tie hair up	
	Ingredients on white tray	Put apron on	
	Collect equipment	Wash hands	
		Check ingredients in	
		date and stored	
		correctly	
	Get small saucepan and put no more		
	than 1/3 water in. Bring to boil		<b>.</b>
	Break the chocolate into small,	Water should be just	Do not allow any water
	even-sized pieces and add to heat	simmering.	into the chocolate or
	proof bowl placed over the pan of	Pan handle to the side	it will seize and
	simmering water. Add knob of		become hard.
	butter		Make sure bowl does
			not touch water
			Stir chocolate occasionally
	Add sugar, cream and vanilla paste		Visual check for soft
	to bowl (this could be the bowl you		peaks
	serve it in) and whip until soft peaks		'
	Check chocolate and remove from	Use oven gloves to	
	heat if melted	ensure steam doesn't	
		burn hand	
	Separate the eggs, placing the	Ensure bowl is	Do not get any yellow
	whites in a clean third bowl and	thoroughly clean with no	yolk into the egg
	stirring the yolks into the crem	grease.	whites. Check no egg
	mixture.		shell is in the bowls

Whisk the egg whites to stiff peaks	Ensure whisk is thoroughly clean with no grease	Visual check for stiff peaks.
Spoon the melted chocolate into the cream and stir to combine		Gentle stir until an even colour mixture achieved
Add whisked egg whites to chocolate and cream mixture and gently fold in		Use figure of eight folding action. The mousse should be an even brown colour all the way through
Smooth surface of mousse		Neat presentation. Wipe any smears off side of bowl Aim Higher:- Decorate with grated chocolate
Get dish photographed		
Cover and place in fridge		
Wash and dry dirty equipment	Hot soapy water to wash	
Tidy away in cupboards and drawers	Clean tea towel to dry	

# **Y10 Practical Record**

Dish	

Picture	Star profile
Description of dish	
Skills and presentation	What was successful
Nutrition	What could be improved/changed

#### Tips to complete the practical record

#### Description of dish

How might the dish be described on a menu.

## Star profile

Label the star profile with words (attributes) to describe the dish

2 words for texture

2 words for taste

2 words for appearance

2 words for aroma

Score each attribute out of 5 and join up scores with a ruler

(The star profile can help identify successes and improvements)

### Skills and presentation

List the skills /techniques and methods you demonstrated to make the dish Rank them high/medium/low Suggest how you could present this dish

#### Successes

List at least 3 things you were happy with about this dish Use feedback from other people to help

#### Nutrition

How does the dish meet healthy eating guidelines What specific nutrition does it provide How could you make the dish healthier?

# Improvements/Changes

List at least 3 improvements you could make or suggest changes you could make

to the ingredients/method/presentation Give reasons for your suggestions Use feedback from other people to help