## Banana and Chocolate Muffins

## Ingredients:

- 115 g self-raising flour
- 50 g caster sugar
- 70 g butter or margarine
- 2 ripe bananas
- 1 bag chocolate buttons
- 5 muffin cases


## Skills:

- Weighing and measuring
- Melting
- Mashing
- Baking
- Testing for readiness


## Equipment Needed:

- Blue tray
- Large saucepan
- Wooden spoon
- Wooden triangle
- Weighing scales
- Fork
- Mixing bowl
- Muffin tray
- 2 metal spoons
- Safety mat
- Timer
- Container (to take food home in)


## Method and Time Plan:

| 0 | Personal and kitchen hygiene. Collect equipment and ingredients | (10) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Preheat oven to $160^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| 2 | Line muffin tray with 4 cases (use a single row in the middle) | 5 |
| 3 | Place butter and caster sugar into saucepan and melt over a low heat. <br> Stir with wooden spoon. <br> Remove from heat and turn off the hob | (10) |
| 4 | Using a fork, mash the bananas in a mixing bowl | 5 |
| 5 | Stir flour and mashed bananas into the mixture in the saucepan | 5 |
| 6 | Reserve 4 chocolate buttons for the top of the cake mixture. <br> Add the rest of the chocolate buttons to the saucepan and stir in quickly to melt | 5 |
| 7 | Using two metal spoons; equally spoon the mixture into the 4 muffin cases - ensuring they are almost full. <br> Add a chocolate button on top of each. | (10) |
| 8 | Bake in the oven for at least 18 minutes (they may take longer) Ideally, cook at the same time as your partner | (15) |
| 9 | Safely store your finished practical. Wash and tidy up | (10) |

