

# Jeera Vegetable Pulao – Jain Style



*Vegetable Pulao is a one pot meal, easy to make recipe. This recipe is authentic which has no onion and no garlic in it. This tastes different from our usual vegetable pulao recipe. I make this dish for lunch and it can be done in min. This can be served with raita or any spicy subzi*

**Ingredients for Jeera Rice**



- 1 cup Basmati Rice**
- 1.5 cups of water**
- 2 Tbsp Oil/Butter**
- 3 Tsp of Cumin Seeds**
- 1 Shah Jeera(opt)**
- 1 Bay leaves**
- 2 Cloves**
- 1 Big Cinnamon**
- 2 Big Elaichi/ Small Cardamom**
- 1 Teaspoon of Salt**

### **Ingredients for Masala**



- 3 Tblsp oil/Butter**
- 1 Tsp cumin/Jeera**
- 1/4 Cup of Peas**
- 1/4 Cup of Carrot**
- 1/4 Cup of Beans**
- 5-6 Panner Cubes**

1 tsp of Salt  
1/2 tsp of Garam Masala  
1 tbsp Lemon Juice  
2 tbsp Chopped Cilantro

### To Grind

2 Green Chillies  
1/2inch of Ginger

### Method

### Making of Jeera Rice



- Wash and soak the basmathi rice for 1/2 hr.
- Heat the oil in a pan/cooker. Test the oil by adding one cumin seed; if seed crackles then your oil is ready. Add cumin seeds.
- The sheer smell of cumin seeds frying in hot oil makes it more appetizing .
- Add cloves, cinnamon, cardamom, bay leaves and stir for few seconds.
- Next add the rice. Stir-fry for 2 minutes.
- Add required water and salt, bring to a rolling boil and turn the heat to low. Cover the pan. If you use cooker just close the lid and wait for the whistle.

- In stove top, Cook for about 15 minutes, or until the rice is tender and the water has evaporated. Turn off the heat and fluffy rice is ready.

### **Making of Vegetable Masala**

- Take a big pan and heat the oil. Test the heat by adding one cumin seed to the oil. If it crackles then oil is ready.
- Add cumin seeds and then add “To Grind” ginger chillies paste. Fry for about 2 minutes.
- Add peas, carrots, paneer and beans. Let them cook for about 4-5 minutes, by closing the lid. Stir occasionally and wait till vegetables are soft.
- Add garam masala and stir well.
- Turn off the heat and add lemon juice.
- Finally transfer the jeera rice into the vegetables masala Hot Vegetable Pulao is ready.
- Garnish the rice with chopped cilantro or coriander leaves and fried cashews.

### **Tips**

- You can add onion and garlic if you want.
- Serve it with onion raita or any raita of your choice.



