DINNERLY



Jalapeño Smash Cheeseburgers

with Oven Fries

🔊 20-30min 🔌 4 Servings

Jalapeño poppers—aka fried jalapeños stuffed with molten cheese—are usually reserved for sports bars and tailgates. But we were like, life is short, why wait? Maybe we can just top a smash burger with a creamy cheese sauce peppered with chopped jalapeños and get the same jalapeño popper vibes. We did it, and to absolutely no one's surprise…it's poppin'. We've got you covered!

WHAT WE SEND

- grass-fed ground beef
- garlic
- russet potatoes

WHAT YOU NEED

- all-purpose flour ¹
- kosher salt & ground pepper

TOOLS

- rimmed baking sheet
- small saucepan

ALLERGENS

Wheat (1). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

NUTRITION PER SERVING

Calories 760.0kcal, Fat 39.0g, Proteins 37.0g, Carbs 67.0g



1. Roast oven fries

Preheat oven to 450°F with a rack in the lower third. Scrub **potatoes** and cut in half lengthwise, then into ½-inch wedges (no need to peel). On a rimmed baking sheet toss potatoes with **3 tablespoons oil** and season generously with **salt** and **pepper**. Spread to an even layer and roast in lower third of oven without stirring, until golden and crisp, 25-30 minutes.



2. Prep ingredients

Roughly chop **2 tablespoons jalapeño** (save rest for step 5). Finely chop **cheddar**. Peel and roughly chop **2 large garlic cloves**. Divide **beef** into 4 equal portions (do not form patties).



3. Make sauce

Heat 1 tablespoon oil in a small saucepan over medium-high. Add 4 teaspoons flour and chopped garlic, and cook, about 30 seconds. Add 1¹/₃ cups water, ½ teaspoon salt, and all of the cream cheese; whisk to combine. Simmer until slightly thickened to about 1 cup, 8-10 minutes. Off heat stir in cheddar and chopped jalapeños. Season to taste with salt and pepper.



4. Make burgers

Heat a heavy, large skillet over high until very hot, about 2 minutes. Brush with oil. Working in batches, place **beef** in pan and smash each mound flat with a spatula, forming 5-inch patties. Season with **salt** and cook, undisturbed, until outer edges are browned, 2-3 minutes. Flip burgers, season with **salt**, and cook until mediumrare, about 2 minutes.



5. Toast buns and serve

Transfer **burgers** to a plate. Working in batches, add **buns**, cut side-down to same skillet, and toast until lightly browned, 1-2 minutes. Serve **burgers** on **buns** with some of the **cheese sauce** spooned over top and **extra jalapeño slices**, if desired. Serve with **oven fries** alongside and with **remaining sauce** for dipping. Enjoy!



6. Take it to the next level

We've heard tell of legendary poppers that are wrapped in, umm, bacon. Makes us blush just talking about it. If you're into it, too – you could dice up any random strips you have in the fridge and crisp them in a skillet to serve on top of these burgers.