

Cheese Tortellini and Crispy Bacon

with Basil Pesto

Family Friendly 25-35 Minutes





Cheese Tortellini











Shallot



Parmesan Cheese, shredded



Sweet Bell Pepper



Cream

Start here

Before starting, wash and dry all produce.

Bust out

Colander, measuring spoons, slotted spoon, measuring cups, large pot, large non-stick pan, paper towels

Inaredients

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	2 Person	4 Person
Cheese Tortellini	350 g	700 g
Bacon Strips	100 g	200 g
Basil Pesto	⅓ cup	½ cup
Shallot	50 g	100 g
Parmesan Cheese, shredded	⅓ cup	½ cup
Sweet Bell Pepper	160 g	320 g
Cream	113 ml	237 ml
Salt and Pepper*		

- * Pantry items
- ** Cook to a minimum internal temperature of 71°C/160°F, as size may vary.

Allergens

Hey home cooks! Please refer to the website or app for the as-prepared recipe nutritional information.

Ingredients are packaged in a facility that also handles egg, fish, crustacean, shellfish, milk, mustard, peanuts, sesame, soy, sulphites, tree nuts and wheat.



Cook bacon

- Cut bacon into 1-inch pieces.
- · Heat a large non-stick pan over medium heat.
- When hot, add **bacon** to the dry pan. Cook, stirring occasionally, until crispy, 7-9 min.**
- Remove the pan from heat. Using a slotted spoon, transfer bacon to a paper towel-lined plate.
- Discard all but 1 tbsp bacon fat (dbl for 4 ppl) from the pan.



Prep

- Add 10 cups water and 2 tsp salt to a large pot (use same for 4 ppl). Cover and bring to a boil over high heat.
- Meanwhile, core, then cut **pepper** into ½-inch pieces.
- Peel, then thinly slice **shallot** into 1/8-inch slices.



Cook tortellini

- Add tortellini to the boiling water. Cook, stirring occasionally, until tender, 2-3 min.
- Drain and return **tortellini** to the same pot, off heat.



Make creamy basil pesto sauce

- Meanwhile, heat the pan with reserved bacon fat over medium-high.
- When hot, add shallots and peppers. Cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, 3-4 min. Season with **salt** and **pepper**.
- Remove the pan from heat, then stir in pesto and cream.



Assemble tortellini

· Add creamy basil pesto sauce, half the bacon and half the Parmesan to the pot with tortellini. Stir until tortellini is coated.



Finish and serve

- Divide tortellini between bowls.
- Sprinkle remaining bacon and remaining Parmesan over top.

Dinner Solved!

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