



Creamy Bacon and Ricotta Pasta

with Parmesan and Peas

Family Friendly

25-35 Minutes



Bacon Strips



Chicken Breasts



Ricotta Cheese



Penne



Green Peas



Yellow Onion



Garlic, cloves



Cream



Parmesan Cheese, shredded



Garlic Salt



Chicken Broth Concentrate



Baby Spinach

CUSTOM RECIPE

This is a Custom Recipe. If you chose to add chicken, simply follow the instructions on the back of this card and you're set. Happy cooking!

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The ultimate salty, smoky flavour booster!

Start here

- Before starting, 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.
- Wash and dry all produce.

Measurements within steps **1 tbsp** (2 tbsp) **oil**
2 person 4 person Ingredient

Bust out

Medium bowl, colander, measuring spoons, tongs, measuring cups, large pot, large non-stick pan, paper towels

Ingredients

	2 Person	4 Person
Bacon Strips	100 g	200 g
Chicken Breasts	2	4
Ricotta Cheese	100 g	200 g
Penne	170 g	340 g
Green Peas	56 g	113 g
Yellow Onion	113 g	226 g
Garlic, cloves	2	4
Cream	56 ml	113 ml
Parmesan Cheese, shredded	¼ cup	½ cup
Garlic Salt	1 tsp	2 tsp
Chicken Broth Concentrate	1	2
Baby Spinach	56 g	113 g
Unsalted Butter*	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Pepper*		

* Pantry items

** Cook pork and poultry to minimum internal temperatures of 71°C/160°F and 74°C/165°F, respectively, as sizes may vary.

† Vacuum-pack guarantees maximum freshness but can lead to small colour changes and a stronger scent. Both will disappear 3 minutes after opening.

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.

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Cook bacon

- Heat a large non-stick pan over medium heat.
- Meanwhile, halve **bacon strips** crosswise. (TIP: Use kitchen shears to cut bacon with ease!)
- When hot, add **bacon**. Cook, flipping occasionally, until crispy, 5-7 min. ** (TIP: Don't worry about bacon slices overlapping as they cook!)
- Remove from heat. Using tongs, transfer **bacon** to a paper towel-lined plate. Set aside.
- Reserve **bacon fat** in the pan.



Cook veggies

- Reheat the pan with **reserved bacon fat** (from step 1) over medium-high heat.
- When hot, add **onions** and **peas**. Cook, stirring often, until **onions** are tender, 3-4 min.
- Add **garlic** and **remaining garlic salt**. Season with **pepper**. Cook, stirring often, until fragrant, 30 sec.



Cook penne

- Meanwhile, add **penne** to the **boiling water**. Cook uncovered, stirring occasionally, until tender, 10-12 min.
- Reserve **½ cup pasta water**, then drain **penne**.

If you've opted to add **chicken breasts**, while **penne** cooks, pat **chicken** dry with paper towels. Season with **salt** and **pepper**. Heat another large non-stick pan over medium heat. When hot, add **1 tbsp** (2 tbsp) **oil**, then **chicken**. Pan fry on one side until golden, 6-7 min. Flip, then cover and continue cooking, until cooked through, 6-7 min. **



Make sauce and finish penne

- Add **cream** and **broth concentrate** to the pan with **veggies**. Bring to a simmer. Cook until **sauce** thickens slightly, 1 min.
- Remove from heat, then add **penne**, **¼ cup reserved pasta water**, **spinach** and **1 tbsp** (2 tbsp) **butter**. Toss until **spinach** wilts, 1-2 min. (TIP: For a lighter sauce consistency, add more reserved pasta water, 1-2 tbsp at a time, if desired.)
- Season with **pepper**, to taste.



Prep and season ricotta

- Peel, then cut **onion** into ½-inch pieces.
- Peel, then mince or grate **garlic**.
- Roughly chop **spinach**, if desired. (TIP: Place spinach in a bowl, then roughly chop using a pair of kitchen shears or scissors!)
- Add **ricotta**, **half the Parmesan** and **half the garlic salt** to a medium bowl. Season with **pepper**, then stir to combine.



Finish and serve

- Divide **penne**, **veggies** and **any remaining sauce** between bowls.
- Dollop **ricotta** over top.
- Crumble **bacon** and sprinkle **remaining Parmesan** over top.

Thinly slice **chicken**. Arrange **chicken** on top of **plated penne**.

Dinner Solved!