

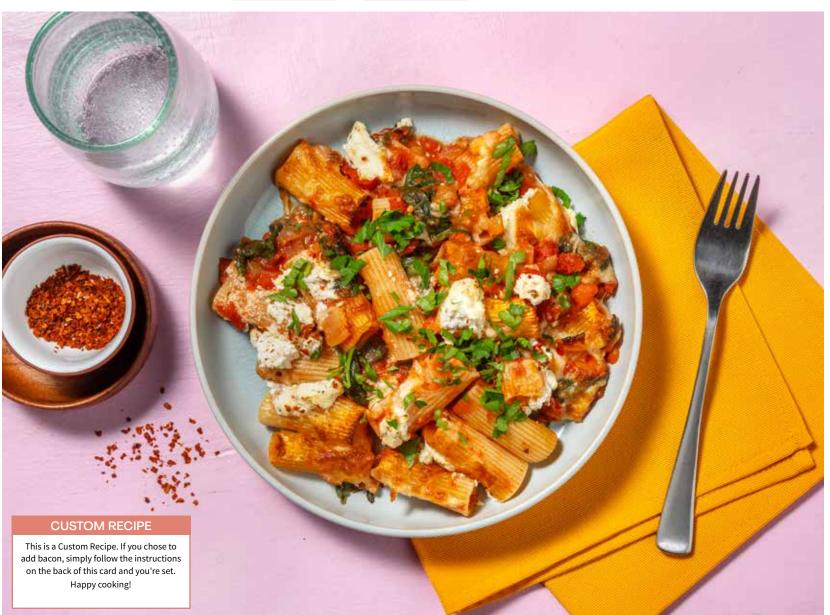
# Ricotta Rigatoni Al Forno

with Spinach and Mozzarella

Veggie

Optional Spice

35 Minutes





Ricotta Cheese







Rigatoni



Baby Spinach



Yellow Onion



**Crushed Tomatoes** 



Garlic, cloves

Mozzarella Cheese, shredded



Vegetable Broth Concentrate



Garlic Salt



Chili Flakes



Parsley

# Start here

- Before starting, preheat the broiler to high.
- Wash and dry all produce.

#### Heat Guide for Step 1 (dbl for 4 ppl):

- Mild: 1/8 tsp
- Medium: 1/4 tsp
- Spicy: 1/2 tsp

#### **Bust out**

Colander, medium oven-proof pan, measuring spoons, measuring cups, large pot

# Ingredients

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|                                | 2 Person | 4 Person |
| Ricotta Cheese                 | 100 g    | 200 g    |
| Bacon                          | 100 g    | 200 g    |
| Rigatoni                       | 170 g    | 340 g    |
| Yellow Onion                   | 113 g    | 226 g    |
| Baby Spinach                   | 56 g     | 113 g    |
| Garlic, cloves                 | 3        | 6        |
| Crushed Tomatoes               | 370 ml   | 796 ml   |
| Mozzarella Cheese,<br>shredded | ¾ cup    | 1 ½ cups |
| Vegetable Broth<br>Concentrate | 1        | 2        |
| Garlic Salt                    | 1 tsp    | 2 tsp    |
| Chili Flakes 🤳                 | 1 tsp    | 2 tsp    |
| Parsley                        | 7 g      | 7 g      |
| Sugar*                         | ½ tsp    | 1 tsp    |
| Oil*                           |          |          |
|                                |          |          |

- 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.

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### 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, peel, then cut onion into ¼-inch pieces.
- Peel, then mince or grate garlic.
- Roughly chop parsley.
- Add half the garlic salt and ¼ tsp chiliflakes to the container with ricotta. (NOTE: Reference heat guide.) Season with pepper, then stir to combine.



#### Make sauce

- Add garlic and remaining garlic salt to the pan with onions, then season with pepper.
  Cook, stirring often, until fragrant, 30 sec.
- Add crushed tomatoes, broth concentrate and ½ tsp sugar (dbl for 4 ppl). Bring to a simmer, then reduce heat to medium-low.
  Cook, stirring occasionally, until sauce thickens slightly, 6-8 min.



# Cook rigatoni

- Add **rigatoni** to the **boiling water**. Cook uncovered, stirring occasionally, until tender, 10-13 min.
- Reserve ¼ cup pasta water (dbl for 4 ppl), then drain rigatoni.

If you've opted to add **bacon**, cut **strips** in half crosswise. Heat a large non-stick pan over medium. When hot, add **bacon**. Cook, flipping occasionally, until crispy, 5-7 min.\*\* Remove from heat. Using tongs, transfer **bacon** to a paper towellined plate. Set aside.



## Cook onions

- Meanwhile, heat a medium oven-proof pan (large pan for 4 ppl) over medium heat.
- When hot, add **1 tbsp oil** (dbl for 4 ppl), then **onions**. Season with **salt** and **pepper**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until tender, 4-5 min.



# Assemble and broil rigatoni

 Add rigatoni, spinach, reserved pasta water and half the mozzarella to the pan with sauce. Season with salt and pepper, to taste, then toss to combine.

(NOTE: If you don't have an oven-proof pan, for 2 ppl, transfer to an 8x8-inch baking dish. For 4 ppl, transfer to a 9x13-inch baking dish.)

- Sprinkle with **remaining mozzarella**, then dollop **seasoned ricotta** over top.
- Broil in the **middle** of the oven until **cheese** is golden-brown, 3-5 min.



# Finish and serve

- Let rigatoni cool for 5 min.
- Divide **rigatoni** between plates.
- Sprinkle **parsley** over top.
- Sprinkle with remaining chili flakes, if desired.

Crumble bacon over plated rigatoni.

Dinner Solved!