



# One-Pot Basil Chicken Pasta

with homemade tomato sauce

## (i) You will need

Olive Oil, Salt, Pepper Medium Pot, Colander

# Before you cook

Take a minute to read through the recipe before you startwe promise it will be time well spent!

- ☐ Bring a medium pot of **water** to a boil
- ☐ Thoroughly rinse produce and pat dry
- ☐ Ingredient(s) used more than once: Parmesan



## Cook the Pasta

- Once water is boiling, add pasta and cook until al dente, 6-9
- Reserve ½ cup pasta cooking water. Drain pasta in a colander, shaking to remove as much water as possible.
- Reserve pot; no need to wipe clean.
- While pasta cooks, prepare ingredients.



## Prepare the Ingredients

- Mince garlic.
- Core tomatoes and cut into 1/4" dice.
- Stem and coarsely chop basil.
- Pat chicken breasts dry and, on a separate cutting board, cut into 1" dice. Season with a pinch of salt and pepper.



### Start the Chicken

- Return pot used to cook pasta to medium-high heat and add 2 tsp. olive oil.
- Add diced chicken and cook on one side until golden brown,
- Transfer chicken to a plate. Chicken will finish cooking in a later step.
- Reserve pot; no need to wipe clean.



#### Make the Sauce

- Return pot used to cook chicken to medium-high heat. Add 2 tsp. olive oil, tomato paste, and garlic and stir constantly until aromatic, 30-60 seconds.
- Add tomatoes and cook until softened, 1 minute.
- Add ¼ cup reserved pasta water and bring to boil. Once boiling, add chicken and stir occasionally until chicken reaches a minimum internal temperature of 165 degrees, 2-3 minutes.
- Season with ½ tsp. salt and a pinch of pepper.



#### Add the Pasta

- Add cooked pasta and half the Parmesan (reserve remaining for garnish) to pot and toss with sauce. If too dry, add remaining pasta cooking water 1 Tbsp. at a time until desired consistency is reached.
- · Remove from burner and stir in basil and red pepper flakes (to taste).
- Plate dish as pictured on front of card, garnishing with remaining Parmesan. Bon appétit!

