



# Quick Tomato, Kale & Pesto Orecchiette

with Pear Salad

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Kale



Pear



Orecchiette



Snacking Tomatoes



Basil Pesto



Light Cooking Cream



Vegetable Stock Powder



Mixed Salad Leaves



Shaved Parmesan Cheese



Chicken Breast

Prep in: **20-30 mins**  
Ready in: **20-30 mins**

Eat Me Early\*  
*\*Custom Recipe only*

Ear-shaped orecchiette pasta is the perfect bite-sized vessel for a creamy basil pesto. Complete the dish with blistered cherry tomatoes for a burst of sweetness, a touch of acidity and an extra pop of colour.

**CUSTOM RECIPE** If you chose to swap, upgrade or add protein, follow the custom recipe steps.

### Pantry items

Olive Oil, Vinegar (White Wine or Balsamic)

## Before you start

Wash your hands and any fresh food.

If you're cooking for 6, use the 2 people plus 4 people ingredients and cook meat and veggies in batches

## You will need

Large saucepan · Large frying pan

## Ingredients

	2 People	4 People
<b>olive oil*</b>	refer to method	refer to method
kale	1 medium bag	1 large bag
pear	1	2
orecchiette	1 medium packet	1 large packet
snacking tomatoes	1 punnet	2 punnets
basil pesto	2 packets	4 packets
light cooking cream	1 medium packet	1 large packet
vegetable stock powder	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
<b>vinegar*</b> (white wine or balsamic)	drizzle	drizzle
mixed salad leaves	1 small bag	1 medium bag
shaved Parmesan cheese	1 packet (26g)	1 packet (52g)
chicken breast**	1 small packet	1 large packet

\*Pantry Items \*\*Custom Recipe Ingredient

## Nutrition

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	3640kJ (870Cal)	871kJ (208Cal)
Protein (g)	23.5g	5.6g
Fat, total (g)	47g	11.2g
- saturated (g)	14g	3.3g
Carbohydrate (g)	82.4g	19.7g
- sugars (g)	13.2g	3.2g
Sodium (mg)	999mg	239mg

### Custom Recipe

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	4400kJ (1052Cal)	755kJ (180Cal)
Protein (g)	56.8g	9.7g
Fat, total (g)	52.3g	9g
- saturated (g)	15.6g	2.7g
Carbohydrate (g)	82.4g	14.1g
- sugars (g)	13.2g	2.3g
Sodium (mg)	1087mg	186mg

The quantities provided above are averages only.

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## Get prepped

- Boil the kettle.
- Tear **kale leaves** from stems, then roughly chop leaves.
- Thinly slice **pear** into wedges

**Custom Recipe:** If you've added chicken breast, cut chicken into 2cm chunks.



## Bring it all together

- Meanwhile, heat a large frying pan over high heat with a drizzle of **olive oil**. Cook **snacking tomatoes**, stirring occasionally, until blistered, **3-5 minutes**.
- Reduce heat to medium. Add **kale** and cook until wilted, **1-2 minutes**.
- Add **basil pesto**, **light cooking cream**, cooked **orecchiette**, **vegetable stock powder** and reserved **pasta water**. Cook, stirring, until combined and heated through, **1-2 minutes**. Season to taste. Remove from heat.

**Custom Recipe:** Before cooking the tomatoes, cook chicken, tossing occasionally, until browned and cooked through (when no longer pink inside), 5-6 minutes. Transfer to a bowl. After cooking the kale, return chicken to pan, then continue as above.



## Cook the pasta

- Pour the boiled water into a large saucepan over high heat. Add a pinch of **salt** and bring to the boil.
- Cook **orecchiette** in the boiling water until 'al dente', **8 minutes**.
- Reserve some **pasta water** (¼ cup for 2 people / ½ cup for 4 people), then drain **pasta** and return to saucepan.

**TIP:** 'Al dente' pasta is cooked through but still slightly firm in the centre.



## Serve up

- In a large bowl, combine a drizzle of **vinegar** and olive oil. Season, then add pear and **mixed salad leaves**. Toss to coat.
- Divide tomato, kale and pesto orecchiette between bowls. Sprinkle with **shaved Parmesan cheese**. Serve with pear salad. Enjoy!

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