

# **Courgette and Pesto Soup** with goat's cheese and croutons

Family Veggie 35-40 mins · Equipment needed



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Garlic

Baguette

Pantry Items: Oil, Salt, Pepper, Water



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#### Before you start

Our fruit, veg and herbs need a wash before you use them! We recommend reading the recipe in full before beginning to cook.

#### Cooking tools you will need

Baking sheet with baking paper, grater, blender, peeler, pot with lid

## Ingredients

	2P	4P
Courgette	1 unit	2 units
Potatoes	1 unit	2 units
Hello Muscat	2 sachets	4 sachets
Green Pesto	1 sachet	2 sachets
Goat's Cheese	100 g	200 g
Garlic	2 units	4 units
Middle Eastern Style Spice Mix	2 sachets	4 sachets
Baguette	2 units	4 units
Leek	1 unit	2 units

# Nutrition

	Per serving	Per 100g
for uncooked ingredients	524 g	100 g
Energy (kJ/kcal)	3255.2 kJ/ 778 kcal	621.2 kJ/ 148.5 kcal
Fat (g)	28 g	5.3 g
Sat. Fat (g)	10.8 g	2.1 g
Carbohydrate (g)	107.7 g	20.6 g
Sugars (g)	12.2 g	2.3 g
Protein (g)	27.6 g	5.3 g
Salt (g)	7.2 g	1.4 g

Nutrition for uncooked ingredients based on 2 person recipe, excludes Pantry Items.

# Allergens

For allergen information please refer to the website or individual ingredient labels.

Please check the ingredients you already have at home to ensure that they are safe for your allergen and dietary needs.

Wash your hands before and after handling ingredients. Wash fruit and vegetables, but not meat. Use different chopping boards and utensils for raw and ready-to-eat foods or wash these in between uses.

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### Get Prepped

- Preheat your oven to 220°C/200°C fan/gas mark
  7. Boil 600ml water (double for 4p).
- Peel and grate the garlic (or use a garlic press).
- Trim the root and the dark green leafy part from the **leek**. Halve lengthways, then thinly slice.
- Chop the **potato** into small cubes (peeling optional).
- Run a peeler lengthways along the **courgette** to create thin ribbons (three per person). Cut the remaining **courgette** into cubes.



## Soften the Veg

- Place a large pot over medium heat with a drizzle of **oil**.
- Once hot, fry the **leek** until softened, 4-6 mins.
- Add the **courgette** cubes and **garlic**. Cook, stirring, for 3 mins.



## Add the Potatoes

- Increase the heat to high.
- Add the **potato**, boiling **water**, **Middle Eastern spice** and **muscat** to the pot.
- Bring back to the boil, cover and cook for 10 mins over medium-low heat.
- Meanwhile, place a pan over medium heat with a drizzle of **oil**.
- Fry the **courgette** ribbons until tender, 4-5 mins. Turn halfway through.



#### Make the Croutons

- Roughly tear the **baguettes** into 2cm chunks.
- Pop onto a lined baking tray then toss with a drizzle of **oil** and a pinch of **salt** and **pepper**.
- Bake in the oven until crispy and golden brown, 8-10 mins.



# Finish the Soup

- Remove the soup from the heat and blend until smooth.
- Add a little extra water if the consistency is too thick.
- Add the **pesto** and stir to warm through.
- Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**.



#### **Garnish and Serve**

- Divide the soup between bowls.
- Top with the crunchy croutons and crumble over the **goat's cheese**.
- Garnish with the tender **courgette** ribbons.

**Enjoy!**