

One-Pot Cheesy Chicken Meatballs & Penne

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with Baby Spinach Leaves

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Prep in: **30-40** mins Ready in: **50-60** mins

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In just one pot, whip up this chicken and pasta fusion dish that takes all of our favourite flavours and combines them into this masterpiece. Let Aussie-spiced chicken meatballs take centre stage as the herby sauce cooks right to perfection and finish it off with a sprinkling of Parmesan cheese!

Pantry items Olive Oil, Egg, Butter

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 with a lid

Ingredients

	2 People	4 People
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method
chicken mince	1 medium packet	1 large packet
fine breadcrumbs	1 medium packet	1 large packet
Aussie spice blend	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
egg*	1	2
tomato	1	2
garlic & herb seasoning	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
penne	1 medium packet	1 large packet
chicken stock pot	1 packet (20g)	2 packets (40g)
boiling water*	2 cups	4 cups
light cooking cream	1 medium packet	1 large packet
baby spinach leaves	1 medium bag	1 large bag
butter*	20g	40g
shaved Parmesan cheese	1 packet (26g)	1 packet (52g)
diced bacon**	1 packet (90g)	1 packet (180g)

*Pantry Items **Custom Recipe Ingredient

Nutrition

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	3589kJ (858Cal)	807kJ (193Cal)
Protein (g)	51.5g	11.6g
Fat, total (g)	32.8g	7.4g
- saturated (g)	18g	4g
Carbohydrate (g)	85.9g	19.3g
- sugars (g)	10.6g	2.4g
Sodium (mg)	1873mg	421mg

Custom Recipe

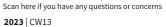
Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	3979kJ (951Cal)	813kJ (194Cal)
Protein (g)	58.2g	11.9g
Fat, total (g)	39.7g	8.1g
- saturated (g)	20.5g	4.2g
Carbohydrate (g)	86.7g	17.7g
- sugars (g)	11.1g	2.3g
Sodium (mg)	2305mg	471mg

The quantities provided above are averages only.

Allergens

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Get prepped

- In a medium bowl, combine chicken mince, fine breadcrumbs, Aussie spice blend, the egg and a pinch of **salt** and **pepper**. Set aside to rest for 5 minutes.
- Boil the kettle. Roughly chop tomato.

TIP: Letting the mixture rest helps the meatballs hold their shape while cooking.



Make the meatballs

• Using damp hands, roll heaped spoonfuls of chicken mixture into meatalls (4-5 per person). Transfer to a plate.



Cook the meatballs

- In a large saucepan, heat a generous drizzle of olive oil over medium-high heat.
- Cook **meatballs**, turning, until browned and cooked through, 3-5 minutes (cook in batches if your pan is getting crowded). Transfer to a plate.
- · Return pan to medium-high heat with a drizzle of olive oil. Cook tomato, stirring, until softened, 2-3 minutes.

Custom Recipe: If you've added diced bacon, cook diced bacon with the tomato, breaking bacon up with a spoon, until golden, 4-5 minutes.

Finish the sauce

• Remove lid from pan and stir in light cooking cream, baby spinach leaves, the butter and 1/2 the **shaved Parmesan cheese**, until leaves are wilted and the sauce has slightly thickened, 1-2 minutes. Season to taste.

Serve up

- Divide one-pot cheesy chicken meatballs and penne between bowls.
- Top with remaining Parmesan cheese to serve. Enjoy!





Start the sauce

- To pan, add garlic & herb seasoning and cook until fragrant, 1 minute.
- Add penne, chicken stock pot and the boiling water (2 cups for 2 people / 4 cups for 4 people) and return meatballs, stirring to combine. Bring to the boil then reduce heat to mediumlow. Cover with a lid and simmer, stirring occasionally, until penne is 'al dente', 15-20 minutes.