Spinach Cheese Pasta Bake

Ingredients:

- 300g pasta
- 1 bag of spinach
- 1 tub of cream cheese
- Grated cheese
- 2 Tins of chopped tomatoes
- 2 teaspoon Italian herbs
- Garlic



Add minced meat or leftover chicken before baking

Use up your:



Method:

- Heat the oven to 180c/160f/gas4.
- In a mixing bowl add spinach, cream cheese, pasta and mix. Pour the mixture into an ovenproof dish.
- Mix the tomatoes, herbs and garlic in the same bowl and pour over the pasta mixture and mix.
- Cover and bake in the oven for 35-40 minutes. Sprinkle the hard cheese evenly over the top, return to the oven and cook for a further 5 minutes.

5 ways to use up spinach



Smoothies

Fresh or frozen spinach makes for a great smoothie boost



Salads

Replace lettuce with iron filled spinach in your salads



Add it to a curry

Spinach can bulk up a simple curry



Spinach dip

Just add cream cheese, garlic & cheese for a party favourite



Pesto

Try swapping basil for spinach!



Chef's tip:

Spinach can be cooked from frozen.

Blend it and freeze in ice cube trays to save space, use it in soups, smoothies, etc.

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