



DINNER TWIST  
LOCAL, HEALTHY, DELIVERED



### Product Spotlight: Walnuts


Walnuts have been recognised since ancient times as a symbol of intellectuality and are a good source of Omega-3s, which support brain and heart health.




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## Spinach Casarecce with Roasted Vegetables and Nut Cheese

Blended roasted capsicum and zucchini make the base for this family-friendly pasta with added flavour from fresh basil and nut cheese, finished with crunchy walnuts.

 30 minutes

 2 servings

 Plant-Based

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### Bulk it up!

*You can add any other vegetables you like to the roasting tray. Sweet potato, pumpkin and tomatoes, would all work beautifully. You could also add some spinach and extra tomato sugo.*

Per serve: **PROTEIN** 13g **TOTAL FAT** 36g **CARBOHYDRATES** 108g

## FROM YOUR BOX

SHALLOT	1
GARLIC CLOVES	2
RED CAPSICUM	1
ZUCCHINI	1
NUT BASED CHEESE	1 packet
WALNUTS	1 packet (20g)
BASIL	1 packet (20g)
SPINACH CASARECCE	1 packet

## FROM YOUR PANTRY

olive oil, salt, pepper, balsamic vinegar, dried oregano

## KEY UTENSILS

oven dish, saucepan, stick mixer

## NOTES

You can toast the chopped walnuts in a dry frypan for 1-2 minutes for extra crunch.

Nut cheeses tend to soften quite quickly. Pop the grated cheese back into the fridge until serving.



### 1. ROAST THE VEGETABLES

Set oven to 220°C, bring a saucepan of water to the boil. Wedge shallot and crush garlic. Dice capsicum and cut zucchini into rounds. Toss in a lined oven dish with **2 tbsp olive oil, 1 1/2 tbsp balsamic vinegar, 1 tsp oregano, salt and pepper.** Cook for 20 minutes or until tender.



### 2. PREPARE THE TOPPINGS

Grate the cheese, roughly chop walnuts (see notes) and basil leaves. Keep separate on a plate.



### 3. COOK THE CASARECCE

Add casarecce to boiling water and cook according to packet instructions. Drain reserving **3/4 cup water** and return to pan.



### 4. MAKE THE SAUCE

Place half the roasted capsicum and courgettes into a jug. Use a stick mixer to blend with reserved pasta water.



### 5. TOSS THE PASTA

Add blended sauce and remaining vegetables to the pasta along with half the cheese and basil. Toss together well and season to taste with **salt and pepper.**



### 6. FINISH AND SERVE

Serve pasta into bowls and top with remaining cheese, basil and walnuts.

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