

Dinner

# One Skillet Pasta with Chicken and Broccoli

**15 Mins**  
Prep Time

**30 Mins**  
Cook Time


**4**  
Servings

 **502** Calories **16g** Fat **45g** Carbs **38g** Protein

## Ingredients

 **4** Servings  **45 Mins** Total Time

 **Allergens:** Gluten, Dairy

**1 lb.** Boneless, Skinless Chicken Breasts   
trimmed and cut into 1" pieces

**3 Tbsp** Extra Virgin Olive Oil, divided

**1** Onion, diced

**6** Cloves Garlic, minced 

**½ Tsp** Oregano

**½ Cup** Dry White Wine (If you prefer to not use wine, deglaze the pan with **2 Tbsp** white wine vinegar mixed with **6 Tbsp** water.)

**2½ Cups** Water

**2 Cups** Low-Sodium Chicken Broth

**8 oz** Penne Pasta, dry

**8 oz** Broccoli Florets, **washed** and cut into bite-sized pieces

**½ Cup** Parmesan Cheese, grated, plus more for serving

Salt and Pepper, to taste



### Nourishment Note



#### **Broccoli**

Broccoli is rich in nutrients, including vitamin C, which is essential for immune function. It also contains many different antioxidants which can help lower inflammation and protect health.



#### **Garlic**

Garlic is anti-inflammatory and may help protect against certain types of cancer.



#### **Chicken**

Chicken is a lean source of protein and may provide your body with the building blocks it needs to build healthy cells.

### Allergen Swap

**Gluten** Use a gluten-free pasta; adjust cooking time accordingly

**Dairy** Omit Parmesan cheese or replace with a vegan Parmesan

## Instructions

### 1. Wash Hands

Wash hands with soap and water.

### 2. Cook Chicken

Pat chicken dry with a clean paper towel and season generously with salt and pepper. In a large skillet, heat 1 Tbsp olive oil over medium-high heat. Add chicken in a single layer and brown without stirring for about 1 minute. Flip chicken and cook until almost cooked through, about 3 minutes longer; transfer chicken to a bowl.

### 3. Add Onion & Spices

Again, add 1 Tbsp olive oil to the skillet and heat over medium heat. Add diced onions and a pinch of salt and cook until softened, 5-7 minutes. Add garlic and oregano and cook until fragrant, about 30 seconds.

### 4. Stir In Wine

Stir in wine to deglaze the pan. Allow to nearly evaporate for 1-2 minutes. Add water, chicken broth and pasta. Increase heat to medium-high, and allow to rapidly simmer, stirring often, until pasta is al dente, about 12 minutes.

### 5. Add Broccoli & Pasta

Add broccoli and cook until pasta and broccoli are tender, 3-5 minutes. Stir in chicken and accumulated juices, and cook until heated through, about 1 minute.

### 6. Add Parmesan Cheese

Take the skillet off the stove and stir in ½ cup grated Parmesan cheese and drizzle with an additional tablespoon of olive oil. Season with salt and pepper, to taste.

### 7. Serve & Enjoy!

Serve with additional Parmesan cheese and enjoy!

### 8. Wash Hands

Wash hands with soap and water.

## What You'll Need



Cutting Board



Knife



Paper Towel



Measuring Cups



Measuring Spoons



Large Skillet



Bowl



Tongs



Mixing Spoon



Cheese Grater

### Breathe Better Food Tip

- Broccoli, onions and/or garlic may cause gas and bloating in some people, which can make breathing seem more difficult.
- Swap broccoli for other vegetables, like spinach or zucchini. Onions and garlic can be left out and replaced with other herbs and spices, like basil, thyme, parsley or chives.

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