



Cheesy Bacon & Leek Pesto Risotto

with Garlic Pangrattato

CLIMATE SUPERSTAR

Grab your meal kit with this number

2



Leek



Garlic



Diced Bacon



Garlic & Herb Seasoning



Risotto-Style Rice



Panko Breadcrumbs



Baby Leaves



Plant-Based Basil Pesto



Grated Parmesan Cheese



Chicken Breast



Diced Bacon

Prep in: 20-30 mins
Ready in: 45-55 mins

This risotto is green and keen. Leek and bacon are coming together to form an unstoppable duo with plenty of flavour from the basil pesto stirred through, plus a crunchy garlic pangrattato for yummy texture. We won't keep you any longer, dig in!

Pantry items

Olive Oil, Butter

Before you start

Wash hands and fresh veggies. Avoid cross contamination by washing utensils after handling raw meat/poultry. Always use separate utensils for raw and cooked meat.

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 frying pan · Medium or large baking dish

Ingredients

	2 People	4 People
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method
leek	1	2
garlic	1 clove	2 cloves
diced bacon	1 medium packet	2 medium packets OR 1 large packet
garlic & herb seasoning	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
risotto-style rice	1 packet	2 packets
water*	2 cups	4 cups
panko breadcrumbs	½ medium packet	1 medium packet
baby leaves	1 medium packet	1 large packet
plant-based basil pesto	1 medium packet	2 medium packets
butter*	20g	40g
grated Parmesan cheese	1 medium packet	1 large packet

*Pantry Items

Nutrition

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	3470kJ (829cal)	545kJ (130cal)
Protein (g)	25g	3.9g
Fat, total (g)	39.4g	6.2g
- saturated (g)	14.2g	2.2g
Carbohydrate (g)	90g	14.1g
- sugars (g)	5.1g	0.8g
Sodium (mg)	1161mg	182.3mg
Dietary Fibre (g)	1.5g	0.2g

The quantities provided above are averages only.

Allergens

Always read product labels for the most up-to-date allergen information.

Visit hellofresh.co.nz/foodinfo for allergen and ingredient information. If you have received a substitute ingredient, please be aware allergens may have changed.



Get prepped

- Preheat oven to **220°C/200°C fan-forced**.
- Thinly slice **leek**.
- Finely chop **garlic**.



Make the pangrattato

- Meanwhile, wipe out the frying pan, then return to medium-high heat with a drizzle of **olive oil**. Cook **panko breadcrumbs (see ingredients)**, stirring, until golden brown, **3 minutes**.
- Add **garlic** and cook until fragrant, **1-2 minutes**. Transfer to a medium bowl and season to taste.



Start the risotto

- In a large frying pan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** over medium-high heat. Cook **diced bacon** and **leek**, breaking up with a spoon, until golden, **3-4 minutes**.
- Add **garlic & herb seasoning** and **risotto-style rice**, stirring, until fragrant, **1-2 minutes**.
- Add the **water** and bring to the boil, then remove from heat.



Bring it all together

- Remove **risotto** from oven, then stir through **baby leaves, plant-based basil pesto**, the **butter** and **grated Parmesan cheese**.
- Stir through a splash of **water** to loosen the **risotto** if needed. Season to taste.



Bake the risotto

- Transfer **risotto** to a baking dish. Cover tightly with foil and bake until liquid is absorbed and **rice** is 'al dente', **24-28 minutes**.

TIP: 'Al dente' rice is cooked through but still slightly firm in the centre.



Serve up

- Divide cheesy bacon and leek risotto between bowls.
- Top with garlic pangrattato to serve. Enjoy!

We're here to help!

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CUSTOM OPTIONS

+ ADD CHICKEN BREAST

Cut into bite-sized pieces. Cook until cooked through, 4-6 minutes. Stir through finished risotto.

+ DOUBLE DICED BACON

Follow method above, cooking in batches if necessary.

If you've chosen to add, swap or upgrade, scan the QR code to see detailed cooking instructions and nutrition information.

