

SPELT PASTA WITH BROCCOLI PESTO

Prep: 30mins - Serves 4 - Easy

250g dried spelt fusilli
1 medium head of broccoli (550g)
1 garlic clove
60g walnuts
30g parmesan + extra for serving
2 handfuls of basil
½ tsp salt
juice of ½ lemon
80ml olive oil
pepper

- 1. Cut the broccoli into small florets and cook in salted, boiling water for 5 minutes. Drain and put into a blender.
- 2. Fill the saucepan that you cooked the broccoli in with boiling, salted water and cook the spelt fusilli for 12 minutes until al dente.
- 3. Meanwhile, peel the garlic clove and add to the blender, together with the walnuts, parmesan, basil and salt. Blend into a smooth pesto, adding the olive oil and lemon juice while pulsing. Add another 50ml cooking water from the boiling pasta pot and blend again.
- 4. Drain the pasta and put back into the saucepan together with the pesto, mix and adjust the seasoning if needed.
- 5. Serve each portion with freshly grated parmesan.

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