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# **Pasta Primavera**

Family Friendly

Vegetarian - Low Fat

## Ingredients

# Servings: 8

#### Prep Time: 5 minutes

# Cook Time: 25 minutes

- 1 lb. pasta (rotini or penne recommended)
- 1 large zucchini (or 2 small)
- 1 can mixed vegetables, 14.5 oz, drained
- 1 can diced tomatoes, 14.5 oz, drained
  1/3 cup parmesan cheese, shredded
  - 1/4 cup milk
- 1/4 cup mink
- 1 tbsp garlic powder
  - 1 tsp Italian seasoning

### **Directions**

- 1. Chop zucchini and set aside.
- 2. Boil pasta according to package directions.
- Three minutes before the pasta is finished, add chopped zucchini to the boiling water.
- 4. Reserve 1 cup of pasta water. Strain pasta and zucchini.
- 5. Return pasta, zucchini, and 1 cup water to the pot and place on medium heat.
- Add mixed vegetables, tomatoes, milk, cheese and seasonings. Stir and simmer for 5-10 minutes until combined.

