Roasted Cauliflower Arugula Pasta



INGREDIENTS

- 2 heads Romanesco or 1 head cauliflower (or a mix of both!)
- 2 oz. baby arugula (about 2 handfuls) or kale
- 2 Tablespoons olive oil, separated
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon black pepper
- 10 oz. whole wheat pasta, shape of choice
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- Juice of 1 lemon
- 1/4 cup grated pecorino cheese
- 1/4 teaspoon red pepper flakes

Make the most of multi-tasking and prepare the pasta while the veggies are in the oven for this easy roasted Romanesco arugula pasta with lemon and garlic!

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat the oven to 425°F.
- 2. Trim the leaves and stem from the Romanesco or cauliflower and break it into small florets.
- 3. On a sheet pan, toss the Romanesco or cauliflower with 1 Tablespoon olive oil, salt and pepper and spread into an even layer, making sure the florets are not overlapping. Roast for 20-25 minutes until the Romanesco is brown at the edges.
- 4. While the Romanesco is roasting, cook the pasta until al dente according to the package instructions.
- 5. In the last couple minutes the pasta is cooking, heat 1 Tablespoon olive oil in a large skillet. Sauté the garlic until fragrant, about 30 seconds.
- 6. Use a slotted spoon to transfer the pasta from the pot to the skillet along with the roasted Romanesco/cauliflower.
- 7. Stir in the lemon juice and arugula. Then fold in the pecorino and red pepper flakes.
- 8. Enjoy!

Nutrition Facts

Calories 382, Total Fat 10 g, Saturated Fat 2 g, Total Carbohydrate 64 g, Protein 17 g, Sodium 734 mg, Sugar 5 g, Cholesterol 5 mg, Dietary Fiber 11 g, Calcium 152 mg