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## Pasta with Vegetable Sauce

#### Ingredients (Serves 2)

- 500ml boiling water
- 100g wholemeal or brown pasta
- Selection of vegetables, such as mushrooms, peas, carrots or whatever vegetables you have
- 400g tin chopped tomatoes
- 1 small onion, chopped
- Optional: 1 garlic clove, chopped
- 1 tsp mixed herbs

#### Tip

Blend sauce for a smooth consistency. This can also be used as a base for other tomato-based sauces such as Bolognese, lasagne or pizza sauce.

#### **Equipment Needed**

- Chopping board
- Sharp knife
- Tin opener
- Peeler (if applicable)
- Teaspoon
- Large microwaveable container or bowl x2
- Wooden spoon
- Plate or alternative for covering bowl
- Sieve



### Method

- 1. Weigh pasta into a large microwaveable container and pour over 500ml boiling water or enough to cover 1 inch above the pasta.
- 2. Cover, leaving space for ventilation and microwave on HIGH (800W) for 5 minutes.
- 3. Remove. Stand for 2 minutes, drain and set aside.
- 4. Meanwhile wash and chop the vegetables.
- 5. Place vegetables into a different microwaveable container. Add chopped tomatoes and mixed herbs. Stir.
- 6. Cover, leaving space for ventilation and microwave on HIGH (800W) for 4 minutes.
- 7. Remove from microwave. Stir, then cover.
- 8. Microwave on HIGH (800W) for further 4 minutes.

