

## Ratatouille

Prep Time: 20 min Cook Time: 60 min Serves: 4

## **NUTRITION FACTS, PER SERVING:**

345 calories 16 g fat 290 mg sodium



# INGREDIENTS: \*\* Items not included in kit

- 2 small eggplant
- 6 Roma tomatoes
- 2 yellow squash
- 2 zucchini

#### **SAUCE:**

- 2 TB olive oil\*\*
- 1 cup diced onion
- 4 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 cup red bell pepper, diced
- 1 cup yellow bell pepper, diced
- Salt & pepper, to taste\*\*
- 28 oz. can crushed tomatoes
- Crushed red pepper flakes, to taste
- 2 TB chopped fresh basil

#### **HERB SEASONING:**

- 2 TB chopped fresh basil
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 2 TB chopped fresh parsley
- 2 tsp fresh thyme
- Salt & pepper, to taste\*\*
- 4 TB olive oil\*\*

#### **DIRECTIONS:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Note: You can use an oven safe round pan to prep and bake this dish or you can use a separate pan to prepare the sauce and assemble in a greased baking dish.
- 2. Slice eggplant, tomatoes, squash, & zucchini into 1/4 inch rounds, set aside. Dice red & yellow bell peppers to equal 1 cup each. Mince garlic cloves, set aside in a pile of 4 cloves and 1 clove. Chop basil, parsley, and remove thyme leaves from stems, set aside.
- 3. HERB SEASONING: In a small bowl, mix together the ingredients listed under **Herb Seasoning**, set aside.
- 4. SAUCE: Heat **2 TB olive oil** in a large oven-safe pan over medium high heat. Sauté the **diced onion**, **diced red bell pepper**, and **diced yellow bell pepper** for 8 minutes. Add **4 cloves minced garlic** and season with **salt & pepper to taste**, cooking for 2 minutes more. Add the **28 oz. can crushed tomatoes** and stir until all ingredients are fully incorporated. Remove pan from the heat and stir in **2 TB chopped basil**. If using same pan to bake in oven, smooth out the surface of the sauce **OR** if using a baking dish, pour sauce into greased baking dish and smooth out the surface of the sauce.
- 5. Arrange the **sliced eggplant, tomatoes, squash, and zucchini** in alternating patterns on top of the sauce from the outer edge to the middle of the pan or in rows. Spoon the **Herb Seasoning** from Step 3 over the vegetables.
- 6. Cover the pan with foil and bake for 40 minutes. Uncover, and bake for another 20 minutes, until the vegetables are softened.

Food provided in this meal kit may have come in contact with, or may contain peanuts, tree nuts, soy, milk, eggs, wheat, fish, or shellfish.







