Ingredients needed for:	_ Name:

## WHITE SAUCE/PASTA BAKE

## **Ingredients**

200g pasta

30g butter

30g plain flour

250ml milk

75g cheese

Added ingredients such as tuna, ham, cooked bacon, spring onions,

tomatoes, sweetcorn, etc.

Container/baking dish

## **Equipment**

Saucepan

Wooden spoon

Colander/sieve

Baking dish

Grater

Knife

Chopping board

Non slip mat

## Method

- 1. Preheat oven to Gas 5 or 180oC and collect equipment.
- 2. Bring a large pan of water to the boil. When boiling, add the pasta and cook for 8-10 minutes until 'al dente'.
- 3. Whilst the pasta is cooking, chop all of the meat and vegetables into bite-size pieces and grate the cheese. Set aside.
- 4. Drain the pasta and cool until cold water. Set aside.
- 5. Place flour, butter and milk into the pan.
- 6. Turn hob on medium and start to stir mixture.
- 7. Continue to stir while mixture thickens.
- 8. When it is bubbling, turn down heat and allow to simmer gently until thickened to the consistency of double cream.
- 9. Add seasoning, then stir in the cooked pasta and other ingredients.
- 10. Transfer to the baking dish, sprinkle with the grated cheese, then bake for 15-20 minutes or grill under a preheated grill for 5 minutes until golden brown.