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Creamy Pea & Bacon Salad

with **crispy croutons**

Get bowled over with this creamy dreamy loaded salad. We're talking crispy bacon, plumped peas, carrot ribbons, cucumber rounds, fresh parsley, and crunchy croutons. All coated in a heavenly creamy mayo sauce. So delish!

Hands-on Time: 30 minutes

Overall Time: 40 minutes

Serves: 4 People

Chef: Kelly Fletcher

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 **No paired wines**

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Ingredients & Prep

16 strips	Streaky Pork Bacon
400g	Peas
2	Baguettes <i>cut into small bite-sized chunks</i>
240g	Carrot <i>rinsed, trimmed, & peeled into ribbons</i>
400g	Cucumber <i>rinsed & cut into thin rounds</i>
10g	Fresh Parsley <i>rinsed, picked & finely chopped</i>
200ml	Creamy Mayo <i>(100ml That Mayo (Original) & 100ml Sour Cream)</i>

From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)
Salt & Pepper
Water
Paper Towel

1. CRISPY BACON Place a pan over medium-high heat. When hot, add the bacon strips and fry until browned and crispy, 1-2 minutes per side. Remove from the pan, drain on paper towel, and roughly chop.

2. PLUMP PEAS Boil the kettle. Submerge the peas in boiling water until plump, 2-3 minutes. Drain and set aside.

3. CRUNCHY CROUTONS Toss the baguette chunks in a drizzle of olive oil and seasoning. Return the pan, wiped down, to medium heat. When hot, toast the bread until crispy, 4-5 minutes (shifting occasionally). Remove from the pan and drain on paper towel.

4. LOADED SALAD To a salad bowl, add the plumped peas, the carrot ribbons, the cucumber rounds, the chopped bacon, the chopped parsley, ½ the croutons, and the creamy mayo. Mix to combine and season.

5. SERVICE, PLEASE! Bowl up the creamy pea salad and top with the remaining croutons. Enjoy, Chef!



Chef's Tip

Air fryer method: Coat the baguette chunks in oil and seasoning. Air fry at 200°C until crispy, 6-8 minutes (shifting halfway).

Nutritional Information

Per 100g

Energy	684kJ
Energy	163kcal
Protein	6.2g
Carbs	22g
of which sugars	3.9g
Fibre	2.7g
Fat	5.7g
of which saturated	2g
Sodium	279mg

Allergens

Gluten, Dairy, Wheat, Sulphites

Cook
within
4 Days