DINNERLY



Creamy Cajun Shrimp with Buttery Grits

It doesn't have to be Mardi Gras for us to be inspired by the food of the The Big Easy! We've re-imagined two New Orleans favorites—Cajun shrimp and creamy grits. We've got you covered!

20-30min 🛛 🕺 2 Servings

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WHAT WE SEND

- 3 oz grits
- garlic (use 1 large clove)
- 1 oz scallions
- 4 oz roasted red peppers
- 1/2 lb pkg shrimp 2,17
- Cajun seasoning (use ¼-½ tsp)
- 1 pkt cream cheese ⁷

WHAT YOU NEED

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- olive oil
- butter ⁷

TOOLS

- small saucepan
- medium skillet

ALLERGENS

Shellfish (2), Milk (7), Sulphites (17). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

NUTRITION PER SERVING

Calories 450kcal, Fat 23g, Carbs 41g, Proteins 24g



1. Cook grits

In a small saucepan, combine **2 cups** water and a pinch of salt. Cover and bring to a boil. Whisk in grits. Reduce heat to low and cook, uncovered, whisking occasionally to prevent sticking, until grains are tender, about 7 minutes. Remove from heat and keep covered until step 5.



2. Prep ingredients

While grits cook, finely chop 1 teaspoon garlic. Trim scallions, then thinly slice. Coarsely chop roasted red peppers. Pat shrimp dry, then season all over with ¼–½ teaspoon of the Cajun seasoning (depending on heat preference).



3. Sear shrimp

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in a medium skillet over medium-high. Add **shrimp** and cook, flipping once, until shrimp are curled and almost cooked through, about 2 minutes. Add **chopped garlic** and **half of the scallions**; cook, stirring, until fragrant, about 30 seconds.

4. Finish shrimp in sauce

Add **cream cheese**, **peppers**, and ¹/₃ **cup water** to skillet with **shrimp**. Cook, stirring, until cream cheese is melted, sauce is slightly thickened, and shrimp are cooked through, 1–2 minutes. Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**.



5. Finish grits & serve

Return saucepan with grits to medium heat and whisk in 2 tablespoons butter until melted, about 1 minute. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Serve creamy Cajun shrimp over buttery grits and garnish with remaining scallions. Enjoy!



6. Amp up the heat!

Kick up the spice factor for a real Southern dish by adding more Cajun spice as desired.