# **DINNERLY**



# Fried Chicken with Spinach Salad & Creamy Garlic Dressing



20-30min 2 Servings



We're bringing you fried chicken in a flash, and guess what? It doesn't involve a Colonel or a bucket. We know what you're thinking...homemade fried chicken on a weeknight? Stay with us. The chicken is pounded thin, breaded, and pan-fried (instead of deep-fried) to golden perfection. With a quick spinach salad, this is a surefire winner, winner, chicken dinner. We've got you covered!

## **WHAT WE SEND**

- · 2 scallions
- · 2 oz roasted red peppers
- 10 oz pkg boneless, skinless chicken breast
- 1 oz sour cream 3
- ¼ oz Italian seasoning
- · 5 oz baby spinach

#### WHAT YOU NEED

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- garlic
- white wine vinegar (or apple cider vinegar)
- · olive oil
- 34 cup all-purpose flour 1
- 1 large egg<sup>2</sup>

#### **TOOLS**

- meat mallet (or heavy skillet)
- medium heavy skillet (preferably cast-iron)

# **ALLERGENS**

Wheat (1), Egg (2), Milk (3). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

#### **NUTRITION PER SERVING**

Calories 650kcal, Fat 36g, Carbs 42g, Protein 43g



# 1. Prep ingredients

Trim ends from **scallions**, then thinly slice on an angle. Pat **roasted red peppers** dry.

Pat **chicken** dry; pound with a meat mallet (or heavy skillet) to an even ¼-inch thickness. Season with **salt** and **pepper**.



# 2. Make dressing

Finely grate % teaspoon garlic into a small bowl, then add sour cream, a pinch of Italian seasoning, 1 tablespoon water, and 1 teaspoon vinegar. Whisk in 2 tablespoons oil, then season to taste with salt and pepper. Thin by stirring in 1 teaspoon water at a time, as needed.



## 3. Bread chicken

In a shallow bowl, whisk to combine ¾ cup flour, 1 tablespoon Italian seasoning, and ½ teaspoon salt.

In a second bowl, beat 1 large egg, 1 tablespoon water, and a pinch each of salt and pepper.

Dredge **chicken** in flour, then dip in egg. Let excess egg drip back into bowl. Repeat by dipping in flour, then egg, then flour again.



4. Pan-fry chicken

Heat ¼ inch oil in a medium heavy skillet (preferably cast-iron) over medium-high until shimmering (it should sizzle vigorously by adding a pinch of flour). Add chicken; cook, turning occasionally, until golden and crisp, about 3 minutes per side. Transfer to a paper towel-lined plate to drain. Season with a pinch of salt.



5. Make salad & serve

In a serving bowl, toss to combine scallions, roasted peppers, and spinach. Drizzle with oil and a pinch each of salt and pepper.

Serve fried chicken with spinach salad alongside. Spoon some of the creamy dressing over salad and serve remaining alongside for dipping. Enjoy!



6. How to shallow-fry!

We have some quick tricks for the perfect crunch. Make sure your oil is hot: it should reach 350°F with an oil thermometer. If you drop a pinch of flour into the oil, it should sizzle vigorously. When working in batches, always make sure your oil comes back up to temperature in between (if it's browning too quickly, reduce the heat). If too low, the chicken will turn out oily instead of crispy.