

## Garlic Roasted Asparagus

### Ingredients:

3 pounds asparagus, tough ends trimmed rinsed and patted dry  
Salt  
Freshly ground black pepper  
6 tbsp extra-virgin olive oil  
2 ½ tbsp minced garlic  
3 tsp fresh lemon juice  
½ cup pine nuts

### Preparation:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.

Place asparagus in a baking dish and season with salt and pepper.

Heat a small sauté pan over medium heat. Add olive oil and garlic, then lemon juice and pine nuts.

Toast until nuts begin to brown slightly.

Remove from heat and drizzle over asparagus.

Roast in the oven until just cooked.

Serve warm.

Yields 12 servings