

**Choose the letter of the pictures that you think answer the clue.**

Some of many forms of spiral shaped pastas, mostly extruded by machines, resembling screws, aircraft blades double helix, twins, whole with sauce or broken in soups.

**1**  **A**  

Many forms of extruded or hand made strands of pasta some are long, very thin forms of tubular pasta, thinner than spaghetti, others so fine that it resembles the hair of angels.

**2**  **B**  



Commonly known as bow-tie or butterfly pasta, known in Modena as strichetti, eaten with sauce or in soups, a favorite for pasta salads in the US.

**3**  **C**  



Italy is surrounded by water and many forms of pasta reflect the appreciation and use of seafood in the diet, with shapes resembling forms of sea life., snails, shells, etc.

**4**  **D**  

Cylinder-shaped pasta, ends cut at a bias like a pen's steel nibs, a similar one often baked whose name means "engaged" and was once served exclusively at weddings.

**5**  **E**  



Pastina, small forms of pasta used in soups, that look like squares, peppercorns, melon seeds, rice grains, fish roe, barley grains, letters, stars, etc.

**6**  **F**  



A group of wide, flat pasta with variations depending on size, shape and whether edges are ruffled. Smaller shapes are often used in soups.

**7**  **G**  



An egg pasta, often stuffed with ricotta, with their wrappings twisted at both ends like a candy, another that looks like a "beggar's purse", twisted on top

**8**  **H**  

Tubes with ridges, American style, stuffed with cheese, served with red sauce; those with no ridges, filled with meat, vegs, often topped with bechamel sauce

**9**  **J**  

Two forms of pasta expressing anti clerical attitudes, one to deceive the priest, (no filling!) the other to make him choke while eating!

**10**  **K**  

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