

Soft Caramel Almond Cookies

With a sweet Soft Crème Caramels centre



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Ingredients

- 2 ¹/₄ cup flour
- 1 tsp baking
- ¹/₂ tsp baking soda
- ¹/₄ tsp salt
- 1 cup butter, softened
- 1 cup packed brown sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp almond extract
- 1 ¹/₂ cup almond meal
- 128g Werther's Soft Crème Caramels
- Prep Time: 20 minutes Number of portions: 36

Instructions

- **1.** Preheat oven to 325F. Line 2 baking sheets with parchment.
- **2.** Combine flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt in a bowl.
- **3.** In the bowl of an electric mixer, cream butter with brown sugar until light and fluffy about 2 minutes.
- **4.** Add in egg and almond extract and beat to combine.
- **5.** Add in almond meal and stir.
- **6.** Gradually add in dry ingredients and mix on low until evenly combined.
- **7.** Form a ball with about 2 tablespoons of dough. Place on cookie sheet and flatten slightly with finger tips. Repeat with remaining dough.
- **8.** Using the tip of your thumb, make a hole as deep as you can in each dough ball without poking through the bottom.
- 9. Bake cookies for 10 minutes, then remove from oven.
- **10.** Meanwhile, unwrap the caramels and cut each one in half.
- **11.** Place ¹/₂ caramel piece into each of the formed thumb prints. Return cookies to oven immediately and bake until caramels have melted and cookies are golden around the edges, about another 5 minutes.
- **12.** Transfer to a resting rack and let cool for 10 minutes.