## **Choc-Nutella Sandwich Cookies**

20+ Sandwich Cookies

Indulgent, rich cookies just got better when sandwiched with the beauty of Nutella!

## Ingredients

- 390g plain flour + extra for dusting
- 1/4 tsp baking powder
- 250g butter (salted), at room temperature and cubed
- 100g coconut sugar
- 200g caste sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 1 tsp vanilla essence
- 1/2 tsp coffee granules
- 1/2 tsp cinnamon
- 2/3 cup + 2 tbs dutch processed dark cocoa powder
- 1 new Nutella jar (half for eating, half for recipe!)

## **Instructions**

- 1. Sift together the flour, baking powder, cinnamon into a large bowl. Add in the coffee granules.
- 2. Beat the butter, sugars, egg, vanilla essence and cocoa powder in a separate bowl on low.
- 3. Beat till well combined (don't overheat as if it is too air-rated, the cookies will spread)
- 4. On low, gradually beat in the flour mixture, beating till the dough is combined.
- 5. Put the dough onto a large piece of plastic, shape into a disk, and refrigerate for a minimum of 1 hour.
- 6. Preheat oven to 180 degrees C, and line two baking trays with baking paper.
- 7. Dust the bench with flour lightly and on top of the unwrapped, chilled dough.
- 8. Gently roll out until 0.6-1cm thick (at desired thickness, roll a final time with the embossed rolling pin if desired).
- 9. Cut into shapes and place on trays.
- 10. Cover trays lightly with baking paper and refrigerate for an extra 15 minutes to avoid spread.
- 11. Remove the top piece of baking paper and bake for 8-10 minutes, or till edges are firm but the middle is slightly puffed.
- 12. Let cool on trays for 10 minutes before removing and letting cool on wire racks.
- 13. Once at room temperature, flip a cookie, spread generously with Nutella, and twist another cookie on top to sandwich it.
- 14. Repeat process with remaining cookies.
- 15. Dust with icing sugar and serve/devour.

## **Notes**

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