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Classic linzer cookies are festive and infinitely adaptable! Our spin on the traditional treat has a layer of strawberry jam between two buttery shortbread cookies, and a drizzle of white chocolate over the top. A perfect balance of sweetness and brightness. Beautiful and effortless, they're one of the best cookies to give away as gifts or to bring to any cookie swap. We've included festive packaging for you to wrap up these treats and gift away!

Strawberry Linzer Cookies

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WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

EQUIPMENT:

- 2 Rimmed sheet pans
- Small bowl
- Medium bowl
- Standing mixer or large bowl & hand mixer
- Rubber spatula
- Rolling pin
- Small heatproof bowl

FROM YOUR PANTRY:

- Salt
- Plastic wrap

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These delicious cookies do not require that much hands on time in the kitchen, but the dough must be refrigerated for at least 2 hours before rolling and cutting. Be sure to allow yourself plenty of time for this. We think it's the perfect amount of time to cozy up with hot cocoa and your favorite holiday movie.



INGREDIENTS

 $2_{
m pieces}$ Parchment paper $1_{
m 4cups}$ All purpose flour $1_{
m 4tsp}$ Baking powder

1stick Butter

½cup Granulated sugar

1 Egg

2tsp Vanilla extract

2½-inch cookie cutter
1½-inch cookie cutter

2_{0z} White chocolate

1 Piping bag

CHEF NOTES

1.5 DOZEN

1½cups Strawberry jam



1. LET'S PREP

- Preheat oven to 375°.
- Line the rimmed sheet pans with **parchment paper**; set aside.
- Reserve ¼ cup flour in a small bowl for step 3. Combine remaining flour, baking powder, and ¼ teaspoon salt in a medium bowl.



2. JUST BEAT IT

- In the bowl of a standing mixer, or a large bowl, beat the **butter** and **sugar** until light and fluffy.
- Add the egg and vanilla extract. Mix well, making sure to scrape the sides of the bowl once or twice to make sure everything is incorporated. Add the flour mixture and mix until combined.



3. LET IT CHILL & CUT THE DOUGH

- Turn **dough** onto a clean work surface, form into a rectangle, and wrap with plastic wrap.
- Place the dough in the refrigerator and allow to chill for at least 2 hours.
- Dust a clean work surface with **flour** and roll out the dough to 1/8-inch thickness.
- Using the 2½-inch round cookie cutter, cut out 18 circles and place on the prepared sheet pan.
- With the 1½-inch cutter, cut out the centers of these circles, adding the center pieces to the remaining dough.



4. BAKE THE COOKIES

- Roll remaining dough out again to ¼-inch thickness and cut out 18 more 2½-inch cookies and place them on another prepared sheet pan.
- Chill the **sheet pans with cookie dough** in the refrigerator for 15 minutes.
- Bake for 8 to 10 minutes, keeping a close eye on the tops of the cookies as they bake faster than the bottoms. Let cool completely.



5. ASSEMBLE THE COOKIES

- While the cookies are cooling, place white chocolate in a small heatproof bowl and melt in microwave in 30 second increments, stirring in between.
- Transfer to a **piping bag** and cut a small hole from tip from the piping bag.
- Drizzle white chocolate onto cooled cookie tops. After drizzling, carefully lift the cookie so that the chocolate can fall through.
- Spread a layer of strawberry jam on the bottom cookie and place the top on to create a sandwich. Repeat with the remaining cookies.



6. SERVE & ENJOY

 Place the strawberry linzer cookies on a serving platter and enjoy!

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You may have extra of some ingredients.

EST. COOKING TIME: 45 MINUTES

ALLERGENS: PENDING

SKILL LEVEL: // //