

Embossed Thumbprint Cookies

Our festive cutters create elegant cookies to fill with your choice of preserves or a pool of frosting; these beloved buttery cookies are dressed up for the holidays.

16 tablespoons (227g) unsalted butter
½ cup (99g) granulated sugar
½ cup (113g) brown sugar, lightly packed
1 large egg
1 teaspoon Pure Vanilla Extract
¼ to ½ teaspoon Almond Extract, to taste
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup (48g) Almond Flour
2 ½ to 3 cups (298g to 361g) King Arthur
Unbleached All-Purpose Flour
¾ cup (255g) jam, preserves, icing, or the filling of your choice

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For the dough: In a large bowl, beat the butter and sugars until smooth. Beat in the egg, vanilla, almond extract, and salt. Add the nut flour and the lesser amount of all-purpose flour, stirring until well blended. If the dough seems too sticky, add just enough additional flour to make it workable.

Turn the dough out onto a sheet of floured parchment, lightly flour the top and roll out to slab ¼" - to ⅜"-thick. Cover and chill for 15 minutes.

Line two baking sheets with parchment paper. Preheat the oven to 350°F.

To shape: Dip a cutter in flour and shake off the excess. Cut shapes from the slab, and with the dough still inside the cutter, place on the prepared baking sheet. Press the plunger down to set the pattern and remove the cutter from the cookie. Place half a teaspoon of jam or preserves in the well of each cookie. If you prefer, the cookies can be baked first and filled when cool.

Bake the cookies for 11 to 13 minutes, until just golden on the edges. Remove from the oven and cool on the pan.

Yield: 2 ½ dozen cookies.



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