

# Homemade Dog Cookies with Peanut

Make healthy homemade peanut butter dog treats with this easy 4-ingredient recipe. Dog-safe cookies your pup will love - vet-approved ingredients.

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| 15       | 40       | 55        | 4        | Easy       |
| PREP MIN | COOK MIN | TOTAL MIN | SERVINGS | DIFFICULTY |

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## Ingredients

- 2 cup wheat flour
- 2 egg
- 0.5 cup pumpkin
- 2 tbsp peanut butter
- 0.5 tsp salt
- 0.5 tsp cinnamon

## Instructions

- 1 Prepare for baking**

Preheat the oven to 175°C (347°F). Line a large baking sheet with parchment paper.
- 2 Make the dough**

Combine 2 cups flour, 2 eggs, 0.5 cup grated zucchini, 2 tablespoons peanut butter, 0.5 teaspoon salt, and 0.5 teaspoon cinnamon in a large bowl. Mix with a wooden spoon until the ingredients form a rough, thick dough.
- 3 Add water** 1 tablespoon at a time, mixing after each addition, until the dough holds together when pressed but is not sticky. You may need 2-4 tablespoons total.
- 4 Roll and cut cookies**

Turn the dough onto a lightly floured surface and roll to 1cm (½ inch) thickness using a rolling pin. Cut into shapes using dog bone cookie cutters or cut into 2-inch squares with a knife.
- 5 Place the cut cookies** on the prepared baking sheet, spacing them 1 inch apart.
- 6 Bake the cookies**

Bake for 35-40 minutes until the cookies are firm to the touch and lightly golden brown around the edges.
- 7 Remove from oven** and transfer cookies to a wire rack. Cool completely for 30-45 minutes before serving to your dog or storing in an airtight container.

## Tips

Always use xylitol-free, natural peanut butter with no added salt or sugar to ensure your dog's safety.

If your dog has gluten sensitivity, substitute whole wheat flour with oat flour or rice flour for easier digestion.

Grate fresh zucchini and lightly squeeze out excess moisture before adding to prevent overly wet dough.

Let cookies cool completely before storing to prevent condensation and mold growth in storage containers.

Start with smaller treat portions when first introducing these cookies to monitor for any food sensitivities.

Roll dough to exactly 1cm thickness for even baking - thicker cookies may not bake through properly.

Use fun cookie cutters in bone or paw shapes to make treat time more special for your pup.

Double-check that your oven temperature is accurate with a thermometer, as overbaking can make treats too hard for smaller dogs.