

Spider Web Biscuits

Ingredients

50g/2oz butter, at room temperature

50g/2oz hard margarine

50g/2oz soft brown sugar

175g/7oz Loprofin Low Protein Mix

2-3 teaspoons cold water

25g/1oz raisins, finely chopped, plus 12 large whole raisins

1 Vitabite bar

Oven temperature: 150°C/300°F/Gas Mark 2

Method:

- 1. Place the butter and margarine in a mixing bowl and beat well, add the sugar and beat together until light in colour and texture.
- 2. Stir in the Loprofin Mix and chopped raisins.
- 3. Using one hand, stir and squeeze the mixture until it comes together, adding sufficient water to give manageable dough. Transfer to a surface lightly dusted with Loprofin Mix and knead the dough for about 30 seconds, until smooth.
- 4. Roll out the dough to about ½ cm (¼") thickness, on a surface lightly dusted with Loprofin Mix.
- 5. Using a plain 7.5cm (3") cutter, cut into 12 rounds.
- 6. Transfer the biscuits to lightly greased baking trays and bake in a preheated oven for 20-25 minutes, until pale golden in colour.
- 7. Remove from the baking trays whilst still warm, cool on a wire rack.
- 8. Melt the Vitabite, in a small pan over a low heat.
- 9. Allow the Vitabite to cool and thicken slightly before pouring into a piping bag fitted with a writing tube.
- 10. Pipe 'webs' onto each biscuit and place a large raisin in the centre of each, to represent a spider's body. Chill until the Vitabite 'webs' are set.

This recipe was adapted from Nutricia Metabolics but using Vitabite chocolate

