Cheesecake

Method

Base

- 1. Crush the biscuits
 - Put the biscuits in a bag and crush with rolling pin
- 2. Melt the butter and mix in the crushed biscuits
- 3. Place a 15cm flan ring onto the serving plate
- 4. Evenly spread the biscuit mixture into the flan ring
- 5. Press it down using the back of a dessert spoon [A]
- 6. Cool in the blast chiller
 - Add your name to make sure you get the correct base back

Filling

- 1. Place cream cheese and sugar into a small bowl Use a safety mat to keep the bowl firm
- 2. Mix until smooth
- 3. Mix in the yoghurt
- 4. In a large bowl, **whisk** the cream until soft peaks [B]

 Use a safety mat to keep the bowl firm
 - ! Do not over whisk the cream
 - ! Your teacher may help you with this
- 5. Fold the yoghurt mixture into the whipped cream
 - Use a spatula
 - ! Do not overmix
- Pour the mixture over the biscuit base, smooth, and place back in the blast chiller to set

Decoration

- 1. When set, remove the flan ring from the cheesecake
- 2. Decorate the cheesecake with your chosen toppings [C]

Ingredients

Base

- 50g butter or margarine
- 100g digestive biscuits
- 1 serving plate (at least 15cm diameter)

Filling

- 75g cream cheese
- 25g caster sugar
- 150ml double cream
- 1 small pot of yoghurt or mousse (to flavour)

Decoration

- Fruit or other ingredients to compliment yoghurt flavour
- Container (at least 15cm diameter)

Equipment

- Blue tray
- Weighing scales
- · Safety mat
- Timer
- Wooden spoon
- Plastic bag
- 15cm flan ring
- Serving plate
- · Dessert spoon
- Spatula
- · Balloon whisk
- · Palette knife
- Vegetable knife
- Small bowl
- Large bowl
- Rolling pin
- Small saucepan

Key Moments



[A] Use a dessert spoon to press down the biscuit base



[B] Soft peaks whipped cream



[C] Decorated cheesecake