

Cookie Cutters

Story By: Andrew Frinkle

Sun Yi was making cookies. She liked to make cookies for holidays. Soon it would be Valentine's Day. She wanted to make Valentine's cookies.

She went to the cabinet. She looked for her cookie cutters. They could cut shapes in the dough. They would make cute cookies. Cute cookies seem more delicious.

She found a bear. That was not good for Valentine's Day. She found a rabbit and a tree. Those were not good either. What would she use?

She found a heart. That was good for Valentine's Day. She would make heart cookies. Everyone would like them.

She made some dough. She needed flour, butter, eggs, sugar, and salt. She mixed them together. She rolled out the dough. She used a rolling pin. Then she cut the shapes. She rolled the dough again and cut more shapes.

Then it was time for the oven. She put the cookies on a sheet. She put them in the oven and baked them. While she was waiting, she made frosting.

For the frosting, she used butter, powdered sugar, and food coloring. She made three colors of frosting. One was red, one was white, and the last was pink.

When the cookies came out, they were hot. She had to wait. When they were cool, she put on the frosting. She had pink, white, and red hearts to give her friends and family. On some she even wrote things in different colors.

Everyone loved Sun Yi's Valentine's Day cookies.



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 - A. cards
 - B. candy
 - C. cookies
 - D. gift bags
3. What shape are her cookies going to be?
 - A. hearts
 - B. bears
 - C. trees
 - D. tigers
4. What three colors are Sun Yi's frostings?
 - A. red, orange, and black
 - B. pink, red, and white
 - C. pink, white, and green
 - D. blue, black, and purple
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