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Alfie and Henry absolutely love muffins, and these are a nice alternative to a usual muffin with the oats and the apple, practically classes as one of your five a day! The simplest recipe and no equipment required; it can be all done by hand with just a whisk and a couple of bowls.

INGREDIENTS

1 1/2 cups plain flour

1 cup of quick cooking oats

2 teaspoons baking powder

Pinch of salt

1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

125g dark chocolate chips

3/4 cup of golden caster sugar

2 large eggs

250g unsalted butter, melted and cooled

170g natural yoghurt (I used a small pot of Fage yoghurt)

2 Apples, peeled, cored and chopped into pieces

Cinnamon sugar for the topping (this is optional, I use 3 parts caster sugar to 1 part ground cinnamon)

METHOD

1. Preheat oven to 180 degrees (Fan). Line a standard 12-cup muffin tin with muffin cases.

- 2. Whisk together flour, oats, baking powder, salt, and cinnamon.
- 3. In a separate bowl, whisk together sugar, eggs, butter, and yoghurt. Mix the wet ingredients into dry ingredients, then stir in apple and the dark chocolate chunks
- 4. Divide between the 12 cases and bake on the middle shelf of your oven for 15-20 mins until turning golden brown on the top and cooked through.
- 5. Cool in the tray for 10 minutes, then put on to a cooling rack to cool completely. These are delicious warm, so definitely try some after the initial 10 minutes cooling!
- 6. Store in an airtight container.



ENJOY! If you opt for Apple, chocolate and cinnamon oat muffins, please do share a picture!