Some simple baking activities to get you started!

#### cake in a mug

35g plainflour 2 tbsp cocoa powder 1/4 tsp baking powder 2 tbsp granulated sugar pinch salt 60ml milk 2 tbsp vegetable oil 1 tbsp nutella or mini chocolate chips



mix dry ingredients in the biggest mug you have (sports direct ones are great) mix in wet ingredients till theres no lumps drop the nutella/chocolate drops on top in the middle put in microwave on high for 70sec

#### Cheesecake

250g digestive biscuits 100g melted butter ½ tsp vanilla extract 600g full fat soft cheese 100g icing sugar 284ml pot of double cream



crush digestive till its crumbs.

mix with melted butter then firmly press into a greased cake tin. chill in fridge for 1hr

mix cheese, vanilla and icing sugar until smooth then spoon mixture over biscuit base.

leave to set in fridge overnight.

you can mix this up easily by using different flavours in place of the vanilla (lemon, lime, strawberry), using chocolate digestives, adding fresh fruit or adding some cocoa powder.

#### chocolate brownies

200g caster sugar 115g butter, melted 30g cocoa powder 1/2 tsp vanilla extract 2 eggs 115g plain flour pinch baking powder pinch salt



heat oven to 180c

mix the ingredients in the order above

pour mixture into a greased tin

cook for 10-15mins

allow to cool in tin before slicing and serving

## cookies



115g butter, softened 55g caster sugar 140g plain flour 40g chocolate chips

heat oven 180c

beat the butter and sugar till fluffy

mix in the flour and chocolate chips with your hand until you have a dough

roll the dough into walnut sized ball and flatten with your palm

put them onto a baking tray slightly apart and cook for 10-12min

#### Easy Fork Biscuits



100g butter softened 50g caster sugar 150g self raising flour

Line a baking Tray and preheat oven to 180°

Mix your butter and sugar in a bowl until well combined and fluffy.

Add the flour and keep mixing gently until well combined!

mix together with your hands.

Roll walnut sized pieces and place on your baking tray

fill a cup with cold water, dip a fork into the water and then gently press down on each ball of biscuit dough.

Bake in the oven for 12-15 Mins or until golden brown.

Pop onto a wire rack to cool.

### Flapjacks



120g porridge oats 60g softened butter 60g light brown sugar 1-2 tbsp golden syrup

#### heat oven to 200c

mix everything really well in a bowl.

grease baking tin and pour mixture in pushing everything down with the back of a spoon

cook for 10 mins till golden brown

mixture will be soft when its removed from the oven. this is normal and will harden as it cools

# Mars Bar cake



100g softened Butter 4 Mars Bars (Chopped) 1½ tbsp Golden Syrup 150g Rice Krispies 350g Milk Chocolate

melt 3x mars bars, golden syrup and butter in a large bowl

add rice krispies

pour into a lined baking tray and press down firmly

melt the chocolate in a separate bowl and pour over the krispie mixture

let it set in fridge