



Wartime Carrot Cookies

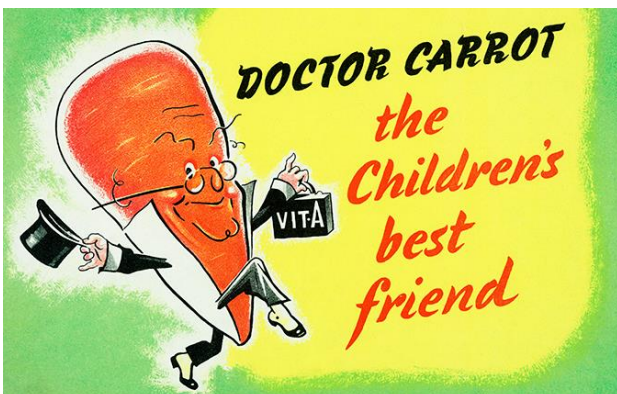
Makes 12-15 cookies


Ingredients:

- 1 tablespoon margarine
- 2 tablespoons sugar plus little extra for sprinkling over the top of the cookies
- 4 tablespoons grated raw carrot
- 6 tablespoons self-raising flour (or plain flour with $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon baking powder added).
- Few drops vanilla, almond or orange flavouring.

To make:

- 1) Cream the margarine and sugar until light and fluffy.
- 2) Add the flavouring and carrot.
- 3) Fold in the flour
- 4) Drop a spoonful of the mixture onto small, greased patty pans.
- 5) Sprinkle the tops with sugar and bake in a brisk oven (gas 5 or electric 190°C) for about 20 minutes.



Did you know? 

During the war, carrots were often used to sweeten cakes and biscuits due to sugar being rationed.