

Whipped Cream Cheese and Pear Toast

Try trading in your classic morning toast for one topped with whipped cream cheese and fresh pears.

Ages: 3–5 years Prep time: 1 hour

Makes: 6 servings Cook time: 3 to 4 minutes

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INGREDIENTS

1 Tbsp cream cheese, low-fat

¼ tsp pumpkin pie spice

3 slices bread, whole-wheat (at least 28 g or 1 oz each)

8 slices Bartlett pears, fresh, unpeeled, cored, ¼" slices (~1 pear; gently wash pear under running water before cutting)

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DIRECTIONS

- 1. Wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- 2. In a small bowl, combine cream cheese and pumpkin pie spice. Mix with a fork. Keep cold at 40 °F or lower.
- 3. Toast bread in a toaster.
- **4.** Spread 1 tsp of spiced cream cheese on each piece of toast.
- 5. Top with sliced pears, about 2–2¼ slices. Cut pears in half, if needed.
- **6.** Cut each piece of toast in half.
- 7. Serve 1 half slice of toast. Serve immediately, or keep cold at 40 °F or lower.

NUTRITION INFORMATION

1 half slice Whipped Cream Cheese and Pear Toast

Nutrients Calories	Amount 56
Total Fat Saturated Fat	1 g 0 g
Cholesterol	1 mg
Sodium	81 mg
Total Carbohydrate	10 g
Dietary Fiber	2 g
Total Sugars	2 g
Includes Added Sugars N/A	
Protein	2 g
Vitamin D	N/A
Calcium	31 mg
Iron	0 mg
Potassium	N/A
N/A = Data not available	

Source: Team Nutrition CACFP Easy Recipe Project

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CACFP CREDITING INFORMATION

⅓ cup fruit ½ oz eq grains **ﷺ**

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- Contains milk (cream cheese) and wheat (bread). Bread can be a hidden source of common allergens, which include milk, peanuts, tree nuts, eggs, fish, shellfish, soy, wheat, and sesame.
- Sesame can appear as an ingredient in foods where it might not be expected (bread) and may be included in ingredient statements as "spice" or "flavoring."
- To keep fresh cut fruit from turning brown, coat them with an acidic juice, such as lemon or orange, or use a commercial anti-darkening agent.
- Apple pie spice or cinnamon can be substituted for pumpkin pie spice.
- The symbol indicates the recipe is whole grain-rich.
- Creditable grains contribution calculated using the Recipe Analysis Workbook, Method A.

