Cookie Judging Rubric					
	4	3	2	1	
Visual Impact	4	3	2	1	
Size/shape/color		Ok shape & color	Odd shape/too	Does not look ok at	
	Uniform shape/Right color		undercooked or overcooked	al	
Aroma	4	3	2	1	
	Smells exceptionally good.	Nice smell	Ok smell	Nothing noticeable	
Texture	4	3	2	1	
	Fine / Well blended/superbly tender or moist or crisp or chewy depending upon cookie type	Nice texture	Ok, but maybe a little overcooked or undercooked	Not ok	
Taste	4	3	2	1	
Combo of ingredients	Exceptionally tasty- a lot of thought and effort was used to make this cookie	Good combo of ingredients and a good amount of thought put into cookie	Ok taste-some thought put into cookie	Not much thought in ingredient combination for cookie	
Visual Impact	4	3	2	1	
Creative Design	Exceptional Wow!	Good use of Design	Ok design	Nothing great	

Cookie #	Total Score out of 20	possible	Judges Initial
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HOW TO JUDGE

- o In judging evaluate the entry as you see it
- o Evaluate each entry on its own merit
- You should score according to the quality description of the food rather than compare one entry with another
- o Use your senses. LOOK......TOUCH.....SMELL.....TASTE
- o LOOK at the outside appearance of products color, shape, and size
- Lift product for lightness and texture
- o TOUCH the top of cookie and check for moist surface
- o Cut it with a sharp, smooth-edged knife to observe grain
- o Break off a piece to observe texture
- o Look at it carefully for a fine grain
- o Touch it for softness and lightness
- o SMELL it for a pleasant, characteristic odor
- TASTE small bites for flavor