

## Baked Apple Cider Doughnuts

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## **Ingredients:**

- 1/4 cup vegetable oil
- 1 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup white sugar
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon allspice
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg (I always use freshly grated nutmeg--it makes a huge difference!)
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 cups all purpose flour

## **Glaze Ingredients (Optional):**

- 1 cup apple cider
- ½ cup sugar
- ½ teaspoon vanilla

## **Instructions:**

- 1. Mix all dry ingredients together in a mixing bowl.
- 2. Add wet ingredients and stir to make a wet batter.
- 3. Place batter in the cavities of a mini doughnut baking pan.
- 4. Bake at 375 degrees Fahrenheit for 6-8 minutes, until a test skewer comes out clean.
- 5. Roll in cinnamon sugar once cooled, or add an optional apple cider glaze for even more apple flavor
- 6. To make the glaze, boil the cup of apple cider for several minutes, until the volume reduces by half
- 7. Add the half cup of sugar to the reduced apple cider, and cook one minute to dissolve the sugar.
- 8. Remove from heat and stir in the vanilla.
- 9. Dip the top of each donut in the apple glaze, and let soak in and dry for about an hour, then roll the donut in cinnamon sugar.

