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The Kitchen at Second Harvest Mini Cannoli Bites
try at home recipe
Recipe modified from Love Bakes Good Cakes

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3. Bake the crusts for 10 minutes, or until golden brown. Allow cannoli cups to cool completely in the pans, about 15 minutes.
4. While the cups are cooling, prepare the filling by mixing ricotta, powdered sugar, granulated sugar, zest, and vanilla extract until creamy.
5. With a spoon, fill pastry cups with approximately 1 tablespoon of filling. Sprinkle cups with chocolate chips or chopped pistachios.

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| Amount Per Serving Calories | 70 |
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| Saturated Fat 1.79 | 9\% |
| Trans Fat 0g |  |
| Cholesterol < 5 mg | 1\% |
| Sodium 50mg | 2\% |
| Total Carbohydrate 89 | 3\% |
| Dietary Fiber 0 g | 0\% |
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