

## Crunchy Caramel Snack Mix

Little Brownie<sup>®</sup>  
Bakers



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2 boxes of Dulce de Leche Girl Scout Cookies<sup>®</sup>

### Ingredients

- 8 cups broken salted pretzels
- 20 cups popped popcorn
- 4 cups dry roasted peanuts
- 3 cups brown sugar
- 3/4 cup light corn syrup
- 1-1/2 cups butter
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 2 boxes of Dulce de Leche Girl Scout Cookies, broken into small pieces

### Directions

Yields 30 servings

1. Place the pretzels, popcorn, peanuts and broken pieces of Dulce de Leche cookies into a large paper bag or, if you have one, a very large bowl. Set aside.
2. In a saucepan over medium heat, combine the brown sugar, corn syrup and butter. Cook, stirring to melt the butter and dissolve the sugar, until the mixture comes to a boil.
3. Once the mixture is at a full boil, continue to cook for 5 minutes, stirring constantly.
4. Remove from the heat, and stir in the salt, vanilla and baking soda. The mixture will foam up when you add the soda, so use a long spoon to stir.
5. Immediately pour the sugar mixture over the popcorn and pretzels in the bag.
6. Shake until evenly coated.

### Optional

For a crispier treat, boil the sugar mixture longer, or bake the finished mix on a cookie sheet in the oven at 350 degrees for about 10 minutes.

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