# Bread-in-a-Bag Cinnamon Rolls

### Makes 6-8 servings | Grains

# Ingredients

#### Dough

- 1½ cups whole-wheat flour
- 1 package rapid rise yeast (or 2 ½ teaspoons)
- 3 Tablespoons sugar
- 3 Tablespoons nonfat dry milk powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup hot water (125-130°F)
- 3 Tablespoons canola oil
- 1½ cups all-purpose flour (approximate)
- Nonstick spray

# Filling

- 2 Tablespoons margarine (melted)
- ½ cup brown sugar (or ¼ cup brown and ¼ cup white sugar)
- 2 teaspoons cinnamon
- ½ cup raisins or chopped nuts (optional)

# **Directions**

- 1. Wash hands with warm, soapy water.
- 2. Combine whole-wheat flour, yeast, sugar, dry milk powder, and salt in a 1 gallon heavy-duty freezer bag with a zipper lock. Squeeze upper part of bag to force out air. Shake and work bag with fingers to blend ingredients.
- 3. Add hot water and oil to the bag and reseal it. Mix by working bag with fingers.
- **4.** Gradually add enough all-purpose flour to the bag to make a stiff dough that pulls away from the bag.
- 5. Place dough on a floured surface. Knead 2-4 minutes until smooth and elastic.
- 6. Cover dough and let it rest for 10 minutes.

#### Icing (optional)

- 2-3 cups powder sugar
- ½ ½ cup water
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- Resealable plastic bag or bowl

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- 7. Roll out dough into a rectangle 12×7-inch.
- 8. Spread margarine to cover the dough, avoiding the edges.
- 9. Sprinkle on cinnamon-sugar mixture. Add raisins or chopped nuts, if desired.
- 10. Roll up dough from the long end and seal edges.
- 11. Cut into 1-inch slices to make 12 rolls.
- 12. Place in an 9" x 13-inch baking dish coated with non-stick spray.
- 13. Cover and let rise 20-30 minutes.
- **14.** Bake at 375°F for 20-25 minutes or until golden brown. Remove from dish. Cover with icing, if desired.





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