Useful gifts for bakers

Know someone who loves baking? And stuck on what gifts to buy for them? I have rounded up some of the best gifts for bakers that will make them enjoy baking even more.

Salter Contour Digital Kitchen Timer

A perfect bake needs perfect gadgets and Salter have all of the kitchen gadgets one could possibly need to achieve the perfect bake, every single time. Featured in the guide are two products from Salter - a Digital Kitchen Timer and a Add & Weigh Jug Kitchen Scale.

A digital timer is very handy to have in every kitchen. Whether it is overcooked veggies or an overdone cake, you can bid goodbye to them with a digital kitchen timer. The Salter Contour Digital Kitchen Timer has an ultra-modern, slick design, is easy to use and has a large start/stop button. The timer is self-standing and the times are displayed clearly on a large LCD display. And priced at just £12.99, it makes for a very practical and useful gift.

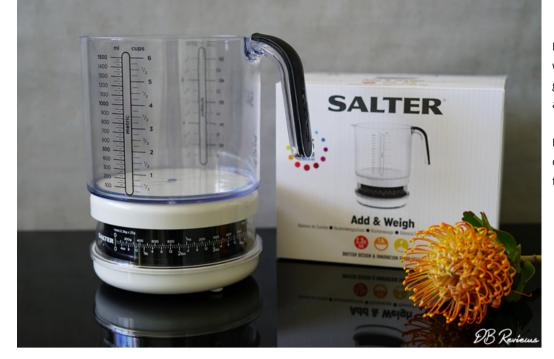


I love things which have multiple uses and Salter's range of Jug and Bowl Kitchen Scales are just that. These kitchen scales are the perfect tool to help you accurately weigh wet or dry ingredients and can also be simply used as a jug or mixing bowl. These jug scales come in a number of designs and with both mechanical or digital options.

Salter Add &

Weigh Jug Kitchen Scale

Featured in this roundup is the Add & Weigh Jug Kitchen Scale from Salter which has a 1.5 litre capacity, is dishwasher safe and allows you to add and weigh multiple ingredients at the same time making food prep quicker and easier. The jug scale allows you to add in dry ingredients after wet or the other way and it is equally easy to pour the mixture out again. It is a perfect accessory for baking - just makes baking so much more quicker and enjoyable.



It is priced at £14.99, which I think is a very good price for such a fab and useful product.

Both the Salter products can be ordered online from

www.salterhousewares.co.uk

Russell Hobbs Desire Matte Black Hand Mixer

Next on the list is another item that is essential in a baker's kitchen - a multi-speed hand mixer that will find use in most baking recipes.



The Desire Matte Black Hand Mixer from Russell Hobbs makes mixing, beating and whisking extremely easy and effortless. With 5 different speed settings to choose from, the Desire mixer is designed to tackle a range of mixing/whisking tasks. It is very versatile. And also comes with a clever design that allows it to stand on its base making storage easier. The mixer comes with 2 detachable beaters and 2 detachable

dough hooks. Overall, it is a product that scores top marks not only in its performance but also in terms of design and appearance.

Priced at £29.99, this very useful gadget can be ordered online from $\underline{\mathsf{uk}.\mathsf{russellhobbs.com}}$

Personalised Recipe Box from GiftPup

If you are looking for a personalised gift, then you need to check out GiftPup. They offer a range of personalised gifts for all budgets. Included in my roundup is the Lemon Grove Recipe Box which is a wooden recipe box that can be personalised with a name and short message. The recipe box comes with separation slats to keep everything organised and makes for an excellent gift for anyone who loves to bake/cook!



Before ordering, you can check what your recipe box will look like, so that you are sure you have got everything right. Also, for every product on their site, GiftPup have a small clock symbol which shows how many hours it would take to manufacture and personalise that particular gift. Very handy feature this is, as it allows you to order your gifts to be delivered at the right time.

The Lemon Grove Recipe Box is priced at £21.99 and you can order it from www.giftpup.com

Cake Forks from The Hummingbird Bakery

The Hummingbird Bakery have a range of gifts for home bakers including cookbooks, cupcake starter kits, cake slice, cake forks, measuring spoons, tea towel sets, flour shaker and much more.

Made with durable stainless steel and with ceramic handles, the cake forks set would be ideal as a gift for any home baker. The set is priced at only £12.95 but scores well in terms of quality and style.

Available to buy from www.hummingbirdbakery.com



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The Single Elly from Wesco

Wesco was established in 1867 in Sauerland,
Germany and their products are a testament of their skill and experience in metal manufacturing and feature distinctive designs, high-tech performance and topnotch quality. They have an impressive range of kitchen ware including containers to store your



The Single Elly is a breadbox with a simple but wonderful design and can be used to store bread rolls, pastries or cake. The build quality is excellent and the box is easy to clean and looks durable/long-lasting. It is a very well-made box and one that scores top marks in the style department as well.

The Single Elly is priced at £74.95 and can be ordered online from www.wesco-shop.co.uk

Desmond Tutu premium apron from Radical Tea Towel

Radical Tea Towel have an impressive range of premium aprons that make a perfect gift for those who love baking and cooking. The aprons come in a variety of designs and feature quotes from history's radical thinkers and campaigners.

Included in this roundup is the Desmond Tutu premium apron which features a striking design of the dove of peace and hope with the rainbow of diversity and features a quote from Desmond Tutu, a South African social rights activist who became the first black Archbishop of Cape Town.

The apron has an adjustable neck loop and extra long ties that can be fastened in front or behind. Priced at £20.00, this makes for a really lovely gift.

Available to buy from www.radicalteatowel.co.uk

Baking class at London's most sustainable cookery school

And rounding up my list is another fab gift idea - a baking class at Cookery School in London. Set up by Rosalind Rathouse in 2003, the school offers a range of day and evening cooking classes for all ages and abilities. Their cake making class would make a wonderful gift for a budding baker. Even those who bake regularly will leave with some tips and tricks after attending the class. According to Cookery School, participants of the cake making class will learn the different methods and styles of cake making using standard home kitchen equipment and will leave with the knowledge and understanding to make the delicious recipes at home.

The single session class is priced at £125 and you can book online at www.cookeryschool.co.uk