Bookworm Apple Bark – recipe adapted from <u>Fruits and Veggies More Matters</u>

Ingredients	50 Servings	100 Servings	25 Servings	Directions
Granny Smith Apple§, 138 ct	25 apples	50 apples	12.5 apples	 Cut each apple into 4 quarters, starting at the stem. Remove the core by cutting away to leave a flat surface on the apple quarter. Be careful not to cut too much of the edible portion of the apple away. Drop and slightly spread ¼ tablespoon of peanut butter on each apple quarter.
Peanut butter	25 Tb	50 Tb	12 1/2 Tb	
Golden or black raisins	62 1/2 Tb	125 Tb	31 1/4 Tb	
Dried sweetened cranberries §	37 1/2 Tb	75 Tb	18.75 Tb	
Chives, fresh§	3 bunches	6 bunches	1.5 bunches	 3. Mix together the raisins and dried cranberries. Then, sprinkle on peanut butter. 4. Cut one twig of chives into one inch pieces and garnish Serving Size 2 apple quarters

§WA product available when in season

Approximate preparation time: 10 min.

Tips & Variations:

- If you apples of a smaller size than 138 ct (e.g. 163 ct), serve four apple quarters for ½ cup serving of fruit.
- Replace fresh chives with fresh parsley when unavailable or if preferred. See the Washington Seasonality chart to determine when each herb is in season.
- Experiment with different apple varieties, and try connecting this snack with a tasting activity where children can try different types of apples.
- Apples should be stored in the refrigerator in a plastic bag for up to 3 weeks





Child Nutrition Program Food Components:

- ✓ 5/8 Cup fruit
- ✓ 0.25 oz Meat/ meat alternative

Nutrients Per Serving:

Calories	154 kcal
% Calories from Fat	25 %
Total Fat	4.2 g
Saturated Fat	0.8 g
Trans fat	0 g
Cholesterol	0 mg
Sodium	41 mg
Total Carbohydrates	28.6 g
Dietary Fiber	3 g
Sugars	-21 g
Protein	-2.5 g
Vitamin A (215 IU)	4 %
Vitamin C (2.1 mg)	3 %
Calcium	2 %
Iron	3 %

- **Granny Smith Apples** are available year round. But they are usually harvested in October in Washington State. Warm days and cool summer nights ensure crunch and flavor.
- d Washington State produces about 70% of apples in the United States.

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