## Salt and Serenity

## Pecan Maple Fudge Cookies

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Makes about 30 cookies

3 2/3 cups All-purpose flour
1 1/4 teaspoons Baking Soda
1 1/2 teaspoons Baking Powder
1 1/2 teaspoons / Fleur de Sel
2 ½ sticks Unsalted Butter (280 grams), room temperature
1 1/4 cups Light Brown Sugar
1 cup Granulated White Sugar
2 large Eggs
2 teaspoons Pure Vanilla Extract
300g Maple Fudge Pieces (diced to the size of choc chips)
300g Pecans, toasted and roughly chopped

Sea salt for sprinkling

## Method

- 1. Sift together flour, baking soda, baking powder and stir in salt flakes with a whisk.
- 2. In the bowl of a stand mixer cream butter and both sugars together for about 4 minutes.
- 3. Beat in eggs one at a time until thoroughly mixed with butter and sugar.
- 4. Stir in vanilla.
- 5. Add dry ingredients and mix on low speed until just combined.
- 6. Add chopped pecans and fudge pieces, mix on low until evenly distributed.
- 7. Press plastic wrap against the surface of the dough and refrigerate for several hours or overnight.
- 8. Once chilled, preheat oven to 350°F.
- 9. Line baking trays with parchment.

- 10. Scoop mounds of dough, using a 1 1/3 ounce scoop (about 1 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches across and arrange on baking sheets. I fit 9 mounds of dough on each cookie sheet.
- 11. Sprinkle each cookie very lightly with a small amount of sea salt.
- 12. Bake until golden brown, about 10-12 mins (the edges will be set but the middle still soft if lightly pressed).
- 13. Remove from oven and cool on baking trays for about 10 minutes.
- 14. Remove cookies from baking tray and cool completely on wire racks. Repeat with remaining dough.