



# Quality Score Card for Cakes and Cookies

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Menu Item: \_\_\_\_\_

Proudly Prepared by \_\_\_\_\_

Quality Scored by \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:** When the food is ready to serve, use this Quality Score Card to evaluate the quality. Mark **YES** when the food meets the standard and **NO** when it does not. Mark **NA** (Not Applicable) when a specific quality standard does not apply to the food being evaluated. Use the **COMMENTS** section to explain why a food does not meet a standard.

*Remember, if a food does not meet the quality standards, it should not be placed on the serving line.*

Quality Standard	Yes	No	NA	Comments
<b>Appearance</b>				
Top has a smooth surface.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Top is slightly rounded.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Volume is high for the pan size.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Interior is fine-grained with small, evenly distributed cell walls.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Interior has uniform distribution of gas holes.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Color is golden-brown (except chocolate cake).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Portions are uniform in size.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Icing or flavor enhancer covers entire cake portion.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
<b>Texture or Consistency</b>				
Cake is light, but not crumbly.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Texture is soft, velvety, and moist (not tacky or soggy).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Crumb is so tender as to <i>melt in the mouth</i> .	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
<b>Flavor and Seasoning</b>				
Flavor is delicate, sweet, and well-blended (no foreign flavors such as oily, starchy, or burnt flavor).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Icing or other flavor enhancer is fresh tasting.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
<b>Service Temperature</b>				
60 °F–70 °F	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	

