



*Instructions for
Baking & Decorating*
Fire Truck Cakes



**PLEASE READ THROUGH INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE YOU BEGIN.
IN ADDITION, to decorate cakes you will need:**

- Wilton Decorating Bags and Couplers or parchment paper triangles
- Tips 3, 16, 21 (alternate designs use tips 5, 18)
- Wilton Icing Colors in Lemon Yellow, No-Taste Red, Black (alternate designs use Orange, Royal Blue)
- Cake Board, Fancy-Foil Wrap or serving tray
- One 2-layer cake mix or make favorite layer cake recipe
- Buttercream Icing (recipe included)
- Alternate designs also use 4 inch Lollipop Sticks, jelly fruit slices, Decorator Brush Set

To Decorate Fire Truck Cake

You will need tips 3, 16, 21; Wilton Icing Colors in Lemon Yellow, No-Taste Red, Black. We suggest that you tint all icings at one time while cake cools. Refrigerate icings in covered containers until ready to use.

Make 4 1/2 cups buttercream icing:

- Tint 1 1/2 cups yellow
- Tint 1 cup red
- Tint 1/2 cup black
- Tint 1/4 cup gray (use a small amount of black)
- Reserve 1 1/4 cups white (thin 1 1/4 cups with 1 tablespoon + 3/4 teaspoon of light corn syrup)

WITH THINNED WHITE ICING

- Use spatula and "To Ice Smooth" directions to ice sides, background areas and windows.

WITH YELLOW ICING

- Use tip 3 and "To Outline" directions to outline truck, windows, doors, bumpers, headlights.
- Use tip 3 and "To Pipe-In" directions to pipe-in headlights, bumpers, gas cap and hose valves.

WITH RED ICING

- Use tip 16 and "To Make Stars" directions to cover fire engine.
- Use tip 3 and "To Write or Print" directions to print message.

WITH BLACK ICING

- Use tip 21 and "To Make Spirals" directions to decorate tires.

WITH GRAY ICING

- Use tip 3 and "To Pipe-In" directions to decorate ladder and hubcaps.

WITH YELLOW ICING

- Use tip 21 and "To Make Stars" directions to decorate bottom border.

