

Ideas That Taste Good Answer Key

1. Ruth Wakefield put pieces of a chocolate bar into some batter and accidentally invented _____.
c. chocolate chip cookies
2. Since his syrup bottles were always breaking on the way to his customers, Edwin Perkins invented _____.
b. plastic bottles
3. Percy Spencer got the idea for the microwave oven when he was standing next to part of a radar detector and _____.
c. a chocolate bar in his pocket started to melt
4. In 1871, Luther Burbank developed _____, which helped end hunger in Ireland.
b. the Idaho potato
5. In 1853, chef George Crum invented _____ to please a picky customer.
c. potato chips
6. In 1905, eleven-year-old Frank Epperson left a drink outside overnight and accidentally invented _____.
b. the Popsicle®
7. English Earl John Montagu was in too much of a hurry to sit down to dinner, so he invented _____.
a. the sandwich
8. Clarence Birdseye came up with the idea of flash-freezing food when he was _____.
a. working with Native Americans in the Arctic
9. Bill Bowerman used a waffle iron to make _____.
b. the soles of Nike® shoes
10. George Washington Carver came up with over 300 uses for _____.
c. peanuts