BOREI MINEI MEZONOT: WHICH COOKING METHODS

FORE-BLESSING: COOKED DOUGH

Fore-Blessing: Cooked Dough/Pasta

Bread must be baked in order to say *ha'motzi* on it ; dough that was cooked by any method other than baking (such as pasta) gets the fore-blessing of *borei minei mezonot*.

NOTE Even if you eat enough to constitute a meal, you still say *al ha'michya* afterward.

FORE-BLESSING: FRIED BREAD BATTER

Fore-Blessing: French Toast

See Bread/*Mezonot*: Mixtures with Other Foods.

FORE-BLESSING: RAW OR COOKED GRAINS

Fore-Blessing: Raw or Cooked Grains: Porridge/Oatmeal

If oatmeal is porridge, say *borei minei mezonot* (after-blessing, *al ha'michya*).

Fore-Blessing: Raw or Cooked Grains: Rolled Oats/Muesli

If rolled oats are eaten without cooking (such as in raw muesli), say *borei pri ha'adama* (after-blessing, *borei nefashot*).

Fore-Blessing: Raw or Cooked Grains: Granola

On granola, since it is cooked (baked), say *borei minei mezonot* (after-blessing, *al ha'michya).*

Fore-Blessing: Raw or Cooked Grains: Granola Bars

On granola bars, say *borei minei mezonot* (after-blessing, *al ha'michya).*

FORE-BLESSING: CAKE BATTER

Fore-Blessing: Raw Cake Batter

Before eating raw cake batter, say *she'hakol* (after-blessing: *borei nefashot*).

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