

# FINDING SWEET



## Top Menued Breakfast Baked Goods<sup>1</sup>

### Breakfast Breads

# Sweet Breakfast Bakery

- Toast
- · Biscuits
- · English Muffins
- Bagels
- Croissant
- Cinnamon Roll
  - Danish

Muffins

- Scone
- Donut

"Many consumers depend on their daily morning muffin, but many have a stronger emotional connection to more indulgent items such as donuts and cinnamon rolls. Therefore, foodservice operators need to offer the bakery staples their consumers expect, but they should also menu a variety of more indulgent items too." - Jordan Beazley, global consumer insights associate with General Mills Foodservice.

# **CONSUMER'S** Most Loved **Breakfast**

Bakery Items<sup>1</sup>

# Cinnamon Rolls 86%

80%

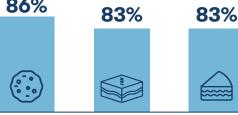


Croissants

**CONSUMER'S** 

Most Loved Dessert

Bakery Items<sup>1</sup>



77%

Choc Chip Brownie Cookie



Cake

# Why Consumers Seek Out Sweet Baked Goods<sup>2</sup>



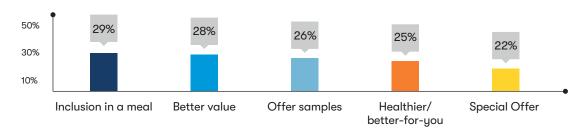
# **Size Matters When it Comes to Baked Goods<sup>2</sup>**

Half of consumers (50 percent) prefer individual portion sizes.



"Bigger isn't better when it relates to portion sizes and sweet baked goods. More consumers will be more likely to indulge in their sweet craving if an item is smaller and in an individual-sized portion."

# Top Ways to Drive Purchases of Sweet Baked Goods<sup>3</sup>



In addition, consumers indicate that sweet baked goods that are free of preservatives is the most important clean-label attribute when purchasing sweet baked goods away from home.

"Regardless if you are offering sweet baked goods as a value-added item or a special offer, it can't hurt to offer some free samples and to tout that your bakery items are baked fresh onsite."

