

GOLDFISH CAKE

Bake 2 [8-inch] round cake layers from a vanilla or white boxed cake mix. Let cool. Tint 2 [16-oz] cans vanilla frosting orange using 4 tsp yellow food coloring and 12 drops red food coloring. Sandwich, cut, and arrange layers as shown at right. Freeze cake until firm, about 30 minutes. Meanwhile, make eyes:
Cut 1 marshmallow in half crosswise.
Put a dot of frosting on uncut ends of
both marshmallow pieces and attach
1 Junior Mint (or other brown chocolate
candyl to each to make pupils. For top
fins, cut fruit leather into small semicircles (use pinking shears for a zigzag
effect). Remove cake from freezer and
coat with remaining orange frosting.

smoothing with an offset spatula or a butter knife. Use the back of a small spoon or butter knife to make scales in frosting, leaving fish face smooth. Decorate body with green, orange, and yellow chocolate candies, such as M&M's. Attach eyes and top fins by pressing into frosting. Press 1 orange gummy ring onto front of cake for mouth. Add gum balls to serving platter, as bubbles.

MAKE THE CUTS



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Sandwich the 2 flat (bottom) sides of cake layers together with ½ cup orange frosting.



STEP 2

Cut a small, 2-inchwide semicircle from 1 side of layer cahe, Cut semicircle into 2 pieces, 1 large and 1 small.



STEP 3

On a serving platter, stand cake up on flat, cut side. Position large piece on 1 end of cake to form tail.

Place small piece alongside cake to make 1 side fin.