

Morning Funnies

Enjoy a breakfast joke-a-day calendar in February.

Using the Activity

- Print a copy of the [February Morning Funnies Calendar](#) to post or distribute.
- Read one joke daily (maybe at breakfast) or ask community members to take turns reading them.
- Read jokes while people wait for a bus ride or an activity to start.
- Read about Grape-Nuts and have a contest to see who can create the most interesting or funniest new cereal. (See this month's [Curiosity Corner](#) for more details.)



A Cereal-iously Weird Name: Grape-Nuts

Grape-Nuts cereal was developed by C. W. Post in 1897. It's the oldest breakfast cereal still sold in stores today. Grape-Nuts is partially responsible for *The Andy Griffith Show*. When the show first aired, it was called *The Danny Thomas Show* and was sponsored by Grape-Nuts. The folks at Post, who manufactured Grape-Nuts, thought the show was a little too dark for Grape-Nuts' all-American image. So, in one episode of the show, Danny Thomas visits Mayberry, and *The Andy Griffith Show* was born.

Grape-Nuts led the way in product placement marketing by sponsoring Sir Admiral Byrd's expedition to Antarctica and accompanying Edmund Hillary and Tenzing Norgay to the peak of Mount Everest. In 1974, Grape-Nuts enlisted health guru Euell Gibbons to record a commercial where he compared Grape-Nuts to eating a pine tree.

We've become accustomed to the name Grape-Nuts, but imagine if you weren't familiar with it. Would you picture a bowl with green grapes and almonds? The origin story of the name is unclear. Some theories are that the cereal resembles grape seeds or because C. W. Post called glucose "grape sugar."

What name would you give Grape-Nuts? Here are some possibilities: Nutri-Nuggets, Nutty Nibs, Crunchers, or Nature Bites.

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

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1

What did the plain bagel tell its boss.
"I want a *raisin* pay."

2

Why does oatmeal always have tissues on hand?
It's so mushy.

3

Why don't eggs tell each other jokes?
They don't want to crack each other up.

4

What is it called when berries get stuck in traffic?
A jam.

5

Why do smoothies make good spies?
They blend in anywhere.

6

What did the muffin say to the donut?
"You're the *hole* package."

7

Why was the coffee so strong?
It had *bean* to the gym.

8

Where do you serve breakfast when it's sleepy?
In bed.

9

Why did bacon and eggs go to the restaurant?
It had a sign that said "Breakfast Served All Day."

10

Why was the coffee taking judo lessons?
Because it kept getting mugged.

11

Why do mimosas make friends easily?
They're sweet and bubbly.

12

Where does yogurt like to go on a date?
Somewhere cultured.

13

Why couldn't the croissant hold a job?
It was too flaky.

14

What did the tea say to its old friend?
"Its been *oolong*."

15

Why did the orange go to bed?
It ran out of juice.

16

Why did the bread set an alarm clock?
It wanted to rise.

17

How do potatoes deal with their problems?
They hash things out.

18

What kind of detective books does breakfast like?
Hard boiled.

19

What did the bread say after it had a few drinks?
"I'm toasted."

20

Why should you be careful not to make a pancake mad?
They flip!

21

Why is it hard to decide what to have for breakfast?
There's a lot of *waffle-ing*.

22

What did the egg say to her husband?
"Stop *egg-splaining!*"

23

What did the sausage say to the Canadian bacon?
"Stop hamming it up."

24

How do you make a good fruit punch?
Take it to boxing classes.

25

What did the speed reading egg say after it finished a book?
"Over! Easy!"

26

How did the butter feel after a busy week?
Spread too thin

27

What did the dieting bread say?
"Don't butter me up."

28

What bus does breakfast take when it's in a hurry?
The espresso

29

What did the pastry say when it was really hungry?
"There's *muffin* I wouldn't do for breakfast."

