

A wooden charcuterie board is artfully arranged with a variety of items. It features several types of bread, including round loaves with slices of hard-boiled eggs and almond-studded slices. There are stacks of cookies, some with chocolate chips. The board is also filled with meats, including a large spiral of salami, slices of prosciutto, and a round of brie cheese. Fresh fruits like green and red grapes are scattered throughout, along with a generous amount of cashew nuts. A small white bowl containing a creamy dip is visible on the right side of the board.

# Sawn

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*Perfect the art of grazing*

Build a board that wows!

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## Choose your biggest Sawn by Sarah board

The perfect centrepiece for any table, with plenty of room to play with.

## Select a balance of textures, flavours and colours

- **Cheese** - soft (brie), semi-hard (gouda), hard (cheddar) and blue (stilton).
- **Cured meats** - prosciutto, chorizo, bresaola or saucisson sec.
- **Fresh stuff** - grapes, apples or berries for sweetness; carrots, celery or cucumber for crunch.
- **Bakery** - breadsticks, crostini, crackers or baguette slices.
- **Dips & spreads** - use small bowls for things like houmous, guacamole or chutney.
- **Extras bits** - walnuts, almonds, olives or pickles

## Plan a balanced, eye-catching layout

Don't forget to leave enough space for utensils like cheese knives, tongs and forks.

- **Anchor your layout:** start with dip bowls or large items like brie or stilton. Spread them out across the board as anchor points.
- **Distribute cheeses evenly:** space your cheeses out across the board, putting smaller slices near the edges for easy grabbing.
- **Add cured meats with texture:** fan some slices out and roll others into cones or rosettes for variety.
- **Fill with crackers, fruits and extras:** layer and overlap items, creating height and dimension for a visually appealing board.

For an elegant touch, consider a seasonal or regional theme, label any unique cheeses & meats and add edible flowers or herbs to add colour, sophistication and fragrance.

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