

# Lovebugs on a Log

- 6 celery stalks
- Cream cheese or other spreadable cheese
- 6 cherry tomatoes
- 6 pitted black olives
- Fresh chives
- Toothpick
- Food coloring (optional)



1. Spread or pipe cream cheese or spreadable cheese into celery “logs.”
2. Cut each tomato in half, lengthwise, and then quarters.
3. Slice olives in half, crosswise, and cut chives into 1-inch lengths.
4. Arrange 2 tomato quarters as the wings on 1 end of a celery piece, angling the bottoms of the wings outward.
5. Add an olive half as the head, centered, above the wings. Poke 2 holes into the olive half using a toothpick. Then insert chives into the olive holes for the antennae.
6. Further down, add another lovebug to the celery stalk.  
*Tip: To make the bugs more “lovey,” place them so they face each other on the stalk (not shown).*
7. Repeat steps 4 to 6 on remaining celery stalks.
8. Add food coloring to remaining cream cheese and make little dots on the lovebugs’ wings using a toothpick (optional).

Makes 12 lovebugs on 6 logs