Start Cooking!



Heat and line

Adjust oven rack to middle position and heat oven to 325 degrees. Line baking sheet with parchment paper and spray parchment with vegetable oil spray.



Melt

In large bowl, combine butter and 1/2 cup chocolate chips. Heat in microwave at 50 percent power until melted (see page 12), about 2 minutes. Use rubber spatula to stir mixture until smooth.



Whisk dry

In medium bowl, whisk together flour, cocoa, baking powder, and salt.



Whisk wet

Add brown sugar and egg to melted chocolate mixture and whisk to combine.

"The chocolatiness and the chewy-hardiness were so good."

-ZACHARY, 6



Mix

Add flour mixture and use rubber spatula to stir until combined and no dry flour is visible. Stir in remaining ½ cup chocolate chips.



Roll and press

Use your hands to roll each dough mound into ball, then place back on parchment-lined baking sheet. Gently flatten each ball (if dough is sticky, use wet hands).



Portion

Use 1-tablespoon measuring spoon to drop 12 mounds of dough (about 1 heaping tablespoon each) onto parchment-lined baking sheet. Leave space between dough mounds. Let sit for 10 minutes.



Bake

Bake until edges of cookies are just set and centers are still soft and starting to crack, 11 to 13 minutes. Let cookies cool completely on baking sheet, about 30 minutes.

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