

## Double Chocolate Peppermint Cookies

From Samantha

### Ingredients:

1 ½ cups bittersweet chocolate chips  
1 cup crushed peppermint hard candies  
1 ¾ cup all-purpose flour  
½ cup cocoa powder  
1 tsp baking powder  
¾ cup softened butter  
2 ½ Tablespoons vegetable oil  
¾ cup sugar  
1 egg  
½ teaspoon salt  
1 ½ teaspoon vanilla



Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Line cookie sheets with parchment paper or silicone mat.

In food processor, combine ¾ cup of chocolate chips, 1/3 cup of peppermint candy, flour, cocoa, and baking powder until finely ground.

Beat butter, oil, and sugar together until light and fluffy. Add egg, salt, and vanilla and beat until well blended. Stir in flour mixture and remaining chocolate chips.

Shape cookies into balls.

Crush remaining peppermint candies.

Bake the cookies for 8-10 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle with crushed candies. Return to oven for 2 minutes.