## **Chocolate Sea Salt Toffee Cookies**

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## **Ingredients**

- 2 ½ cups all-purpose flour
- ½ teaspoon baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon fine sea salt
- 1 ½ cup sugar
- ¼ cup dark brown sugar
- 2 sticks butter, room temperature
- 1 ½ teaspoon vanilla
- 1 egg
- ¼ cup mini chocolate chips
- ¼ cup Heath toffee bits
- 4 2.1-oz packages Marich Dark Chocolate Sea Salt Caramels, cut in half
- Coarse sea salt for topping



## **Instructions**

- 1. Preheat oven to 375°F. Line baking sheets with parchment paper.
- 2. In a small bowl, combine flour, baking powder and salt.
- 3. In a standing mixer fitted with a paddle attachment, beat butter, sugar and brown sugar on medium for 5 minutes, or until creamed. Add vanilla and egg and beat on medium to combine.
- 4. Slowly add the reserved dry ingredients while beating on low, mixing until just combined. Remove from mixer and stir in mini chocolate chips and toffee bits with a spatula.
- 5. Scoop cookies with a cookie scoop or roll them into a ball with your hands. Place on a prepared cookie sheet, spacing about two inches apart.
- 6. Bake for 12 minutes, or until edges are starting to brown. Remove from oven.
- 7. Working quickly, gently press cut halves of Marich Dark Chocolate Sea Salt Caramels on top of cookies. Sprinkle with coarse sea salt.
- 8. Remove from pans to let cool.