# Holiday Chocolate Bark

## Ingredients

- 1 cup dark chocolate (see notes below)
- 1-2 tsp flaky sea salt
- 1/2 cup pistachios
- 1/4 cup dried cherries

### Optional toppings:

dried apricots,
candied ginger, any
toasted nut or seed





Skill Level: EASY

### Utensils:

- Double broiler:
  - a soup-like pot with a heat-proof bowl situated on top
- baking sheet covered with parchment paper
- rubber spatula

### Directions:

#### **MELT CHOCOLATE**

Place the chocolate in bowl over a pot of gently simmering water, stir frequently. Once the chocolate is 'glossy', carefully remove the bowl from the pot and wipe any condensation from the bottom of the bowl.

#### **POUR & TOP**

Pour all the chocolate onto the parchment paper. Use the back of the spatula to spread out, roughly 1/4" thickness. Sprinkle with flaky salt and toppings.

### **COOL & BREAK APART**

Let the chocolate cool at room temperature for 2 to 4 hours, until completely hardened. If you're in a hurry, place the pan on a flat surface in the refrigerator to harden for about 15 minutes.

### Chocolate notes:

- Choose a 60-80% dark chocolate, chunks, wafers or chips
- Ghiradelli, Scharffen Berger or 365 baking chunks work well
- Hu & Enjoy Life are great vegan options

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