Frozen Hot Chocolate**

**Recipe adapted from <u>https://www.browneyedbaker.com/frozen-hot-chocolate-recipe/</u>

Basic Recipe for 2

Basic Recipe for 3

1 cup milk, divided* 1/2 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips 2 cups ice (add more if needed) 2 cups milk, divided* 3/4 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips 3 cups ice (add more if needed)

Flavour Variations:

- Chocola-ccino: Add 1 or 2 tsp espresso powder.
- **Magic Mint:** Add 1/2 tsp peppermint extract.
- Mexican Spice: Add 1/2 tsp cinnamon, 1/4 tsp nutmeg, pinch cayenne pepper (optional).
- Malted Milk: Add 3 Tbsp malted milk powder, such as Ovaltine.
- Creamy Vanilla: Add 1 tsp vanilla extract.

Directions:

- 1. In a large liquid measure, melt chocolate chips in 30-second intervals. Stir well with a fork after each 30 seconds until mixture is smooth.
- 2. Slowly stir in **HALF** the cold milk and flavour option into melted chocolate. Mix well with a fork.

Allow mixture to cool to room temperature (can place in fridge to speed up process).

- 3. In a blender, add the rest of the milk, chocolate mixture and ice. Blend on high speed until smooth and slushy. Add more ice if needed.
- 4. Pour into cups with a straw and drink promptly (will melt quickly).