4-Strand Challah Braid

Step 1



Create four equal-size strands. Lay the four strands side-by-side, then pinch them together so they are connected at the top.

Step 2



Take the strand furthest to the right and weave it towards the left through the other strands using this pattern: over, under, over.

Step 3



Take the strand furthest to the right and repeat the weaving pattern again: over, under, over. Repeat this pattern, always starting with the strand furthest to the right, until the whole loaf is braided.

Step 4



Pinch the ends of the loose strands together and tuck them under on both ends of the challah loaf to create a nice shape.