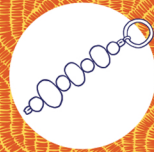


HOW TO MAKE AND FINISH

YOUR KEYCHAIN



KITS INCLUDE: velvet jewelry bag, bead bag, hardware bag (careful! contains small pieces)

TOOLS: Crimping tool, bead stoppers, wire cutters, beading mat, bead tray

HOUSEHOLD ALTERNATIVES: flat-nose pliers, tape, nail clippers, tea towel, muffin tin

1. Place your beads on a beading mat or tea towel to design your keychain before you begin (and to keep your beads from rolling away as you work).
2. Start by attaching your beading wire to your key ring. Slip a crimp tube onto your wire, loop one end of the wire around the key ring, and stick the end back through the crimp tube to form a loop. Follow the diagram on “How to Finish A Necklace” and use your crimping tool or pliers to flatten the crimp bead (or watch the video on our site). Now it’s time to get beading!
3. The keychain will hang down from the ring, so consider laying out your design so that any beads with symbols (like fruits, hearts or stars) have their tops toward the keyring.
4. Once you finish stringing your keychain, repeat Step 2--although this time you will skip the part where you loop the wire. It may be helpful to place one of the smallest beads at the end of the design to prevent the larger beads from “eating,” or moving over, the crimp tube. Cut off any excess wire sticking out from the crimp tube.

Attach your one-of-a-kind design to your backpack, purse, or messenger bag and show the world your personal style! BEad one of a kind!

HOW TO MAKE AND FINISH

YOUR LANYARD



KITS INCLUDE: velvet jewelry bag, bead bag, hardware bag (careful! contains small pieces)

TOOLS: crimping tool, bead stoppers, wire cutters, beading mat, bead tray

HOUSEHOLD ALTERNATIVES: flat-nose pliers, tape, nail clippers, tea towel, muffin tin

1. Place your beads on a beading mat or tea towel to design your lanyard before you begin (and to keep your beads from rolling away as you work).
2. Use a bead stopper (or piece of tape) on one end of the stringing wire to prevent beads from falling off as you work, or if you want to work from the center outward, skip the tape but watch your ends so nothing falls off.
3. Once you finish stringing your lanyard beads, place one of the smaller beads at each end of your design to prevent the larger beads “eating,” or moving over, the crimp tubes.
4. Add a crimp tube to each end of your lanyard and follow the diagram. String one side of your wire through your clasp and back through the crimp tube to create a loop. Use your crimping tool or pliers to flatten the crimp beads. (Squeeze tightly!) Trim any excess wire with clippers.
5. Repeat Step 4, making sure you pull the beading wire tightly before crimping, so there is no extra wire showing.

Attach the lanyard to your mask and get ready to step out safely and in style! BEad bold!

P.S. Did you know your lanyard does double duty as a necklace? Just fasten one clasp onto the other! Ta-da!