



Easy Wrap Holiday Ornaments

You don't need to knit or crochet to create these sparkly ornaments. Have fun with the kids adding your own personal touches to these fast and easy decorations.

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Directions are given for 1½"-diameter ball. Directions for 2", 2½" and 3"-diameter balls are in parentheses. Finished size: 1½ (2, 2½, 2, 3)" across by 4½ (5½, 6½, 7½)" long. Cover model is 2½"-diameter ball.

AUNT LYDIA'S® Fashion 5 Metallics: 1 ball each 90G gold/gold and 226G natural/gold. NOTE: One 100 yd ball makes four 1½"; three 2"; one each 2" and 2½" or one each 1½" and 3" ornaments.

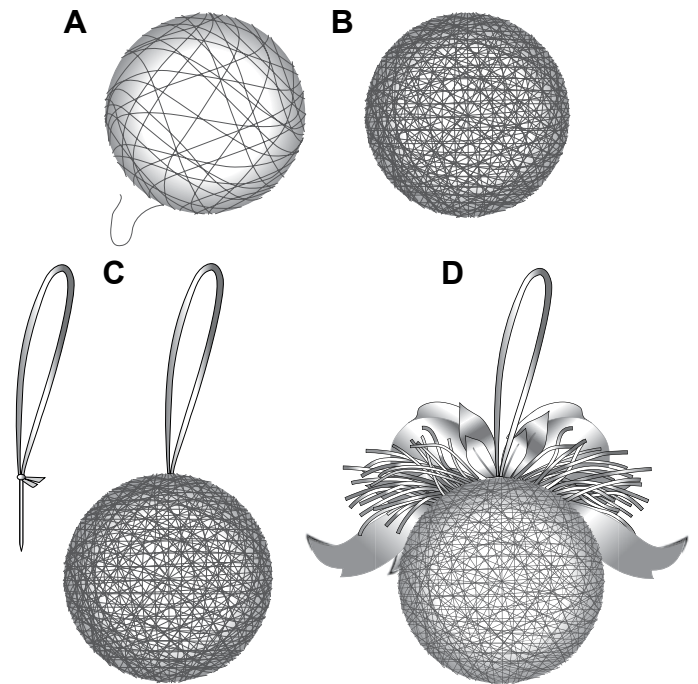
Notions: 1½ (2, 2½, 3)"-diameter Styrofoam® balls; 6 (7, 8, 9)" length of narrow ribbon or braid in coordinating color for hanger; 12" to 18" length of 5/8" to 1"-wide ribbon in coordinating color for bow; artificial flowers and leaves or other decorations of your choice in coordinating colors; straight pins with flat heads; cool melt glue gun and glue sticks; scissors.

ORNAMENT

Wrap the thread randomly around the Styrofoam ball, turning the ball while wrapping to secure and cover the beginning thread end. **(A)** Continue to wrap and criss-cross threads in all directions to cover the ball evenly and avoid any bare areas. **(B)** Cut thread and glue end in place.

Fold the piece of ribbon or braid for the hangers in half and hold ends evenly together. Insert a straight pin through the ends and into the ball for the ornament hanger. **(C)**

Tie the wider ribbon into a bow and glue at base of the hanger. Trim ends of ribbon streamers. Glue the flowers, leaves and/or other decorations at the base of the hanger. **(D)**



AUNT LYDIA'S® Fashion 5 Metallics Size 5, Art. 155, 93% mercerized cotton/7% metallic filament, available in 100 yd (147 m) balls.



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