

LF187 Feather Tutorial

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Make a beautiful and delicate feather pendant using Creative Paradise, Inc Mold LF187



You will need
[CPI mold LF187](#),
Mosaic Nippers,
Powder Vibe, Ear
Wax Vaccum(opp-
tional). In this
tutorial COE96
Dichro Glass, FI and
F2 Frits were used.



Use a powder vibe to place FI Grape into the middle part of the feather. Press and smooth it down with a finger tip.



Use a powder sifter to sift FI Cobalt Blue around the outer edge of the feather.

Always wear a mask when using FI Powder frit. Spray your mold with a suitable glass separator spray such as ZYP before use.



Use a powder sifter to sift FI Moss Green next to the FI Cobalt Blue.



Use a powder sifter to sift FI Light Purple next to the FI Moss Green and over the middle.



Nip up small pieces of Dichro and place them side down in the stem of the mold as pictured.



Fill the mold with F2 Clear until the mold weighs 25 grams. Sweep the frit away from the post.

Tips:

- Be careful not to sweep/brush off your glass separator when adding or removing frit.
- Brush frit away from around the post to avoid burrs and sticking.
- When your piece has finished fusing and has cooled down, remove it from the mold by gently turning the mold over and letting it fall out onto a soft surface. DO NOT pick the piece out of the mold as you may break the post off.

Preferably when making this a pendant you do not want it thick/heavy, therefore we suggest filling the mold until it weighs 25 grams, then fire it to a tack fuse (Table I).

Table I Tack Fusing Schedule*

Segment	Rate	Temp	Hold
1	275	1150	20
2	350	1420	05
3	9999	960	60

*See firing notes.

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