

Working outside the Box...

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(1) Make your bead on the end of the mandrel. You may have a little glass creep into the mandrel groove, on the tip of the bead, but you can easily fire polish it off.



(2) In addition to your bead you will need: (top to bottom, left to right)



Epoxy, Wire Cutters, Round Nose Pliers, Flat nose Pliers, 3" of Sterling Silver Wire, a bead cap or decorative bead (optional).

(3) Place center of wire in the round nose pliers.

How far up the pliers determines how large your loop will



be.

(4) Bend each end of the wire around the pliers until they reach each other.



(5) Place loop where the wires cross, into the pliers (you can use the round nose or the tip of flat nose pliers).



(6) Bend each end of the wire to the center, until each they are parallel to each other.



Your loop is done.



(7) Trim the ends of the wire so that it will fit in the cavity of your Egg.



(8) Follow the instructions for the Epoxy to secure it in place. Cavity must be dry before using the Epoxy, to insure a strong hold.

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Your Simple Egg Drop is complete!



Prior to securing the loop into the bead, you can add a fancy bead, or a bead cap, as shown here



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I hope you enjoy using your Egg press, and continue to find ways to work outside the box...

If you don't have the Egg Press, but would like to order one, you can do so [Here](#).