



Artistic Wire™ Lavender & Blue Necklace

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Materials Check List

Artistic Wire™

24 gauge
Lavender (L)
Violet (V)
Powder Blue (PB)
Blue (B)

Artistic Wire™ -Tools

Wire Cutters
Round Nose Pliers
Wire Worker
(see product instructions for use)

Basic Supplies/Tools

size 6 matte rainbow "E" beads, lavender, 78
.014 Soft Flex™ wire
(1) clasp
(2) crimp beads
Dish Towel

Instructions

Project #107

General Instructions

Spiral Bead:

A simple bead made by coiling wire on a Wire Worker tool to length desired. Cut wire ends to finish.

Double Spiral Bead:

Create a spiral bead at least 3" long. Thread spiral bead onto a wire. Attach second wire to hole on Wire Worker tool's cross bar and wind 1/4" coil. Slide spiral bead up to base of coil and hold second wire at base of bead. Continue turning tool so spiral bead coils around tool. Finish with another 1/4" coil and cut wire ends to finish.

Blossom Bead:

Create a double spiral bead at least 4" long. Thread double spiral bead onto a wire. Attach this wire through hole of Wire Worker and wind 1/4" form coil. Slide double spiral bead up to base of coil and firmly hold wire at base of bead. Continue turning tool so double spiral bead coils around tool. Finish with another 1/4" coil and cut wire to finish ends.

Necklace Instructions

- Step 1:** Make 8 small double spiral beads in each of these colors: L, V, B, PB. For necklace center, make one blossom bead in each of the colors.
- Step 2:** Arrange beads on towel in this order, beginning on left side of necklace: (3) "E" beads, PB Double Spiral, (3) "E" beads, L Double Spiral, (3) "E" beads, B Double Spiral, repeat this pattern three times. Necklace Center: (3) "E" beads, PB Blossom Bead, (3) "E" beads. Continue to arrange beads for right side to match left side.
- Step 3:** Cut 36" length of Soft Flex™ wire. Attach clasp hook to left end with crimp bead. Thread bead onto Soft Flex™ wire in order. Attach clasp loop to other end. Cut off excess.