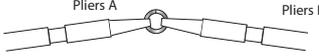
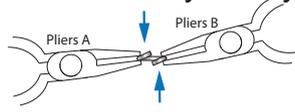


Materials needed for this project

- Chain (with small links)
- Bead cap (in a cone shape)
- Eyepin
- Any other beads and findings if you wish to put the tassel on a necklace or bracelet

Opening and Closing a Jump Ring, you need to open the eye on the eyepin the same way

Step 1. Hold Jump ring with 2 pairs of pliers. 

Step 2. Gently push the Jump ring apart, moving Pliers A away from you and pliers B towards you. 

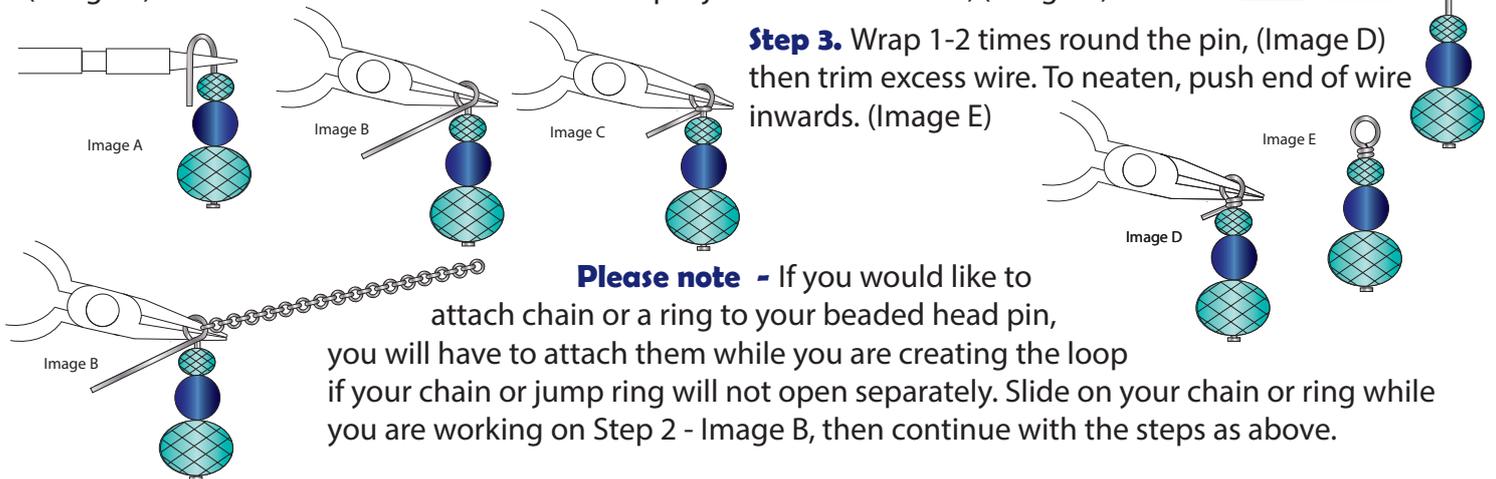
Step 3. With the pliers in the same position, reverse the action in Step 2, pulling pliers A towards you and pushing pliers B away from you.

Wrap around technique, to the top of the eyepin.

Step 1. Slide a bead onto the pin and hold the pin 5mm above the bead with round nose pliers.

Step 2. Wrap top of pin into a loop (Image A), curling it around the pliers. (Image B). Then twist the wire back around the pin just above the bead, (Image C).

Step 3. Wrap 1-2 times round the pin, (Image D) then trim excess wire. To neaten, push end of wire inwards. (Image E)



Please note - If you would like to attach chain or a ring to your beaded head pin, you will have to attach them while you are creating the loop if your chain or jump ring will not open separately. Slide on your chain or ring while you are working on Step 2 - Image B, then continue with the steps as above.

Take the chain and cut a length of 5cm of chain or shorter if you want to make a smaller tassel. Then take the Eyepin and open the loop. Thread the lengths of chain onto the loop (You can add as many or as few as you wish) and close. Please note, if you're adding more chain then you might need to make the loop on your eye pin bigger. Which you can do with a pair of round nose pliers. Then place a cone bead cap over the pin and push down on top of the lengths of chain. Then finish with a wrap around loop on the top of the eyepin to make your tassel extra secure.

Once you have made your tassel you can add it to your jewellery, string it on a necklace as a pendant or add it with a jump ring to some chain. For bead stringing refer to some of the earlier projects on your USB.



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