

## Materials needed for this project

- Clasp of your choice
- Beads of your choice
- Jump Rings
- Eye pins

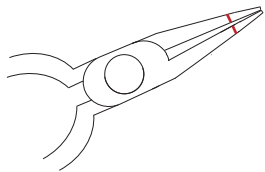
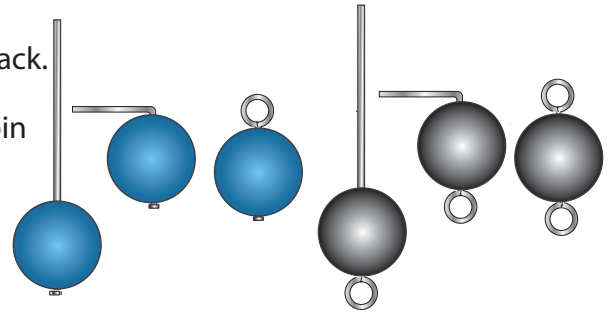
## Creating a loop on a Head Pin or Eye Pin

**Step 1.** Take a headpin or Eye Pin and slide on a bead from your pack.

**Step 2.** Using your round nose pliers, bend the top of your headpin as close as you can on the top of the bead, at a 90 degree angle. Cut your headpin leaving 1cm.

**Step 3.** Again, using your round nose pliers, bend the wire up and around forming a loop at the top.

**Step 4.** Attach your component to another one with a jump ring, please refer to the diagram below how to open and to close a jump ring.



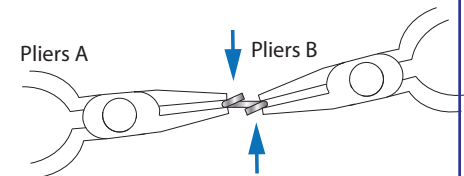
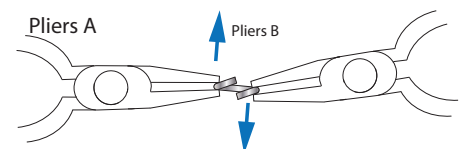
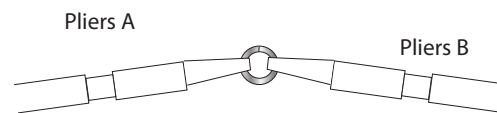
**Top tip -** To ensure your loops are a consistent size, take your round nose pliers and mark with a pen on both ends. Then when you are creating your loops, hold the beaded pin on the pen mark and curl - every pin loop will now have the same diameter.

## Opening and Closing a Jump Ring

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

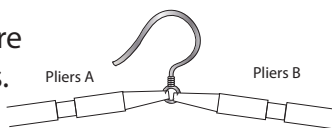
**Step 2.** Gently push the Jump ring apart, moving Pliers A away from you and pliers B towards you.

**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.

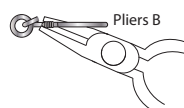


## Opening an Ear Wire

**Step 1.** Hold Ear Wire with 2 pairs of pliers.

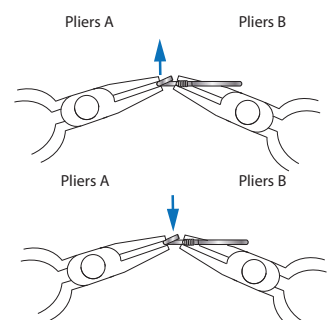


**Step 3.** Hook your Earring onto the Ear Wire.



**Step 2.** Gently push the ring held by Pliers A away from you, holding Pliers B firmly in front of you.

**Step 4.** Holding the pliers in the same position, reverse the action in Step 2, pulling pliers A towards you and holding pliers B firmly in front of you.



# Chain Jewellery with Eye pins

## How to make your jewellery

You can use a pendant in the middle of your beaded chain if you like.



Make up your links using the eyepins, then connect them together using jump rings. You can start at the middle with attaching 2 links to your pendant, then carry on adding links to each side. You can also make a bracelet or earrings with your links.



The bottom bead on your earring has to be made with a headpin so there is an end to your beaded chain there.

Using the eye pin method you can make your beads go further as you will create a chain with the links and jump rings.

You can also add more than one bead to your eyepin to create different looks and also you can make even longer necklaces adding a small piece of chain between your eyepins.



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