

Instructions to create the Love Beaded Bracelet using 6mm Druk Beads & 6mm glass gold heart

The Love Bracelet design uses Czech glass 6mm druk round beads & a 6mm glass gold heart charm.

This bracelet is a charm bracelet, strung onto Griffin Jewellery Elastic bead Cord in Clear 0.7mm diameter.

The bracelet itself is very easy and quick to do. Creating the charm first allows a smooth continuation of the bracelet

Items required to create the *Love Bracelet*:

Griffin Jewellery Elastic Cord Clear 0.7mm diameter.

(.925) Silver or (.925) Gold Finish 4mm Roundel .

(.925) Silver or (.925) Gold Finish 3mm Roundel.

(.925) Silver or (.925) Gold Finish 50mm Charm Pin.

(.925) Silver or (.925) Gold Finish 1.8mm Diameter seamless Bead.
and Crimp with a 0.9mm Hole

6mm Round Czech glass druk beads.

Metallic Heart 6mm Pressed Czech Glass Bead.

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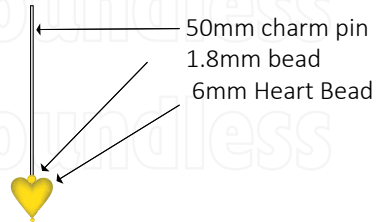
I will use a 50mm length Charm pin to create the charm.

Charm pins are 0.4mm diameter wire, which makes bending and shaping the wire easier.

There is a small bead welded onto the bottom of the wire to hold the decorative bead/s on the wire.

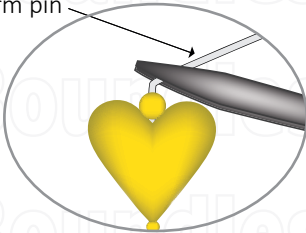
A very neat and secure closure is created when using a charm pin.

1. Pick up onto your charm pin
1 x 6mm glass heart bead
1 x 1.8mm bead

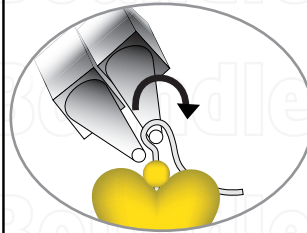


2. Holding the threaded beads in one hand, use chain nose pliers to grip the charm pin very close to the top of the 1.8mm ball and gently bend the wire 90 degrees.

Charm pin

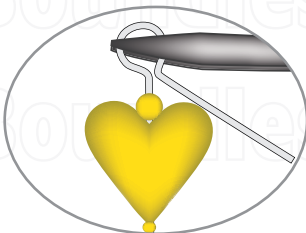


3. Place round nose pliers above but touching the 90 degree bend, with your spare hand wrap the charm pin wire around pliers to create a loop.



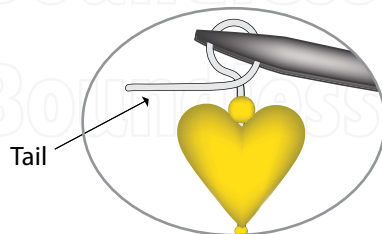
The size of the loop depends where on the pliers you wrap.

4. Hold loop between chain nose pliers,



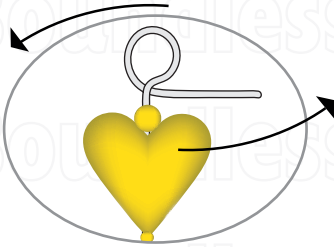
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5. With your spare hand take tail of the charm pin and wrap the charm pin tail over the front of the neck of the wire.

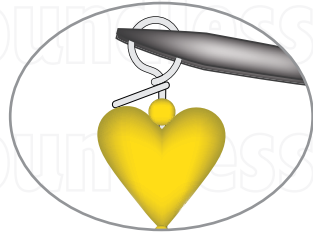


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6. Rotate the bead 180 degrees bringing the tail of the Charm pin into the previous position. This allows more control over the wrapping



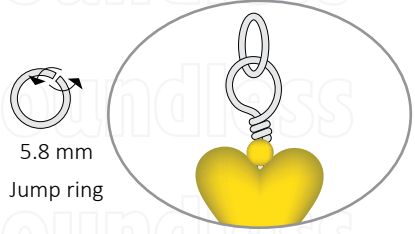
7. With your spare hand take the tail and continue to wrap the charm pin tail over the front of the neck of the wire.



8. Repeat step 6 and 7 until the charm pin tail is flush against, the top of the 1.8mm bead. The excess wire is now cut off, and the end tucked in with chain nose pliers. (This should be approximately three to four full wraps).



9. Attach a 5.8mm jump ring to the finished loop. The charm is now ready for the next stage of creating the stretchy bracelet.



Create a Secure knot using Griffin Jewellery Elastic Cord

9. Cut 35cm of Griffin 0.7mm elastic beading cord.

Pick up:

28 6mm druk beads

1 x (.925) 4mm roundel beads

2 x (.925) 3mm roundel beads

Pick up onto the opposite thread:

1 x (.925) 4mm roundel beads (the knot will be placed between the rondels, and tucked inside the 4mm roundel.

Diagram (9)

9a. To create a knot with Griffin Jewellery Elastic is simple.

Take the two ends and hold them together.

Diagram (9)



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10. Take the two ends and bring them down and over themselves to create a loop.

Diagram (10)



Diagram (10)

11. Take the ends of the thread round the back of the loop, and come through the loop to the front. Guide the knot to snug up close to the beads. Holding both ends together give a fairly firm pull. Diagram (11).

To test if the knot is secure you should be able to pull the two sides apart gently without your knot moving.

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Diagram (11)



Note: Your knot will sit discreetly mainly within the 4mm roundel and between the 3mm roundel.