

NETTED BEADED ORNAMENT



LEARN THESE JEWELRY MAKING TECHNIQUES:

- How to do the Circular Netted Stitch
- How to add Fringe

SUPPLIES:

- Beadalon® Nymo® Nylon Threads, Assorted White (Item # 10472116)
- Thread Magic® Thread Conditioner® (Item # 10639680)
- Gold Half Faceted Glass Rondel Beads by Bead Landing™ (Item # 10594120)
- Glass Seed Beads by Bead Landing®, 6/0 (Item # 10627289)
- Dazzle-It!™ Czech Glass Bugle Beads, Silver-Lined Topaz (Item # 10478836)
- Red Clay Pavé Rondel Beads, 10mm by Bead Landing™ (Item # 10547876)
- Holiday Tree Ornament 2.5" diameter

TOOLS:

- Scissors and/or Thread Burner
- Beadalon® Collapsible Eye Needles, Medium (Item # 10427048)
- or Beadalon® Hard Beading Needles (Item # M10332394)

Instructions:

Cut a 6 foot (1.8 m) length of Size D Nymo. Stretch it, condition it with Thread Magic, and thread your needle.

ROUND 1

Pick up one size 6 seed bead and one bugle bead 6 times. Leave about a 3 inch (7.6 cm) tail and pass through all of the beads again to form a circle. Tie the ends in a square knot and trim the tail. Thread through the circle to exit the next size 6 seed bead.

ROUND 2

Pick up one size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, one size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, and one size 6 seed bead. Sew through the next size 6 seed bead. Repeat around the circle. When you get to the end, you'll need to "step up" after going through the last size 6 seed bead by threading through the first size 6 seed bead, bugle bead and size 6 seed bead added.

ROUND 3

Pick up one size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 3x size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, and one size 6 seed bead. Sew through the size 6 seed bead in the middle of the previous round. Repeat around the circle. When you get to the end, thread through the first size 6 seed bead, bugle bead and 2 size 6 seed beads added.

ROUND 4

Pick up 2 size 6 seed beads, one bugle bead, 3x size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 2x size 6 seed beads. Sew through the size 6 seed bead in the middle of the previous round. Repeat around the circle. When you get to the end, thread through the first two size 6 seed beads, bugle bead and 2 size 6 seed beads added.

ROUND 5

Pick up one size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 1 size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 1 size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 1 size 6 seed bead, 1 bugle bead, 1 size 6 seed bead (a total of 5 size 6 and 4 bugles). Sew through the size 6 seed bead in the middle of the previous round. Repeat around the circle. When you get to the end, thread through the first size 6 seed beads, bugle bead, size 6 seed bead, bugle bead and size 6 seed bead added.

ROUND 6

Pick up one size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 3 size 6 seed bead, one bugle bead, 1 size 6 seed bead. Keep the tension on this round loose until you add the ornament. Add the ornament, cinch everything up and tie off thread.

ROUND 7 - ADDING THE FRINGE

STEP 1

Cut, stretch and condition a 5 foot (1.5m) length of Nymo. Tie the end to the last row of netting. Stitch through the beads until your needle is exiting the middle of one group of three size 6 seed beads.

STEP 2

Pick up one size 6 seed bead and one bugle bead 7 times. Pick up one more size 6 seed bead, one pave crystal bead and three size 6 seed beads. Skip the three seed beads, and sew back through the pave crystal bead, and all of the beads picked up in this step. Sew around and through the size 6 seed bead and the next seed bead, bugle bead and two seed beads so that your thread is exiting from the middle bead in the next group of three seed beads.

STEP 3

Pick up one size 6 seed bead and one bugle bead 7 times. Pick up one more size 6 seed bead, one rondelle bead and three size 6 seed beads. Skip the three seed beads, and sew back through the rondelle bead, and all of the beads picked up in this step. Sew around and through the size 6 seed bead and the next seed bead, bugle bead and two seed beads so that your thread is exiting from the middle bead in the next group of three seed beads.

STEP 4

Repeat steps 3 and 4, alternating a pave crystal bead and rondelle bead on each of the fringe until you have completed 12 fringe strands. Tie off your thread and use a scissors or thread burner to trim the ends.