

TASSEL KEY CHAIN PRODUCT KIT

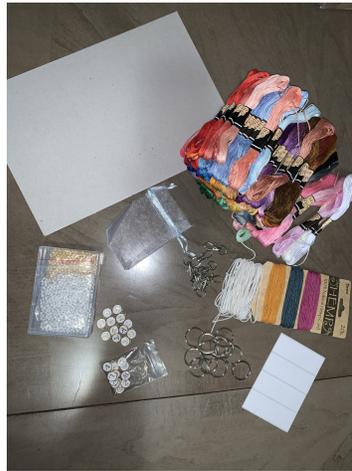
Introduction

These instructions will walk you through how to assemble a unique key chain. You can take what you learn here to create new products, like necklaces, curtain clings or gift tags! We hope you enjoy this project. Make sure that you have received all of the materials necessary to create your product. Especially your survey sheet, which you should have already completed.

Now ready your workspace to ensure an enjoyable and efficient production. Is your space large enough? Has it been wiped clean?

Materials

- Beads
- Embroidery Thread
- Felt Placemat
- Fine Hemp Cord
- Lobster Clasp & Key Ring
- Markers
- Product Box
- Product Labels
- Scissors



Completion

This kit will make 25 products. You can then sell these items independently, at a SSV Work & Learn Marketplace Event or around your community.

Steps



Prepare the hemp cord by cutting a long piece in the color of your choosing. Fold this long piece in half and stick the two raw ends through the solid loop in the lobster claw, and then bring these ends back through the hemp string loop to fully knot the hemp to the lobster claw.



Arrange loose beads in the order of your design on the felt placemat. The felt is beneficial to keep the beads from rolling away or falling out of order.



Put the raw ends of the hemp string through the beads, one a time, in the order you have designed.



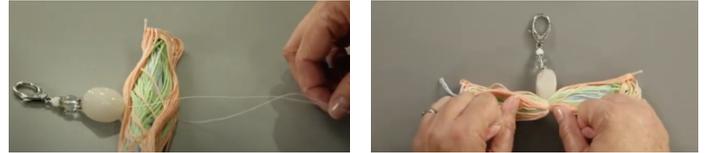
Prepare the embroidery string to create a tassel. Choose two or three colors of embroidery thread to create a tassel and remove the paper holder. While leaving the thread in its shape, gently loosen the thread, and place one color over the next.



Separate the hemp, now attached to the lobster claw and beads, so that one piece is laying straight down toward you, and the second piece is raised straight up, like a clock reading six o'clock.



Place the pile of our embroidery thread on top of the lower piece of hemp, at the base of the beads. Using both hemp pieces, create a knot, like you are starting to tie your shoe. Do this twice to secure the thread. Tie these knots as tightly as possible.



Fold the embroidery thread in half, covering the knot you just created. Take an additional piece of hemp, and wrap it around the top of your tassel, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch from the bottom beads. Wrap this piece around, at least four times and tie a knot. Cut the ends off as close to the knot as possible.



Stick the scissors into the loops in the embroidery thread and cut anywhere you find a loop. Continue to cut the loops until all of the ends are free. Flatten all pieces of the tassel and trim them to make the ends even.



Package the tassel chain and create a custom label to distinguish your products. Repeat all steps until you have run out of material.



Complete your post test survey and follow the completion instructions on the front of this sheet.