

SUN BEAD BRACELETS!!!

Notice: This activity includes small parts (beads), please use under adult supervision. Keep out of reach of small children.

Materials: plastic beads, elastic cord, scissors (not included), clear surface area

Instructions

STEP 1

Clear a work surface area such as a table or lap tray so that you may place the contents of your sun bead bracelet supplies bag (includes sun beads and an elastic cord).

STEP 2

Find your cord. In your sun bead bracelet bag, you have been provided with a 12 inch strand of elastic cord. Your bracelet will be shorter, but it will be easier to string beads if there is extra room on the string when you bead.

STEP 3

Choose your sun beads. You should gather enough of them so that if they are standing side-by-side that they can go around the diameter of your wrist. Make sure to use both the new beads & the beads from camp.



STEP 4

Thread your sun beads on to the cord. Start by laying the elastic cord on the table. Place the end of the elastic cord through the hole in the center of a bead. Slide the bead to the middle first to prevent losing them from the other end. Don't worry if you don't put enough, or put too much. You can always adjust once you check the size against the wearer's wrist.

STEP 5

Size your sun bead bracelet. Have someone else wrap the bracelet carefully around the wearer's wrist. Try to make the cords ends and the last beads meet. There should be some slack in the bracelet and the last beads should almost touch.

STEP 6

Tie your elastic cord. Time to tie your elastic cord into a knot. Just make a simple overhand knot and pull it tight while it is on your wrist

STEP 7

Trim your elastic cord. With a pair of scissors, cut as close as possible to the knot.

You did it! Next time you go in to the sun, watch the colors appear like magic!