

Embellished Spiral Necklace by Ann Page

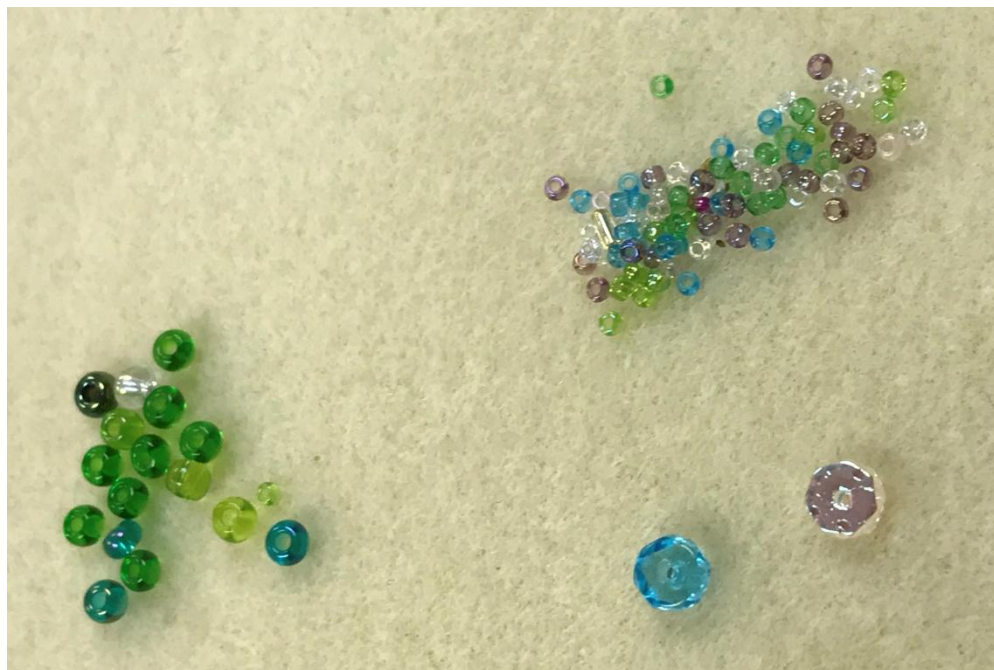


INGREDIENTS

A= SIZE 6/0 seed beads

B= SIZE 11 seed beads

C= Disc crystals



BASE

The base is worked in Spiral
Stitch as follows:
Pick up 3A and 7B.



Needle around to go up the A's and back down the B's.
Reinforce by needling around all beads again, coming out of the
stack of A's.



Pick up 1A and 7B



and circle around to go through the top 2 A's in the first stack and then
through the new A just added.



Repeat this
stitch for
desired
length.
The model is
18".



CLASP

Add 1/2 of the clasp, reinforcing several times, then turn and go back through the last A of the chain.



FRINGES

The fringes will be added between each of the core A's. Begin the fringes with 2B, an A and a B.

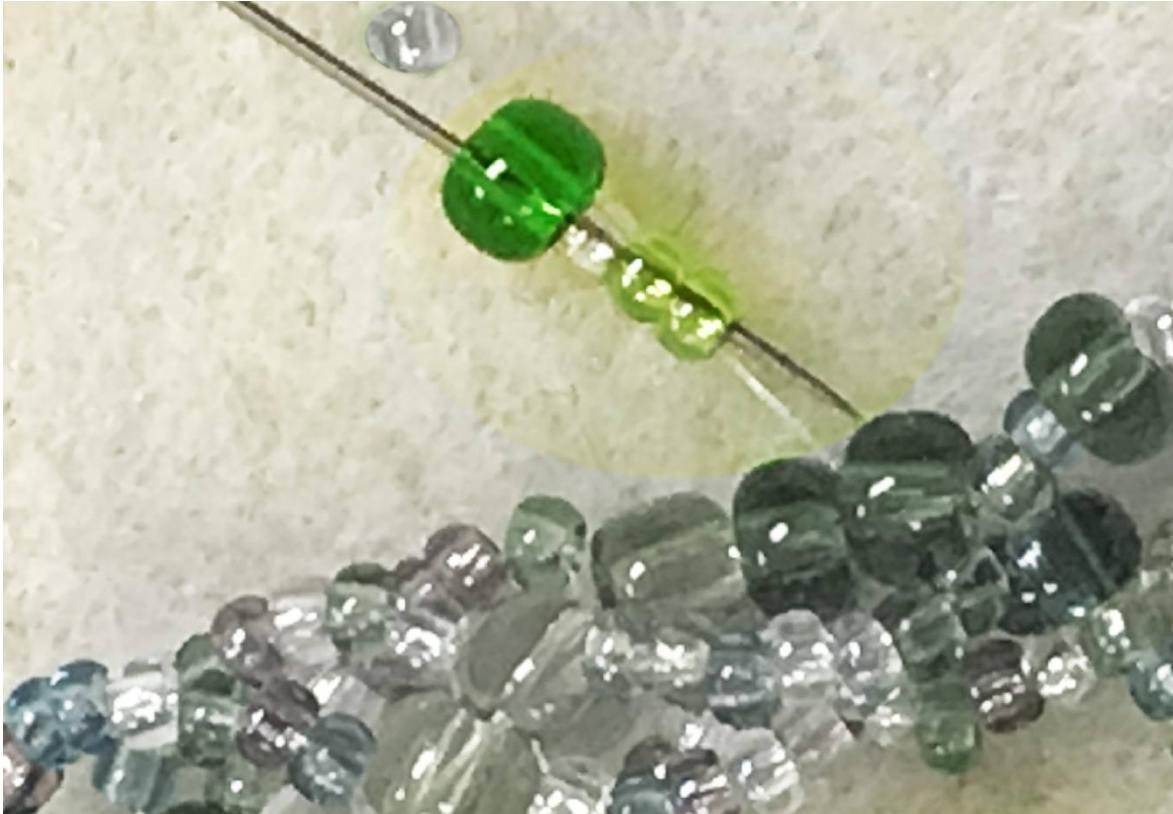
Next go back down through the A and 2B.



This is called a simple fringe. Repeat this 2 drop simple fringe for 2 1/2 inches.



Change to a 3 drop fringe by picking up 3B for the stem, an A for the end bead, a B to turn, and back through the. A and 3B's for another 3 inches (Total so far 5 1/2 inches).



Begin 5 drop simple fringe with 2A as the end bead, a B to turn, and go back all the beads to the same space between the beads.

Go through the next core bead.

Repeat until your work is 7 1/2 inches in length.



Work coral fringe through the 3" of the center. If you want your necklace to be longer than 18", add your extra length in this segment. *Coral fringe is a fringe making branches off the stem.

Pick up 6A or 7A, then 4B, a C, & a B to turn



Next go back through the branch back to the stem of the fringe.



Go up 2A or 3A, add another branch, turning with a B and back through the B's added



Next go up 2A and form another branch.



Finally, go up through the remainder of the stem, back into the same space, and through the next core bead.



After the center 3 inches, decrease back down - begin 5 drop simple fringe with 5B, 2A, 1B, back through the stem to the same space as before for 2",
3 drop for 3"
and 2 drop for 2 1/2".
Add second half of clasp and reinforce.
Tie into the tail, and knot thread several times through the core beads.

Fringe close-ups in the finished necklace:

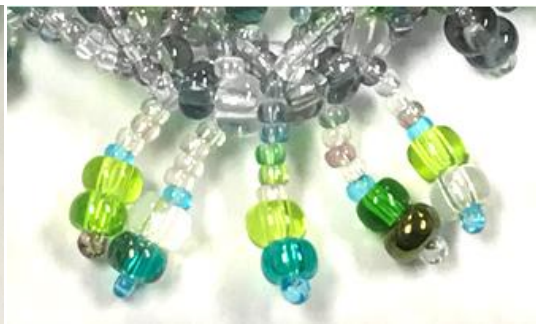
SIMPLE FRINGE



3 DROP FRINGE



5 DROP FRINGE



CORAL FRINGE





ADDENDUM This is the basic necklace with the beads in the purchased kit, that makes a perfect t-shirt necklace. The kit can also serve as a color base for a more elegant necklace. Use leftover beads: seed beads, crystals, rounds in 4mm, 6mm or 8mm, pearls, metal beads, etc., using the smaller beads for the 2 and 3 drop fringe, medium sized beads for the 5 drop, and the larger beads for the coral fringe. Always save odd beads for free form work. Keep like colors together for free form work.



