Looped Glass Looping Plier Bracelet (& Earrings)

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Supplies:

- **Chain Nose Pliers**
- **Flush Cutters**
- **PLIER55A** Wubbers (R) Large Looping Plier (Use With 18 Gauge Wire. Makes Round Loops with an Inside Diameter Of Apx. 4.2mm)
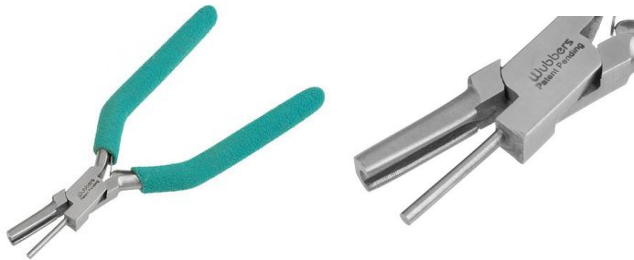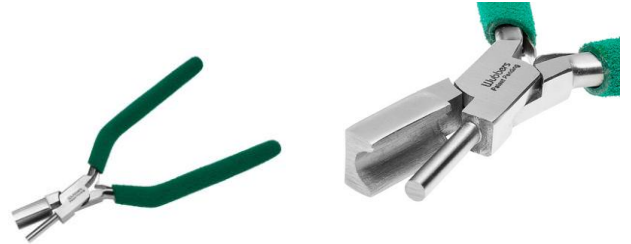
- **PLIER55** Wubbers Looping Plier, (Use With 20 And 22 Gauge Soft Wire. Makes Round Loops with an Inside Diameter Of Apx 2.2mm.)

- **JLW7889** Assorted Faceted & Smooth Glass Beads, 1 Pound Bag

- **Headpins & Earwires**
- **18g Wire**

1. First I sorted my Beads into an amber color scheme.

Make a wrapped loop:

2. Slide one bead onto your headpin. Line up the regular looping Wubbers loosly against the bead.
3. Press to curve the headpin.
4. Gently pull the bead back at a right angle (you might have to scoot your pliers further down the wire to give it room if it's a big bead.

5. Pull the tail of the headpin around and under the plier barrel across the bead.
6. Use your chain nose pliers to grab the tail and pull it around to make a wrapped loop. Trim the end with your flush cutters then tuck the cut part with your chain nose.

Make a Simple Loop:

7. Take a piece of smaller wire or cut off the head of one of your headpins as I did.
8. Curve the wire around the barrel of your Looping Wubbers. Turn until the loop goes all the way around then bend the wire against the loopers at the top.

9. Use your chain nose pliers to open the loop then add your wrapped loop dangle. Slide on a bead and repeat the steps to create a wrapped loop.
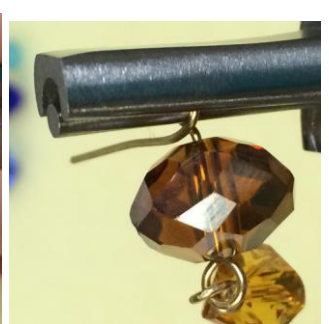
10. Add an earwire to create an earring and repeat for the other.

Create the matching bracelet:

To create the bracelet, use the Large Looping Pliers with 18g wire to make it sturdy. See the difference in wire size between the 18g & the headpin.
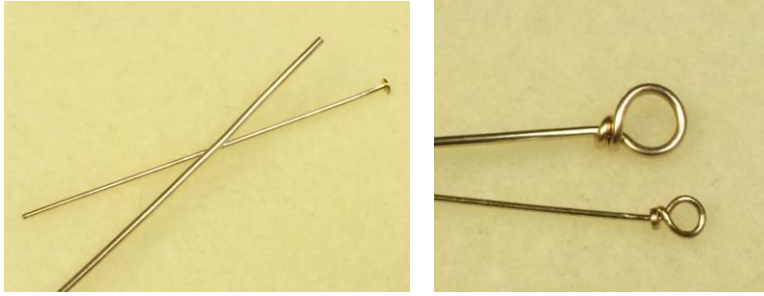

11. Create the first bead link with a wrapped loop on both sides. Create the first wrapped loop without the bead. Add the bead. Then follow the directions as before when you used the headpin.

12. Create a simple loop with your 18g wire. Open the end and add the Wrapped loop bead. Add a bead then create a simple loop on the other side.

13. Repeat simple loops with your large looping Wubbers until your bracelet is long enough.

Create the clasp:
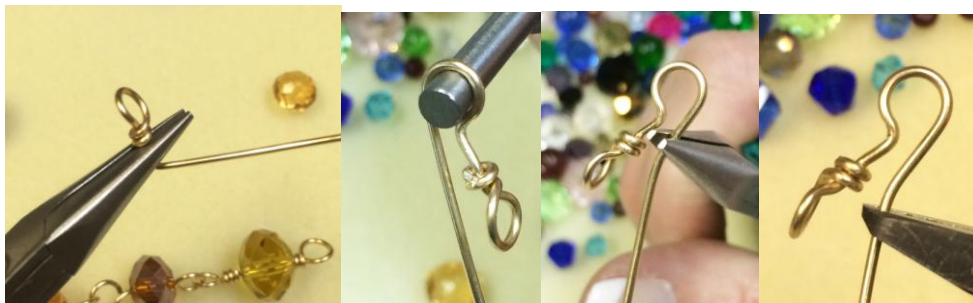
14. Create a wrapped loop at the end of your wire. You can work off of the spool to prevent waste.

15. Bend the wire at a right angle about 3-4mm up from the wrap.

16. Create a simple loop at this bend with your large looping Wubbers but do not cross the end over.

17. Give the wire a slight bend outward with your chain nose pliers then trim with your Flush Cutters.

Use your regular Looping Wubbers with your headpins to create dangles as you like!

Enjoy!