STATEMENT PEARLS
EARRING TUTORIAL

with

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NEED

- 12 pearls
- 20g gold tone wire
- 22g gold tone wire
- Flush cutters
- Round nose pliers
- Flat nose pliers
- 6-step bale maker
- Chain nose pliers
- 15 mm 1-step looper
- 20g silver wire
- Wire rounder/dremel

1. Get all your supplies together. Start with your flat nose pliers, 22g wire, and a seed bead.

2. Make a tiny bend in the end of your 6" 22g wire and squeeze to create headpin. Add seed bead.

3. Add 6 pearls. 2mm away from last pearl, make bend w/ round nose pliers. Push wire back to create loop.

4. Grasp loop with flat nose pliers and use chain nose to wrap excess wire and coil above pearl.

5. Snip extra with flush cutters then squeeze tight with chain nose.

6. Cut 6" 20g wire. 1" from end, use round nose pliers to create loop. Attach to pearl headpin.

7. 1" from the spot you just connected, use lg. part of 6-step bale maker to grip.

8. Curve wire over until back of wire is parallel with front.

9. Snip wire just above the start of the second pearl.

10. Using wire rounder/dremel in shallow dish of water, round off the end of the wire so it's ready to wear!

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