

Tea Party Earrings by Sara Ellis

Skill Level – 1
Time to Complete – Under 30 minutes
Product Focus – Beadalon Bead Caps
Techniques – Stringing, Wire Wrapping

Materials:

- 6 15mm Flower Shape Bead Caps
- 45mm Flower Shape Bead Caps
- 2 Silver Tone Head Pins
- 2 Silver Tone Eye Pins
- 2 Silver Tone Ear Wires

Beads:

- 28mm Czech Glass Rounds
- 2 4mm Czech Glass Rounds
- 2 12mm Round Beads

Tools:

- Hammer
- Block
- Chain Nose Pliers
- Round Nose Pliers
- Cutter Tool

Instructions:

1. Place one 15mm Flower Shaped Bead Caps onto the block. Gently flatten the bead cap, using a hammer or soft mallet. Set aside.





2. Thread a 6mm Czech Glass Round, a 5mm Flower Shaped Bead Cap and a 4mm Czech Glass Round onto a head pin.

3. Using chain nose pliers, bend the head pin at a 90 degree angle over the top of the 4mm Czech Glass

Round.

4. Trim the wire with the cutter tool, leaving approximately 1/4" of wire.

5. Grasp the end of the wire with round nose pliers and roll the wire back towards the beads to create a simple loop.



6. Using chain nose pliers, gently open the loop at the end of an eye pin. Thread the beaded link you created in the previous step onto the eye pin and close the loop.



7. Thread a 15mm Flower Shape
Bead Cap onto the eye pin, with the
curved side down. Thread the flattened
15mm Flower Shape Bead Cap and
another 15mm Flower Shaped Bead
Cap onto the eye pin with the curved
side up.

8. Thread a 12mm round bead and a 5mm Flower Shaped Bead Cap on the eye pin.



9. Grasp the eye pin with chain nose pliers, directly over the last added bead cap. Bend the wire 90 degrees over the top of the pliers. Replace the chain nose pliers with round nose pliers, grasping the wire so that it runs between the barrel of the pliers. Gently guide the wire up and over the top barrel of the pliers. Adjust your grip on the pliers and continue to guide the wire around to create a loop. Grasp the tail of the wire and wrap it around the straight section of wire 3 or 4 times to create a wrapped loop. Trim the tail with the cutter tool.



- 10. Using chain nose pliers, attach an ear wire to the wrapped loop you created in the previous step.
- 11. Repeat Steps 1-10 to create the second earring.



Night Out Earrings by Sara Ellis

Skill Level – 1
Time to Complete – 30 minutes
Product Focus – Beadalon Bead Caps
Techniques – Stringing Wire Wrapping

Materials:

- 2 14mm Fancy Round Bead Caps
- 2 15mm Flower Shape Bead Caps
- 2 5mm Flower Shape Bead Caps
- 13 Silver Tone Head Pins
- 2 Silver Tone Ear Wires
- 12 6mm Silver Tone Jump Rings

Beads:

- 14 6mm Czech Glass Rounds
- 2 12mm Czech Glass Rounds

Tools:

- Chain Nose Pliers
- Round Nose Pliers
- Cutter Tool



Instructions:

1. Thread a 6mm Czech Glass Round onto a head pin. Using chain nose pliers, grasp the wire above the bead and bend the wire 90 degrees over the barrel of the pliers. Replace the chain nose pliers with round nose pliers, grasping the wire so that it runs between the barrels of the pliers. Gently guide the wire up and over the top barrel of the pliers. Adjust your grip on the pliers and continue to guide the wire around to create a loop. Wrap the tail of the wire around the straight section of wire 3 or 4 times to create a wrapped

loop. Trim the tail with the cutter tool.

2. Repeat Step 1 11 additional times to create a total of 12 beaded links.



3. Using chain nose pliers, open a 6mm jump ring and thread the jump ring through one of the open spaces on the edge of a 14mm Fancy Round Bead Cap. Before closing the jump ring, thread on one of the beaded links. Close the jump ring.

4. Repeat Step 3 until you have added all of the beaded links to the bead cap.





5. Thread a 6mm Czech Glass Round onto a head pin. Thread the beaded bead cap from the previous step onto the head pin with the curve facing down and a 15mm Flower Shape Bead Cap with the curve facing up.

6. Thread a 12mm Czech Glass Round, a 5mm Flower Shape Bead Cap and a 6mm Czech Glass Round onto the head pin.



7. Grasp the head pin above the 6mm Czech Glass Round with chain nose pliers. Follow the instructions in Step 1 to create a wrapped loop.



- 8. Using chain nose pliers, attach an ear wire to the wrapped loop you created in the previous step.
- 9. Repeat Steps 1-8 to create the second earring.

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