

Beady Buddy

Materials required

- *Bead Buddy* Patterns
- Plastic lacing in a variety of colors
- Pony beads in a variety of colors
- Key ring

Supplies

- Scissors
- Measuring stick

Instructions

1. Print out *Beady Buddy* Patterns
2. Select which *Beady Buddy* pattern you want to make. Measure and cut the correct length of plastic lacing. Count out the correct number of each color of beads your pattern calls for.
3. Fold the lacing in half to find the center. Pull center loop of the lacing through a key ring and then pull the ends back through the loop to form a Lark's Head knot (Figure 1). This will form two laces to weave with.
4. Follow the directions on your instruction sheet. When you have completed the pattern you may tie the lacing into a knot or weave the ends back up through the previous weaving (Figure 2). After a few rows, trim the ends.

Basic Weaving Instructions

For each row of beads, follow the pattern and thread beads, one at a time onto one of the laces. Weave the other lace through the beads from the opposite direction.

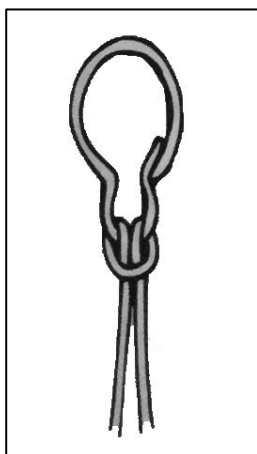


Figure 1

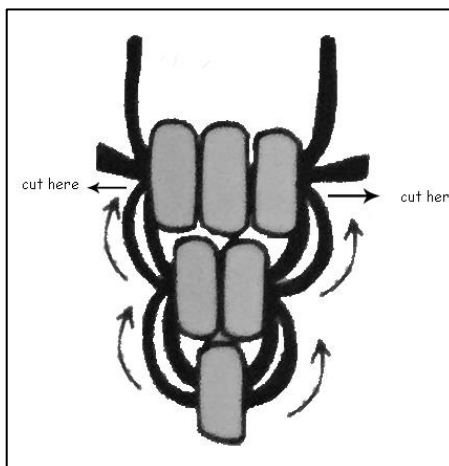
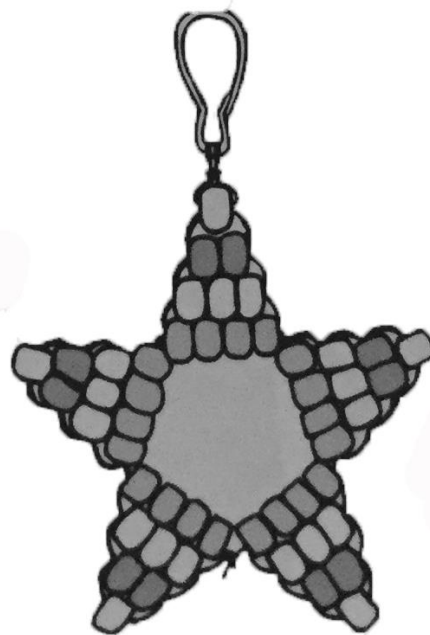


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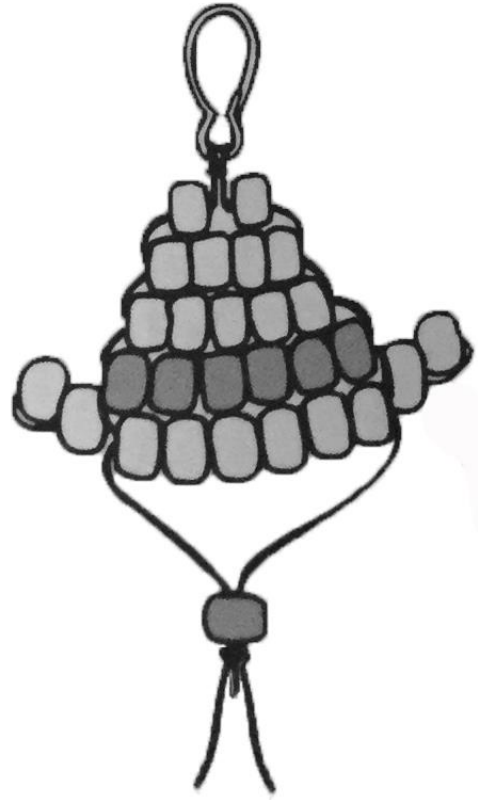
Beady Star

1. Complete the first triangle with the Basic Weaving instructions
2. Thread all the beads for the next triangle onto one lace (four blue beads, three white beads, three red beads)
3. Using the same lace, weave back through the beads in the opposite direction.
4. Complete two triangles on each lace, making five triangles total.
5. Tie the laces in a knot and trim close to knot.



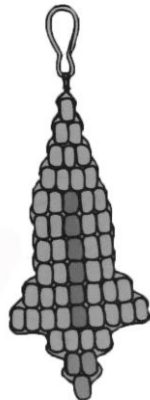
Beady cowboy hat

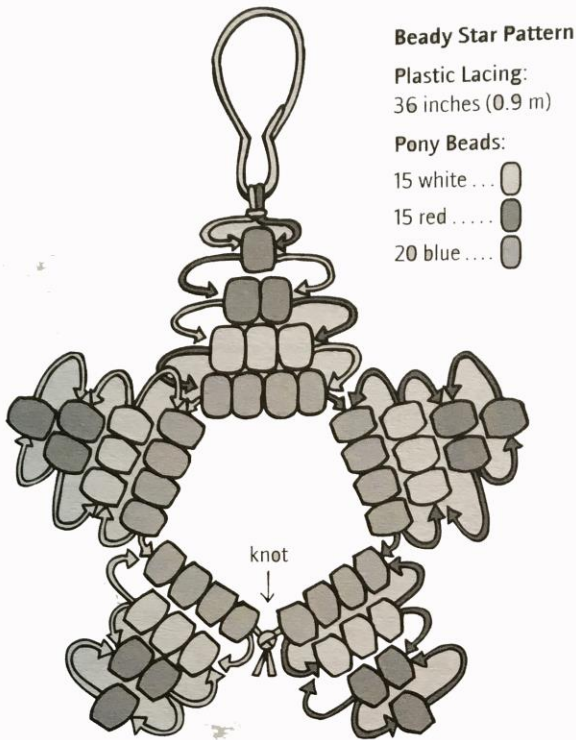
1. Thread one tan or light brown bead onto each lace. Thread four tan or light brown beads onto one of the laces. Weave the other lace through only the four beads as in the Basic Weaving instructions.
2. Continue in the Basic Weaving pattern until you get to the final row. Then thread six tan or light brown beads onto one lace and weave the other lace through as in the Basic Weaving Pattern.
3. Add two tan or light brown beads to one of the laces. Using the same lace, weave through the first bead you just added. Continue on the other side.
4. Place both laces through a dark brown bead. Tie a know.



. Beady rocket

This pattern uses only Basic Weaving. There are no special instructions.

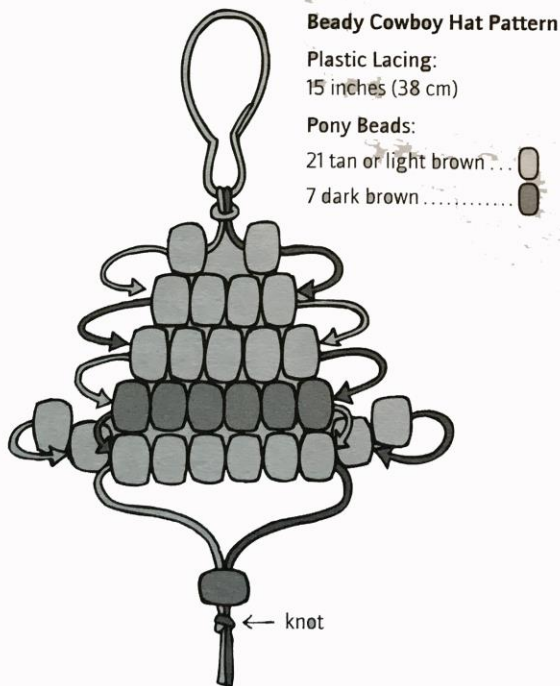
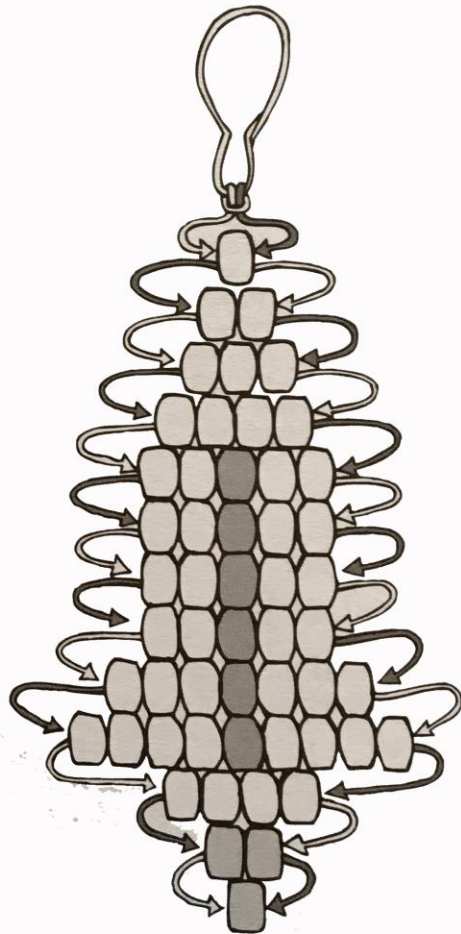




Beady Rocket Pattern

Plastic Lacing:
36 inches (0.9 m)

Pony Beads:
44 metallic blue ...
6 metallic red
3 gold



Conversation

These Beady Buddies remind us of different places at SonWorld Adventure Park. Every day, we hear true stories from the Bible. Today's story was about a man who couldn't walk. His friends helped him get to Jesus, who not only healed the man's legs, but forgave his sins. Jesus wants to forgive our sins too. Each of us can choose forgiveness from Jesus.