

Forever Valentine Earrings

Project E2059

Designer: Kat Silvia

These bead embroidered earrings feature a picot edge that adds a vintage feel to these beautiful black and red cameos.

What You'll Need

Lucite Oval Cameo - Black With Red Lolita Skeleton 25x18mm (2 Pieces)

SKU: SPCB-2509

Project uses 2 pieces



Toho Round Seed Beads 11/0 45F Opaque Frosted Pepper Red 8 Gram Tube

SKU: JSK-0233

Project uses 1 Tube



Toho Round Seed Beads 11/0 49F 'Opaque Frosted Jet' 8 Gram Tube

SKU: JSK-0242

Project uses 1 Tube



Toho Round Seed Beads 15/0 49F 'Opaque Frosted Jet' 8 Gram Tube

SKU: JSO-0242

Project uses 1 Tube



Silver Plated Flat 8mm Glue On Earring Posts (20)

SKU: FEA-1621

Project uses 2 pieces



Silver Plated Earring Backs (Earnuts) Med. (100)

SKU: FEA-1013

Project uses 2 pieces



BeadSmith Beading Foundation - For Embroidery Work - Black 5.5x4.25 Inches

SKU: XCR-4296

Project uses 1 piece



Beadsmith Ultra Suede For Beading Foundation And Cabochon Work 8.5x4.25 Inches Black Onyx

SKU: XCR-4380

Project uses 1 piece



NYMO Nylon Beading Thread Size D for Delica Beads Black 64YD (58 Meters)

SKU: XCR-8902

Project uses 1 piece



Crafter's Pick The Ultimate Permanent Glue Cement Adhesive 4 OZ

SKU: XTL-1026

Project uses 1 piece



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-3006] Beadsmith English Beading Needles Size 12 (4 Needles), [XTL-5700] Fiskars 5 Precision Tip Scissors - Super Sharp

Instructions

By following the instructions below, you will make one earring. Repeat all instructions to make the second earring.

1. Please watch the Video: How to Hide an Earring Post in Bead Embroidery. To begin, you will be make a tiny hole in beading foundation and poke the earring post through it.
2. Please watch the Video: How to Glue a Cabochon for Bead Embroidery. Glue the cameo on to the piece of beading foundation with the earring post through it using Crafter's Pick. Make sure that the cameo is situated so that the earring post is towards the top of the Cameo. (See photo for reference) Let Dry.
3. Please watch the Video: How to Backstitch in Bead Embroidery. Using black 11/0 seed beads, back stitch one row around the cameo.
4. Please watch the Video: How to Create a Bezel Row in Bead Embroidery. Using the black 15/0 seed beads make a bezel row.
5. Please watch the Video: How to Trim the Foundation and Attach the Backing. You will be cutting off the excess beading foundation and using Crafter's Pick to glue the backing to the piece and trim the backing.
6. Please watch our video: How to Bead Embroider a Picot Edge. Using black 15/0 seed beads and the red 11/0 seed beads make a picot edge.
7. Attach the earring back and you are all done.