

Swarovski Crystal Sea Snail Earrings

Project E2100

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Get ready to dance and twirl under the sea with these glittering Swarovski Crystal sea snail earrings.

What You'll Need

Swarovski Crystal, 6731 Sea Snail Pendant 14mm, 1 Piece, Crystal AB

SKU: SWCR-1134

Project uses 2 pieces



Swarovski Crystal, 5810 Round Faux Pearl Beads 5mm, 50 Pieces, Pearlescent White

SKU: SWP-5076

Project uses 2 pieces



Sterling Silver Flattened French Earring Hooks 25.5mm Long (10 Pieces)

SKU: FEA-3028

Project uses 2 pieces



Silver Filled Open Jump Rings 5mm 22 Gauge (24)

SKU: FJR-8071

Project uses 2 pieces



Artistic Craft Wire Silver Plated Non Tarnish 20 Gauge 6 Yards

SKU: WCR-2030

Project uses 12 Inches



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-0032] Wubbers Bail Making Jewelry Pliers - Large 7mm & 9mm Size, [XTL-5032]

Beadsmith Wire Looping Pliers - Concave And Round Nose, [XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush

Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat

Nose, [XTL-5514] Beadsmith Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers, [XTL-0074] Eurotool

Nylon Jaw Pliers Chain Nose- For Scratch-Free Wire Work

Instructions

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

1. Cut off a 6 inch piece of wire and use the nylon jaw pliers to straighten the wire.
2. Using the wire looping pliers, make a wrapped wire loop at one end of the wire. Wrap twice and trim the wire.
3. String on one pearl on to the wire and slide it all the up to the wrapped loop.
4. Take the chain nose pliers and make a bend in the wire just below the pearl.
5. Take the Wubbers Bail Making Pliers and wrap the wire three times around the 9mm side, creating a coil of wire.

6. Once you have the three coils trim the wire. You will only need to leave a little extra to make a simple wire loop at the tail of the wire.
7. Open one jump ring and attach it to the snail pendant and to the simple wire loop at the bottom of the coil. Close the jump ring.
8. Open the loop of the earring hook, same as you would a jump ring and attach it to the top wrapped wire loop. Close the loop.
9. All Done!