



Heart Home Decoration



What You Will Need

1.0mm wire
 0.4mm wire
 Ribbon
 Large jump ring
 Select of beads – bead soup works well with this design so you can use up odd beads of similar colours. We have used Chinese crystals, Czech Fire Polished and Czech bicones

In addition you will require cutter pliers, a pair of flat nosed pliers and a pair of round nose pliers.

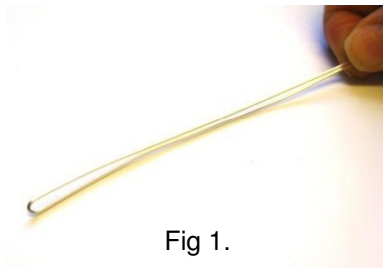


Fig 1.



Fig 2.

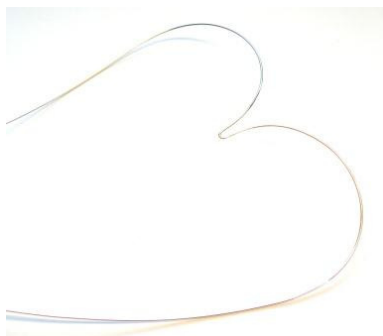


Fig 3.

1. Measure out approx half a metre of 1.0mm jewellery wire and fold in half (Fig 1).
2. Bend the wire around a cylindrical object, we have used an old deodorant can (Fig 2).
3. Open the wire up – the top of the heart shape is created where you have bent the wire around the object (Fig 3). Use your fingers to shape the wire into a heart shape and trim the ends accordingly.
4. Cut a metre of 0.4mm jewellery wire. Wrap this around the two ends at the bottom of the heart to secure ensuring they stay side by side. Use your round nose pliers to curl the two ends (Fig 4).
5. Use the 0.4mm wire to wrap the beads around the heart frame that you have created (Fig 5). You may run out of wire – if so then simply secure and start a new piece where you left off. We have added a large jump ring and organza to finish so the decoration can be hung.

Why not add numbers such as '18' or '21' inside the heart to create a unique birthday gift



Fig 4.



Fig 5.