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*Intro to Peyote
Stitch*

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What You'll Need

John Bead Czech Seed Beads, Size 8/o, White, SKU 10549096

John Bead Czech Seed Beads, Size 8/o, Purple , SKU 10549090

John Bead Czech Seed Beads, Size 8/o, Amethyst, SKU 10549075

John Bead Czech Seed Beads, Size 8/o, Light Blue, SKU 10549086

John Bead Czech Seed Beads, Size 8/o, Aqua, SKU 10549082

Wildfire Beading Thread, .006 White, SKU 10104818

Size #10 Beading Needle, SKU 10332394

Clasp Option: Lobster Claw, SKU 10442989

Chain Option: Elongated Cable Chain, SKU D295267S (online only)

Optional Embellishment: Dragonfly Glass, SKU 10393715

22 gauge German Style Wire, for headpins, SKU 10121778

Wire Working Tools: Chain Nose Pliers SKU D571873S, Bent Nose Pliers SKU D571874S, Flush Cutters SKU D571872S, Flat Nose Pliers SKU D571875S, Round Nose Pliers SKU D571876S

Beading Mat, SKU 10348546

Beginner Beadweaving
1 Hour Class

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Back-to-School September 2022! This month we are taking it back-to-basics in bead weaving designs! In this class we are introducing even-count peyote stitch technique. This .pdf has two, easy patterns for a 7" bracelet, and a blank template you can use to create your own. Use any colors. In class we will be working with Size 8/0 Czech Seed Beads.

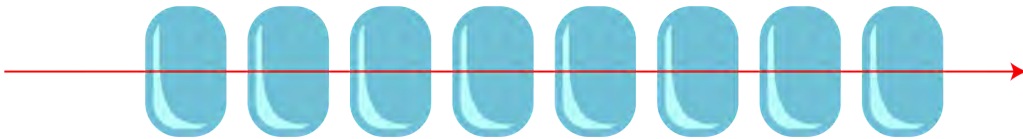
Abbreviations

S8 - Size 8/0 Seed Bead, Any Color

Step 1

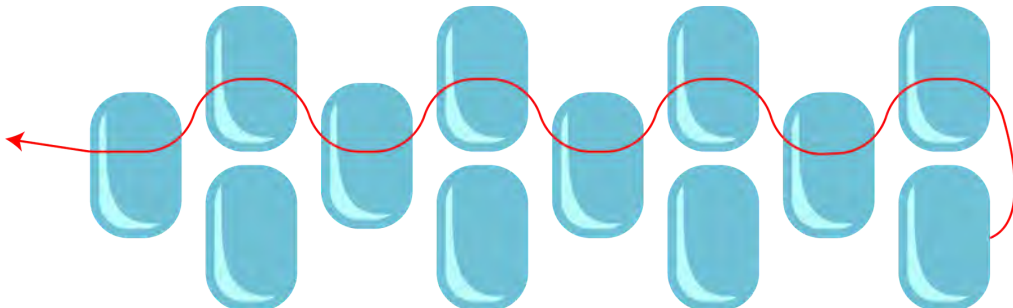
To begin, cut a comfortable working length of beading thread. Flatten one end with a pair of pliers to help thread your beading needle. Pull down about 30 inches of it and fold over the needle to make a long strand easier to work with.

Leaving a 12" tail, string (8)S8, or the number of beads indicated in your pattern. In peyote stitch, this first step is stringing rows 1 and 2. Adding row 3 is the next step, and the step during which your recognizable peyote stitch work starts to take shape.



Step 2

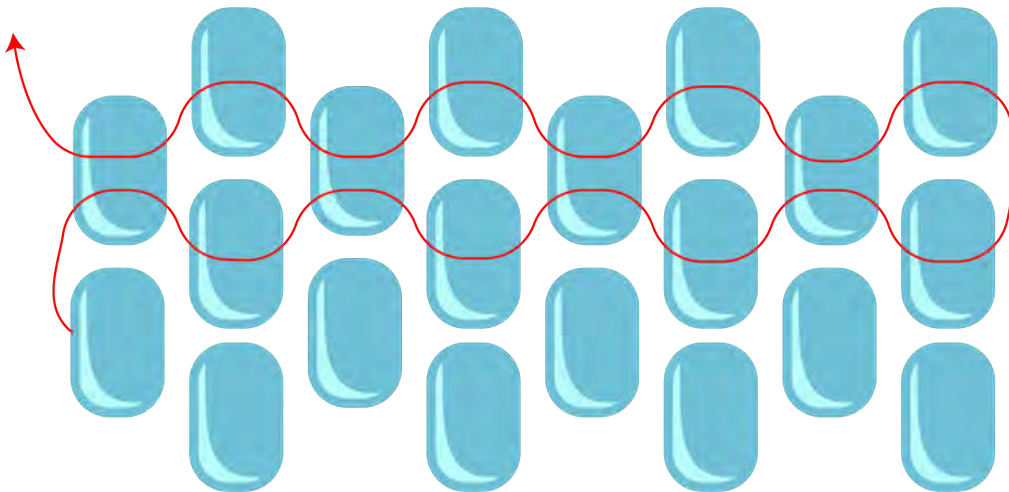
Pick up (1)S8. Working back into the (8) beads strung in Step 1, skip the first bead. Go through the next bead. Pull the working and tail sides of the thread to tighten. Repeat for a total of (4) beads added.



Step 3

Turning to work back into the last row, pick up (1)S8 and go through the last bead added in Step 2. Pick up (1)S8 and go through the next "up" S8, three times.

Repeat this step to create all remaining rows in your pattern.

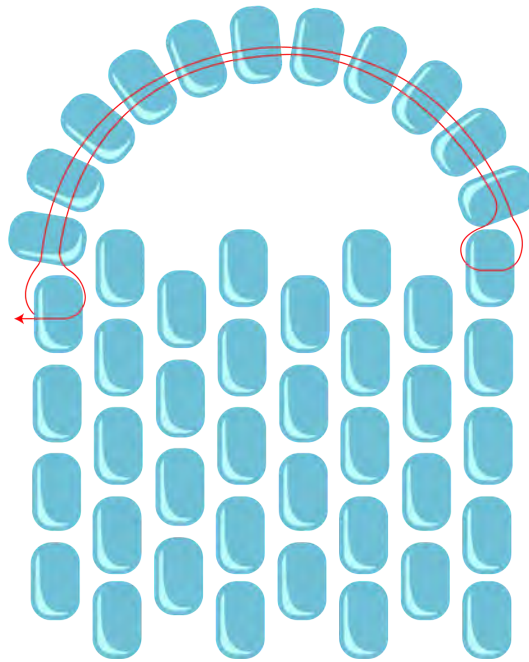


Step 4

If you need to add thread, leave your remaining working thread in place and weave in a new strand by following the existing thread path. Test for a solid weave in by pulling to see if the tail of the new thread moves. Exit from the position of the old thread. Create new rows with the new working thread. You can leave the old working thread in place and weave it up into the new rows later. I sometimes leave this until the end when my work is finished.

Step 5

To create a loop for your clasp, string (11)S8 (or desired number of beads) and loop over to the other side of the piece. Go through the edgemoat S8 on the other side. Go back through all (11)S8 in the loop. Then go through the S8 your thread originally exited, heading through in the opposite direction of the exiting thread. Reinforce at least once.



Step 5 Continued

Repeat this step for the other side.

Step 6

Open a link of elongated chain. Attach a lobster claw clasp to one side of the work. Attach an inch of chain to the loop on the other side.

Optional Embellishment:

Using 22 gauge German style wire, create knotted headpins for the dragonfly glass and a seed bead embellishment weight for the last link of your chain. Form wrapped loops with the knotted headpins.

The following pages include patterns for 7" bracelets. They can be adjusted by adding or removing rows. If using size 8/0 seed beads, 1 inch is equal to approximately 9 beads, counted along the side, or 17 rows.

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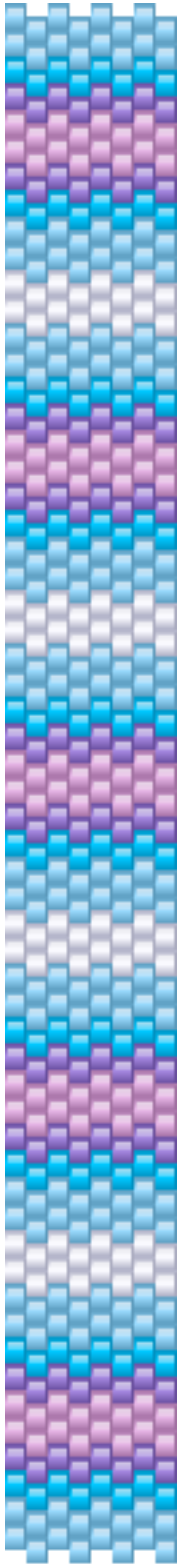
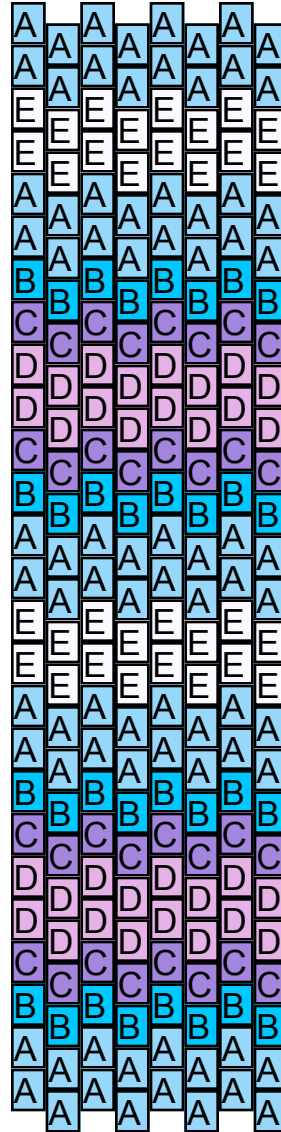
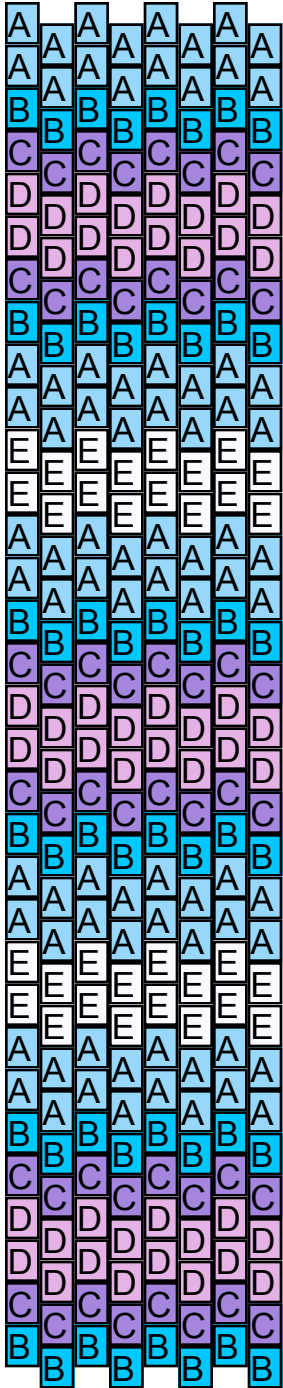


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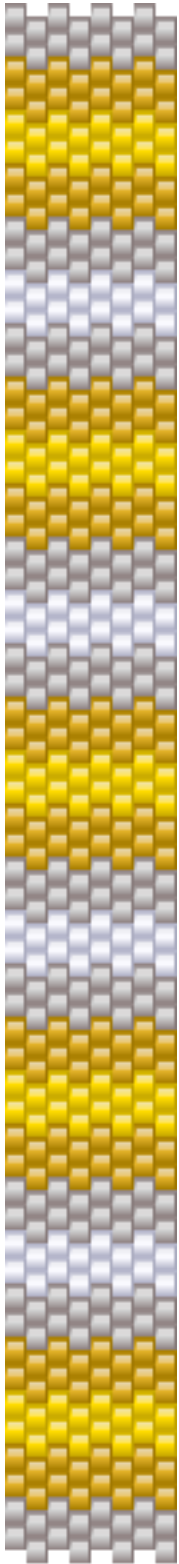
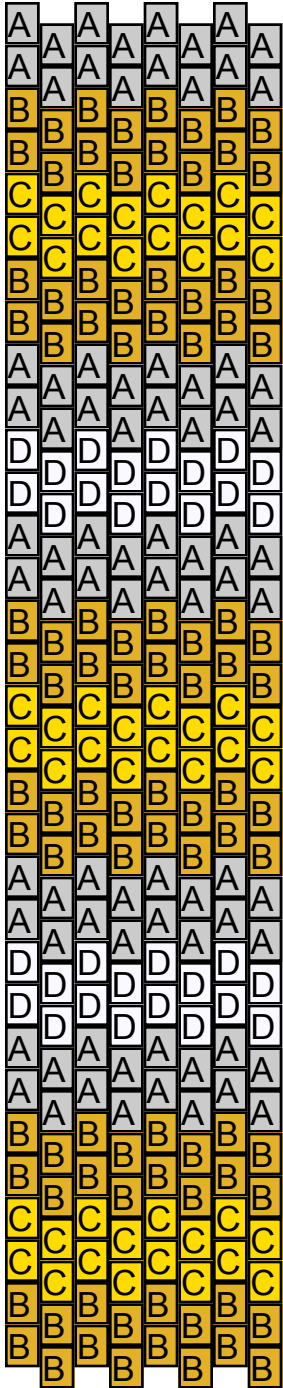


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