

MAKING JEWELRY FROM REPURPOSED MATERIALS

Junior Jeweler Kit at ScrapsKC

For centuries people have been wearing jewelry and adornments made from things they find in nature or created from raw materials. The jewelry you will make with this kit started from an outdated button, old pill bottles, knitting needles, and coffee filter waste. Can you find all the repurposed items?

For your button, use the large circle sticker to cover the old button print. Add other vinyl stickers to make whatever design you like! If you have letter stickers, add your name!





You'll be making a unique pendant with plastic rings. String one bead to the middle of your cord to hold everything on. For the rest of the pieces, string them with both ends of the cord together. Start with one hole of the big ring, add a bead or the second ring. Add the metal tube or other beads. Then string through the top holes of the plastic rings so everything hangs straight. Tie a knot at the other end to complete the necklace.

To make the keychain, use the wire to "sew" the beads on to the plastic disc. Use a cow hitch to attach your cord and a overhand knot to make a loop. Add the binder clip so you can attach it to something special.





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