

BREA BEAD WORKS

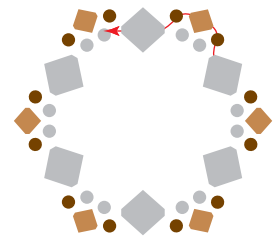
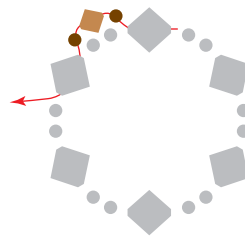
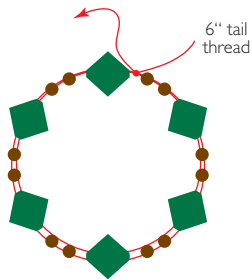
CRYSTAL DONUT BEADED BEAD

MATERIALS

- ▷ Bicone crystal; 4mm; color A [12 qty]
- ▷ Bicone crystal; 4mm; color B [6 qty]
- ▷ Bicone crystal; 3mm [12 qty]
- ▷ Seed beads; 11° [1 color]
- ▷ Fireline thread; 6 lb

TOOLS

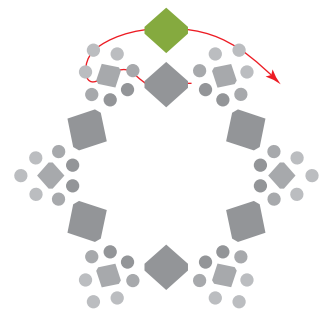
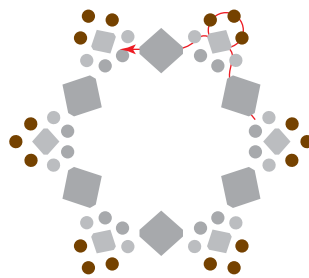
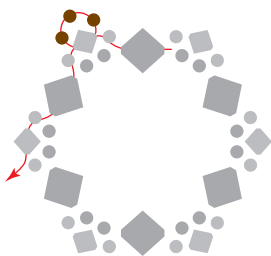
- ▷ Beading needles [size 12]
- ▷ Scissors



1. Thread needle with 4 feet of Fireline thread. String on the following sequence of beads: 4mm bicone B, (2) 11° seed beads (SBs), 4mm bicone B, (2) 11° SBs, 4mm bicone B, (2) 11° SBs, 4mm bicone B, (2) 11° SBs, 4mm bicone B, (2) 11° SBs, 4mm bicone B, and (2) 11° SBs. Pass thread through all beads again and form a loop securing with a square knot. *(Leave a 6 inch tail of thread)*

2. Pass thread through next 4mm bicone. String on 11° SB, 3mm bicone, and another 11° SB. Pass thread through next 4mm bicone from original loop. Repeat all around.

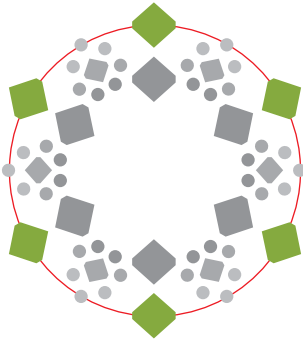
3. End this row by passing thread through the very first 4mm bicone from the start.



4. Pass thread through second row 11° SB and 3mm bicone. String on (3) 11° SBs and loop back through 3mm bicone forming a picot. Pass thread back through neighboring 11° SB in second row, 4mm bicone from first row, and the next 11° SB and 3mm bicone from the second row. Repeat all around.

5. End this row by passing thread through the very first 4mm bicone from the start.

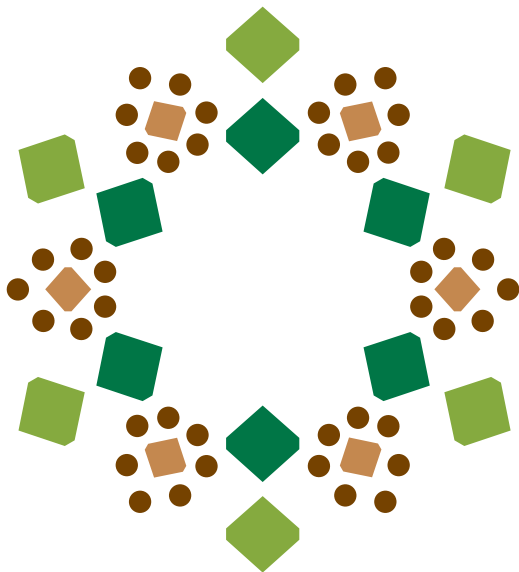
5. Pass thread through 11° SB and 3mm bicone from second row and also next two 11° SBs from third row. String on a 4mm bicone A and pass thread through next middle 11° SB from third row. Repeat all around by just adding 4mm bicones between middle 11° SBs from third row. This step will cinch that row together forming the sides of the donut.



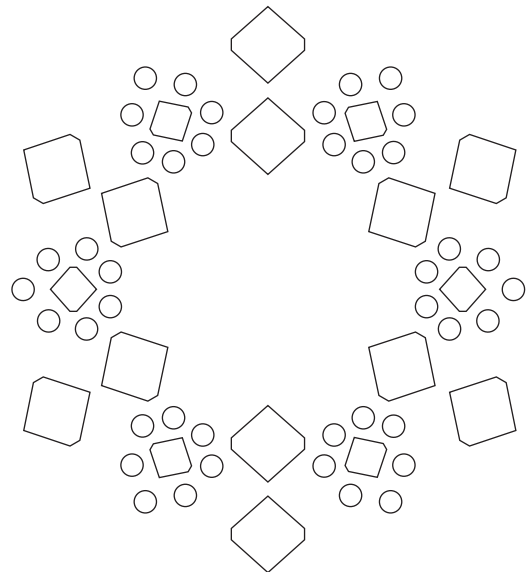
7. Your third row should look like this. Repeat steps 2-7 for the other side of the donut bead.

End thread by tying half-hitched knots in about three locations and trim thread. Do the same for the tail thread.

REMEMBER TO PULL THREADS SNUG TO KEEP YOUR BEAD FROM COLLAPSING. YOU MAY ALSO CHOOSE TO PASS THREAD THROUGH A SECOND TIME TO ADD MORE BODY AND FIRM UP YOUR BEADED BEAD.



THIS IS JUST HALF OF THE BEADED BEAD.



FILL IN THE COLORS YOU'D LIKE TO MAKE.