

Autumn Splendor by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 2.5 inches

Beads and other products needed for one pair of earrings:

- 2 - 18mm Round Glass Domes (GL7062)
- 2 - 18mm Antique Gold Plated Pewter Circle Bezel Laces by Nunn Design (PE9106)
- 2 - 25x19mm Antique Gold Plated Pewter Filigree Leaf Charms (PG0462)
- 2 - 5mm 21 gauge Gold Plated Base Metal Jump Rings (BM2732)
- 1 pair - 20.5mm Gold-Filled French Hoops with 2mm Bead (GF2104)
- 1 - Butterscotch Acrylic Paint Dabber by Ranger Inks (CR0617)

Tools needed to complete the earrings:

- Chain nose pliers
- Diamond Glaze (TL1943)
- Glue by Nunn Design (CR0479)
- 5 Piece Nylon Brush Set (CR0659)

Beading Techniques needed to complete the earrings:

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Attaching an Ear Wire
- Coloring Metal with Acrylic Paint Dabbers
- Using Liquid Glazes
- Creating a Laced Bezel Pendant

For step-by-step photos and instructions on these and other techniques, visit FusionBeads.com and select Beading Techniques from the top navigation bar.

Instructions to complete "Autumn Splendor" earrings:

Step 1

Using chain nose pliers, gently pry one "petal" on one circle bezel lace outward (the petal will be used to attach a finding in future steps).

Step 2

Repeat Step 1 on the petal directly across from the first on the same bezel lace.

Step 3

Using a small paint brush, paint two coats of butterscotch acrylic paint dabber (see Coloring Metal with Acrylic Paint Dabbers Technique) on the inside of the bezel lace. Allow the paint to dry between coats.

Step 4

Using a small paint brush, apply Diamond Glaze over the paint (see Using Liquid Glazes Technique). Allow the Diamond Glaze to dry.

Step 5

Glue one glass dome to the bezel lace (see Creating a Laced Bezel Pendant Technique). Allow the glue to dry.

Step 6

Open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to attach the loop on one leaf charm to one petal that you pried in Step 1. Close the jump ring.

Step 7

Open the loop on one ear wire (see Attaching an Ear Wire Technique), and attach it to the second petal that you pried in Step 1. Close the loop.

Step 8

Repeat Steps 1 - 7 for the second earring.

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