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Duck Tape® Jewelry Easy Pack

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE STARTING



YOUR KIT CONTAINS:

- 3 Rolls Duck Tape®
- Roll of Elastic Cord
- Assorted Color Pony Beads
- Straws

GENERAL SUPPLIES YOU WILL NEED:

- Flat Work Surface
- Rulers
- Scissors
- Paper Plates (optional)

AGE GROUP: 8 and up
PROJECT TIME: 45 minutes

NOTE FOR INSTRUCTOR:

This pack creates approximately 1,500 unique ½" Duck Tape® "beads." Use the included elastic cord and pony beads along with the Duck Tape® beads to make bracelets and necklaces! Will make over 200 7" bracelets. Number of necklaces will vary based on the length. There are plenty of all supplies included.

Craft: Duck Tape® Jewelry Easy Pack

Why: Everyone loves Duck Tape® crafts!

Helpful to know: The 1,500 “approximate” number of beads is based on ½” beads. Cut beads to whatever length you want – an assortment of sizes may offer more creativity.

Prep time: To make it easier, you may want to pre-cut the Duck Tape® in 7- ½” lengths, then cut that strip in half so you have 2 pieces each 7- ½” long. If you want to really mix up your bead patterns, you can cut shorter lengths of tape so that each straw is wrapped in a variety of color and patterned tapes.

Mess Scale: Low

Craft Encourages: Fine Motor Skill: Threading beads, rolling the tape, and tying knots.



HOW TO MAKE DUCK TAPE® BEADS

1. Place the straw on one edge of the tape.
2. Begin rolling the straw to adhere tape all around.
3. Rub the straw to make sure there are no air pockets or places the tape didn't stick as well.
4. Use your scissors to cut into beads!

Note: Once you have a pile of beads, you can string them into bracelets or necklaces using the supplied elastic cord and pony beads!

HOW TO MAKE A DUCK TAPE® BRACELET

1. Wrap the elastic cord around your wrist to measure the correct length of your bracelet.
2. Use 1 paper plate to sort your Duck Tape® beads and your pony beads. Plan your bracelet pattern.
3. Use a small piece of Duck Tape® to tape 1 end of the cord to your work surface. String the beads onto your cord in the pattern you designed.
4. When you have about 1” of cord left, carefully pull up the end that was taped to the table. Double-check the bracelet measurement around your wrist (you may need someone to help with this) and tie a tight overhand knot. Trim off extra cord as needed.

Fun! Facts! Duck Tape Fun

- Duct Tape® is such a popular product that the amount sold every year could stretch to the moon 1.2 times or wrap around the equator 12.3 times.
- Originally used during World War II to keep dampness out of ammunition cases, the waterproof tape also earned the name “Duck” Tape. Soldiers quickly began using the Army green colored tape to fix their guns, jeeps, aircraft and other items.
- After World War II, construction workers found the tape worked well to connect heating and air-conditioning ducts together. The tape color also changed from green to silver to match the ductwork.

- Duct Tape® is made of three layers of material: the top layer is a plastic substance; the middle layer is a mesh made of fabric; the bottom layer is a rubber-based adhesive.
- You don't need scissors to cut Duct Tape®– it can be ripped with your bare hands. But the tape doubled over onto itself can pull a 2,000-pound car out of a ditch.

Source: <http://ductapetandt.blogspot.com>