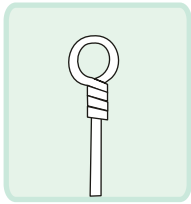


## Lesson 03: How to make a wrapped loop



### Materials:

Wire

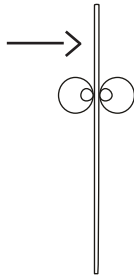
### Tools:

Wire cutters

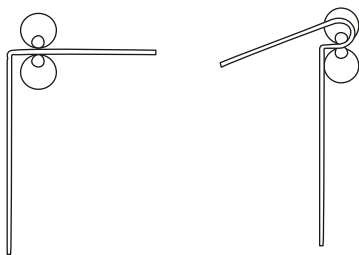
Round Nose pliers

Flat-nose Pliers

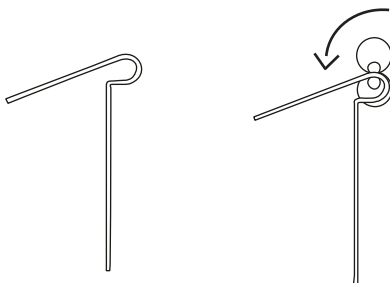
- 1 Place the Round nose pliers 3,5cm away from the end of the wire and using your thumb bend it in a 90°.



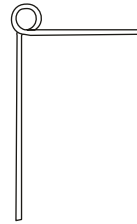
- 2 Place the pliers into the angled section, vertically, so one tip is above and one is below the wire. Bring the wire up and over the top tip of the pliers so it is now facing down at an angle.



- 3 To start forming the loop, place the pliers in the bent wire. Note that the tips of the round nose pliers should now be at the top of the bend. Turn the pliers about a half turn.



- 4 To continue the loop, rotate the pliers back to the starting position; with your dominant hand facing away from you turn again.



- 5 Using flat-nose pliers hold the loop and wrap up the wire end around the longer part of the wire for two or three times to create the loops.



- 6 Cut any overlapping wire with the wire cutters and press the cut end with flat-nose pliers. ★



### Designer's Tip!

To make linked jewellery you will have to connect the loops before you close them. To do this, after you have one complete loop, put the tail of the wire on the second loop through one of the finished ends of the first completed link.

