

Crystal and Pearl Cluster Necklace



You will need...

Medium weight chain

S Hook clasp

4 x 8mm crystal or faceted beads

25 x 4mm pearl beads

29 headpins

11 x 8mm jump rings

Instructions:

Put all the beads on headpins, trim the excess wire to 1cm and turn a loop



Measure & cut your chain to the desired length for your necklace

Find the centre or middle link in the length of chain

Open a jump ring, add 5 of your pearl beads on headpins, attach to the middle link of your chain & close the jump ring.



Count the links of your chain to the next link that you are going to attach a crystal bead to (I counted 5 links on my necklace)

Attach a crystal bead to this link



Repeat this process counting the links of the chain until you have attached all your crystal beads and clusters of pearls - make sure you work both left and right of the middle cluster and they are symmetrical



Attach the S hook clasp to each end of your chain with jump rings. If your clasp doesn't come as a 2 part set you can just use the jump ring for the S clasp to hook onto



All beads and findings will be available from your local bead or craft shop.

I recommend...

Hobbycraft, eBay or Beads Unlimited - www.beadsunlimited.co.uk

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