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Materials for Earrings:

- 2 Sun Coin Czech Glass Beads
- 2 Crueller Czech Glass Beads
- 2 TierraCast Beaded 5mm Bead Caps
- 2 20 to 21 gauge, 2 inch Head Pins
- 2 Long Kidney Earwires

Tools:

- 1 Bead Mat
- 2 Chain Nose Pliers
- 1 Round Nose Pliers
- 1 Wire Cutter
- 1 Awl or Toothpick

Materials for Pendant Necklace:

- 1 Sun Coin Czech Glass Bead
- 1 Crueller Czech Glass Bead
- 2 TierraCast Bead Caps
- 1 1½ inch Tassel
- 1 20 to 21 gauge, 2 inch Head Pin
- 2 20 gauge, 4mm Inside diameter Jump Rings
- 30-36 inches of Oval Rolo Chain



Earrings

Step 1

String 1 Sun Coin, 1 Crueller, and 1 Bead Cap (inside cup first) onto 1 Head Pin.



Step 2

Use Round Nose Pliers to make a Simple Loop. Trim any extra wire.



Step 3

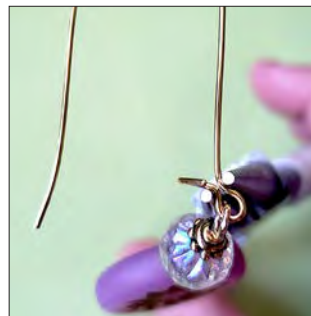
String the Kidney Earwire through the simple loop of the dangle. Let the Dangle fall into the loop of the Kidney Earwire



Step 4

Use Round Nose Pliers to pinch the loop of the Kidney Earwire to capture the Dangle.

Note: This may distort the catch hook of Kidney Earwire.



Step 5

Use Chain Nose Pliers to bend catch hook of Kidney Earwire back into its proper position.



Step 6

Follow the same steps to make a second earring to match.



Pendant Necklace

Step 7

String 1 **Bead Cap** (*outside curve first*), 1 **Sun Coin**, 1 **Crueller** and 1 **Bead Cap** (*inside cup first*) onto a 2 inch **Eye Pin**.



Step 8

Use a wider part of the Round Nose Pliers to curl down the wire to form a loop.



Step 9

A. Use the tips of the Round Nose Pliers to grab the bottom of the loop.

B. With the Round Nose Pliers in place, twist the loop to make it upright.



Step 10

Poke the Awl (*or a toothpick*) into the looped thread at the top of the **Tassel** to widen the loops to form an opening.

Note: I like to keep the protective covers on the tassels when possible.



Step 11

Slide out the Awl. Open a **Jump Ring**. Slide the Jump Ring through to opening made by the Awl.



Step 12

Add the Jump Ring with Tassel to the bottom loop of the Eye Pin Link.

Close the Jump Ring. Take off the protective covering of the Tassel. Lightly dampen the Tassel with water if any threads are out of place.



Step 13

Decide on length of Chain. Use a **Jump Ring** to attach the two end links of the chain and the top loop of the Eye Pin link together.



Step 14

Enjoy your new necklace!

