

LANYARD MAKER INSTRUCTIONS

This Lanyard Maker is designed to help you get off to a fast start to making lanyards. The easy to read instructions will have you making lanyards in minutes! Lanyards make great zipper pulls, keychains and backpack charms! Once you become familiar with the wheel you can create lanyards in your school colors! Start with the Basic Round Braid and move your way up! The Lanyard Maker is so easy you will be an expert in no time!

HELPFUL TIPS:

Always start your lanyard braid with dot #32 at the top. Always keep tension on your lanyard while making it. *Hint:* Grip the lanyard hook with one hand and weave with the other.

TO MAKE CHUNKY BRACELETS: Cut 8 pieces 48" each of any color combinations. Use a split ring and when finished with pattern make a large knot at end. Slip through the split ring to secure.

TO MAKE CHUNKY KEY RINGS: Cut 8 pieces 36" each of any color combinations.

TO MAKE CHUNKY BELTS: Cut 8 pieces 5 yards each of any color combinations. Use a lanyard hook and when finished with pattern make a large knot at end. Connect lanyard hook to knot or simply tie ends together.

TO MAKE CHUNKY HEMP (20#) BRACELETS: Cut 16 pieces 48" each of any color combination. Use a split ring and when finished with pattern make a large knot at end. Slip through the split ring to secure.

You can use a variety of CraftLace™ to make longer lengths or whatever thickness you desire.

If you want to add beads to your project, do the following:

- A. Each slot will have two strands of CraftLace™. String bead on both of those strands.
- B. Push bead all the way through hole, straighten bead to the way you want it and continue weaving.
- C. You might want to hold the bead for a few rounds to secure.

BASIC SET UP INSTRUCTIONS:

- A. Choose two colors of CraftLace™
- B. Cut (2) 24" strands of each color. You will have a total of (4) strands.
- C. Slide all strands through the large opening of a lanyard hook. (See Figure 1)
- D. Bring all strands over to the base of the hook (small opening) and then bring the lanyard hook to the middle of all strands. (See Figure 2)
- E. Tie a basic knot at the base (small opening) of the lanyard hook. (See Figure 3)
- F. With knot end first, take the lanyard hook and put it through the hole in the middle of the Lanyard Maker. Make sure the numbers are facing you. (See Figure 4) **You are now ready to begin making Lanyards!**



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4

Basic Round Braid Lanyard

Set up your wheel by arranging the CraftLace™ strands according to Pattern A (See Figure 1). Make sure the CraftLace™ strands stay flat. Once the strands are secure on the wheel you can begin making a lanyard.



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4

1. Start with #32 on top and #16 on the bottom. (See Figure 1)
2. You will start with the strands on either side of #16 (bottom of wheel).
3. Always start with the bottom left strand.
4. Pull out lace between 16 & 17 go straight across the wheel and insert between 30 & 31. You will now have three strands on top: left, middle and right. (See Figure 2)
5. Pull out lace between 1 & 32 and insert across the wheel between 14&15. (See Figure 3)
6. Turn the wheel **counterclockwise** to the next dot. When you turn the wheel, the top and bottom numbers will change. Dots indicate top and bottom of wheel. With your first turn #8 will be on top, #24 on the bottom. (See Figure 4)
7. Repeat steps 4-7* until the desired length is reached. *Always bring the furthest left bottom strand UP and across to the top of the wheel and insert it to the left of the two top strands. The top right strand will always come DOWN and across inserted to the right of the bottom strand.
8. When you reach your desired length, remove your lanyard from the wheel. Tie a basic knot on the end of your lanyard and clip the tail to desired length.



Remove Project From Wheel



Tie Knot



Trim Excess CraftLace™



Finished Piece



Figure A

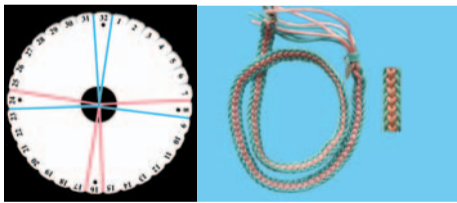


Figure B



Figure A



Figure B



Figure A



Figure B

Intermediate Flat Braid Lanyard:

1. Choose pattern A or B.
2. Set up Lanyard Maker using the Basic Set Up Instructions.
3. Hold Lanyard Maker with dot #32 on top. Make sure to keep tension on the lanyard to secure project.

Step A:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 31&32 and insert between 9&10.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 32&1 and insert between 22&23.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 16&17 and insert between 6&7.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 15&16 and insert between 25&26.

Step B:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 7&8 and insert between 15&16.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 24&25 and insert between 16&17.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 8&9 and insert between 32&1.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 23&24 and insert between 31&32.

Step C:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 6&7 and insert between 7&8.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 9&10 and insert between 8&9.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 25&26 and insert between 24&25.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 22&23 and insert between 23&24.

Repeat Step A, Step B and Step C until desired length is reached.

Advanced Rectangular Braid Lanyard

1. Choose pattern A or B.
2. Set up Lanyard Maker using the Basic Set Up Instructions, using 30" as length for CraftLace™ strands.
3. Hold Lanyard Maker with the #32 on top. Make sure to keep tension on the lanyard to secure project.

Step A:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 32&1 and insert between 1&2.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 15&16 and insert between 32&1.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 1&2 and insert between 15&16.

Step B:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 24&25 and insert between 25&26.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 23&24 and insert between 22&23.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 7&8 and insert between 24&25.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 8&9 and insert between 23&24.
5. Move CraftLace™ between 25&26 and insert between 7&8.
6. Move CraftLace™ between 22&23 and insert between 8&9.

Step C:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 31&32 and insert between 30&31.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 16&17 and insert between 31&32.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 30&31 and insert between 16&17.

Repeat Step A, Step B, Step C and Step B until desired length is reached.

Advanced Square Braid Lanyard

1. Choose pattern A or B.
2. Set up Lanyard Maker using the Basic Set Up Instructions, using 30" as length for CraftLace™ strands.
3. Hold Lanyard Maker with the #32 on top. Make sure to keep tension on the lanyard to secure project.

Step A:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 32&1 and insert between 6&7.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 16&17 and insert between 22&23.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 23&24 and insert between 32&1.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 7 & 8 and insert between 16&17.

Step B:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 15&16 and insert between 9&10.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 31&32 and insert between 25&26.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 24&25 and insert between 15&16.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 8&9 and insert between 31&32.

Step C:

1. Move CraftLace™ between 6&7 and insert between 7&8.
2. Move CraftLace™ between 9&10 and insert between 8&9.
3. Move CraftLace™ between 25&26 and insert between 24&25.
4. Move CraftLace™ between 22&23 and insert between 23 & 24.

Repeat Step A, Step B and Step C until desired length is reached.