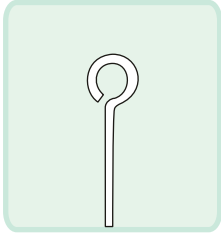


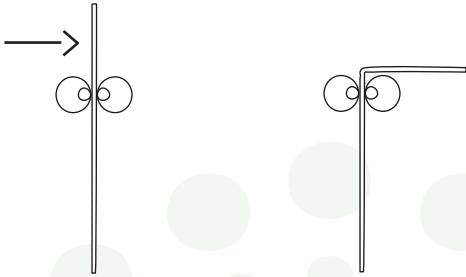
Lesson 01: How to make a loop



Materials:
Wire

Tools:
Wire cutters
Round nose pliers
Flat Pliers

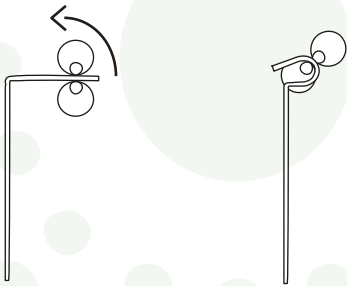
- 1** Hold the wire and with your thumb, bend the end to a 90 degree angle. Cut the end of the wire if it is too long for your loop.



- 3** Now finish the loop with another half turn. With flat pliers you can straighten the loop, if needed.★



- 2** Using round nose pliers hold the wire and turn the pliers half a turn to begin a loop



Designer's Tip!

Well formed loops are essential for making a piece look cleaner and more professional. The size of the loop will depend upon the diameter of the round nose pliers, and your preference. For uniform loops every time, make a mark with a marker on the pliers at the exact spot that matches the loop diameter you want.

