

Parisian Vampire



Hobgoblin

Create a quick costume with this creepy chic DIY skull and rhinestone necklace. Dreadfully easy to make.

What's Needed:

Embroidery Floss Black (3 skeins) DMC
Rhinestone Pendant (Your Choice)
Stone Skull Beads (1)- Bead Gallery
Ruby Mixed Czech Glass 6/0- Bead Gallery
Round Glass Bead (8mm)
Black Jump Rings (14mm 2 pc)

Ruler
Small Comb

8" Scissors- Fiskars
Flat Nose Pliers

How To Make It:



Note:

Have fun selecting a unique pendant or charm. We found several wonderful Halloween themed pieces both online and in our local craft stores.

*Our pendant is from an art*i*cake offering by Michaels.*



Step 1

Necklace

Cut 20 pieces (2 skeins) of floss 26" long.
Gather the 20 pieces together.



Step 2

Slip the 20 pieces of floss through one jump ring. Bend ends over 1". Holding the floss ends against the necklace. Wrap a 3" piece of floss twice around the bundle. Double knot to secure. Cut excess floss off.



Step 3

String beads randomly on 4 strands of floss. Tie a knot after every 3 to 4 beads to secure in place.

Beading additional strands will add extra color and shine.



Step 4

Determine the necklaces length. We made ours 20". Slip the loose ends through the remaining jump ring. Pull to desired length. Repeat Step 2 to secure.

To make the hook, cut a piece of floss 12" long. Attach the floss to one of the jump rings with a simple slip knot.



Step 5

String beads on each strand. On one strand string only, small glass beads. This strand will slip through the second jump ring to create the tie hook. The second strand can be strung with the larger skull and round beads. Knot each strand end to secure beads.



Step 6

Attach the pendent to the necklace. Simply tie a piece of floss to the pendent, through a skull bead finishing by double knotting the piece to the center of the necklace. Be inventive. There is no incorrect way to attach.



Step 7

To add a tassel, tie floss to the pendant. Again, be inventive. There is no incorrect way to attach.

Tie 6 pieces 8" to 10" long. This will yield a nice long tassel.



Step 8

String and knot beads to the ends of the tassel.



Step 9

To secure necklace for wearing, slip the small beaded strand through the jump ring. Using the second strand, tie a bow.



We love this design. It's easy to do and can accommodate different styles. Try making other pieces.

Begin by changing the floss colour. This will drastically alter the feel or tone of the necklace. Replace the kitschy pendant with a natural piece like a shell or found item from your travels or latest shopping trip.