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Katie uses crystal prints to create a necklace.

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Crystals are a beader's best friend and today's show is a tribute to all things glitzy and glamorous. Tune in for gorgeous jewelry and mouth-watering crystal inspiration.



These "crystal prints" SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS beads and pendants are available in a variety of styles and have permanent graphics on the surface.



Make this Crystal Prints Cascade Necklace in an evening!

Materials

Beaded clip-on costume earring

SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS:

28 jet 4mm rounds #5000

8 jet 9x6mm teardrops #5500

4 jet 8mm cubes #5601

4 jet 14mm square ring #4439

2 zebra print 14mm twist bead #5621

zebra print 22mm twist bead #5621

6 silver 6mm rondelles

29-link length of black polyester chain

8 silver bead cones

8 silver ball and star head pins

7 silver medium ball head pins

7 silver eye pins

4 silver 6mm jump rings

4 silver 8mm jump rings

silver medium rolo chain

silver EZ-Lobster clasp

Tools: round-nose pliers, chain-nose pliers, wire cutters

Instructions

1. Pass a ball head pin through a silver rondelle, a crystal prints bead and a silver rondelle. Make a wrapped loop.
2. Connect an eye pin loop to the wrapped loop on the crystal prints dangle. Pass the eye pin through a rectangle component with eight 4mm rounds inside. Make a basic loop above the rectangle. Repeat Steps 1-2 for all of the crystal prints beads.
3. Attach the large crystal prints dangle to the center link on the polyester chain. Leave 7 links empty on each side of the pendant and attach the other crystal prints dangles (links 7 & 23) to form the basic cascade pattern.
4. Pass a ball and star head pin through a teardrop bead with a cone over the pointed end and make a wrapped loop to attach it to the first link on the polyester chain.
5. Attach teardrop/cone dangles evenly spaced across the polyester chain (links 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29).
6. Pass a ball head pin through a cube and make a wrapped loop. Connect it to an eye pin loop, then pass the eye pin through a 4mm jet round and make a basic loop. Use a 6mm jump ring to connect the loop to a jet ring.
7. Repeat Step 6 three more times, then attach the dangles evenly spaced on the polyester chain (links 3, 11, 19, 27).
8. Cut two pieces of rolo chain to bring the total length of the necklace up to the desired length. Open the first link on each chain and connect it to one end of the polyester chain.
9. Attach a clasp to one end of the necklace.

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