

MULTI-LAYERED BEAD CAP BEADS

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Create your own unique, one of a kind gold and silver accent beads using a variety of bead caps.



Gather a variety of bead caps, beads and eye pins.



Select the beads and bead caps – I've used a smooth gold metal bead, a pointed beadcap to give some height, and a filigree bead for texture and visual interest. The red bead is simply to keep the two filigree bead caps in place. It's slightly visible when the bead is assembled so you'll need to coordinate it with the beads you're using.



Assemble the beads and caps in the order shown and then reverse the order for the other end.



Hold the eye pin in your flat nosed pliers close to the end of the last bead.....



and bend it at a 90° angle.



Trim the tail of the eye pin with flush cutters leaving a tail of approximately 1cm. Use round nosed pliers to turn a loop



This finished bead.