**Make a BRACELET**

**PROVIDED:** 6 pieces of 30” strings, 1 bead

**FROM HOME:** Tape, scissors

Friendship bracelets are made up by knotting string—this easy pattern only takes a few minutes.

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**STEP 1:** Take your strings and keep the same colors together.

**STEP 2:** Loop the string around your ring finger and tie two knots.

**STEP 3:** Tape the loop to a sturdy surface. Separate the colors. On the left side, you should have one group of each color and you should have one group of each color on the right as well. If you separate them like this in the beginning, it will be easier in the next steps.

**STEP 4:** Take the outside color from the right side (in this case—blue) and cross it over to the left side (on the inside.)
STEP 5: Take the outside group/same color from the left and cross it over to the right side (on the inside.)

STEP 6: Grab the left group in one hand and the right group in the other and pull outward to tighten the design a little. You will only have to do this step in the beginning, eventually it won't need tightening. Repeat steps 4, 5 and 6 over and over again until the bracelet fits around your wrist. It should go pretty fast.

STEP 7: Tie two or three knots at the end.

STEP 8: String a bead onto the end and then tie another knot to keep the bead in place. Cut the extra string off and you are done.

Credits

Instructions & photos from:
www.heywandererblog.com/2012/05/diy-fastest-friendship-bracelet-ever.html

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