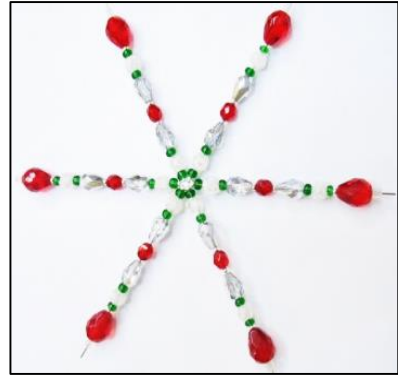




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# Making Snowflake Ornaments



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- Work on a bead mat.
- Have bead stoppers or rubber earring backs on hand to keep beads on the spokes while you are designing.

Bead Stopper

- Start each spoke with a size 11/0 seed bead (metal seed beads look great). This keeps your beads from “bumping” into each other by being further up the spoke when they are added.

Size 11/0  
seed beads



Rubber  
earring back

- Don't forget to leave enough wire at the ends for turning—at least ½ inch.
- You can use any pliers to turn the ends of the spokes, but Round Hollow pliers work best.
- Use colorful ribbon to hang your snowflake on your tree or in a window.
- Add a snowflake as a package topper for a special gift!
- Need a gift for someone crafty? Give a package of beads and snowflake forms.
- Choosing your own beads? Buy in multiples of 6 or 12.

