

Beautify your Jewellery with Gemstone Beads

One simple way to beautify any piece of beaded jewellery is by using gemstone beads. Introducing semi-precious stones adds a luxurious feel to the finished Jewellery piece.

There are a few things you should consider when using gemstone beads for jewellery-making. Gemstones come in all shapes and sizes. Let the shape of these natural beads influence how you use them.

Round Shaped Gemstone Beads

Gemstone round beads are the easiest to incorporate into jewellery as they can be used to replace glass pearls or even fire-polished beads in a pattern.

Weight of Gemstone Beads

Some semi-precious stone beads can be quite a bit heavier than regular glass beads. Make sure to use stronger bead weaving threads e.g. 8 lb and 10 lb test weight to accommodate these heavier beads.

Gemstone beads for Rings

Gemstone Ring - When using gemstone beads for jewellery-making, consider the hardness of the stone.

How Hard Are The Gemstones?

When you're thinking about the hardness of a gemstone, you're really considering how easy it is to scratch the surface.

Check The Holes

Sometimes, gemstone bead holes are drilled halfway from opposite sides so that they meet in the middle. This means that the holes don't always line up as they should.

Whether you're making jewellery for a special occasion or you simply love the look of gemstone beads, these tips will help you create pieces that will look great and last a long time.

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