

# Kreininik

Presents

## Beaded & Corded Friendship Bracelets

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### Supplies needed:

- The Kreininik Custom Corder
- 2 colors of Kreininik Medium #16 Braid
- John James Beading needle, Size12
- measuring tape
- “e” beads
- scissors
- a friend



### This Bracelet is Adjustable

Our instructions are based on a wrist measurement of 7 inches, so:  $(7'') \times 2 = 14'' + 2'' = 16 \times 2 = 32$

1. Cut one length of each Kreininik braid 32 inches long (adjust length if your wrist measures something other than 7 inches; see formula above for assistance).
2. Take braid color #1 and bring both ends together, tie a knot at the very end. You should have a loop.
3. Place braid color #2 down flat in front of you, tie a knot 12 inches from the left end.
4. Pick up left end of braid.
5. Thread the end of the braid through the needle (a few inches is fine).
6. Thread 11 of the “e” beads on to the needle.
7. Slide beads on to the braid.
8. Remove needle.
9. Measure 7 inches from that end and tie a knot.
10. You should have a braid that now has a knot 7 inches from the left end, 11 beads, and a knot 12 inches from the same end.
11. Thread braid #2 through the braid #1 loop. Tie braid #2 ends together. You should have a chain.
12. Hand your friend the knot on the #1 braid. Ask him/her to hold it tight!
13. Place Kreininik Custom Corder through the end of braid # 2.
14. Stand apart so there is tension on the braids.
15. Turn handle on the Kreininik Custom Corder 6 revolutions.
16. Check your bead placement. Place one bead at each knot, and then arrange the beads in between.
17. Turn the handle on the Corder 30 more times.
18. Pinch the thread ends and slide them off the hook of the Corder. Hold them tightly.
19. Place Corder in the middle of the twisted braid, this should be where the two colors meet.
20. Hold on to the Corder with one hand.
21. Gather the thread ends from your friend. You now have all the twisted braid ends in one hand and the Corder on the other. Keep tension on the twisted braid.
22. Hold the braided end up and let the Corder dangle from the end. It will start spinning.
23. When the Corder stops spinning, remove it from the braid.
24. Tie the twisted braid ends together with one knot, towards the very end, leave a small tail.
25. Snip off the excess two knots.
26. Tie a knot at the other end of your bracelet and leave a small tail.

**Follow this sequence to finish off your bracelet:**



Lay #1 cord end over the top of #2



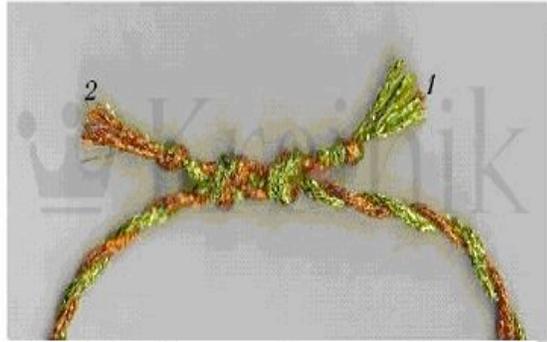
Bring #1 cord end behind #2



Bring cord end #1 up and on top of #2



Bring cord end #1 behind the loop and through.



Cinch knots, evenly space from one knot end to the other.



Slip bracelet on wrist,  
to adjust: Press and hold  
#1 knot against palm, pull  
#2 end with other hand.

Have Fun!

Make some for Friends  
and Family!



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