



Beaded desk pin/needle keep.

Pattern for IBW - Elaine Wood

Worked in Peyote stitch it consists of three parts, top with flower, bottom, and the side with optional motif. It is then zipped together.

Ingredients.

Size 11 main body 16 grams approx.

Size 11 centre of flower 9 beads

Size 8 three colours of choice 80/55/55 beads

Wadding to stuff.

Thread of choice. I used fireline.

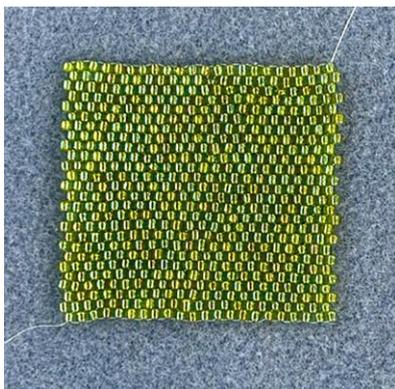
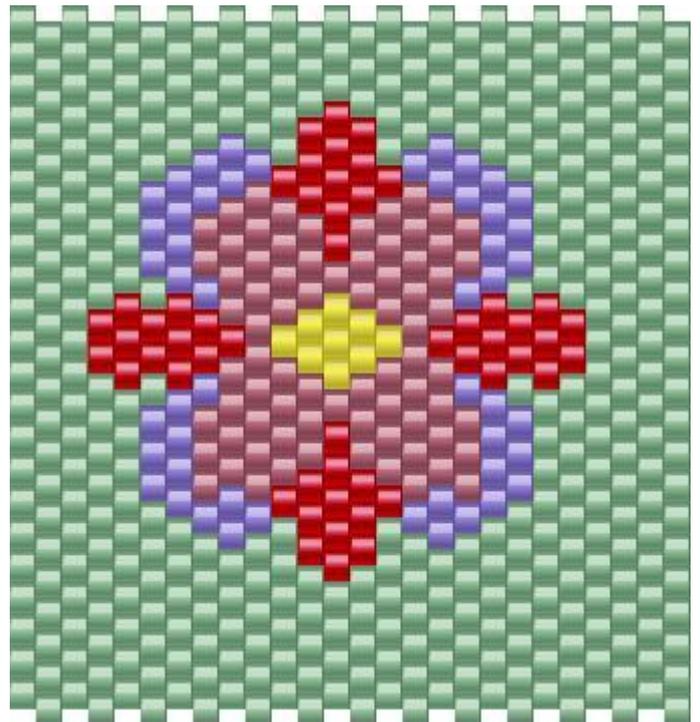
Pick up 26 beads of main body colour.

Work 4 rows of Peyote and then follow diagram for flower pattern.

Work a further 3 rows of Peyote.

22 rows in total.

The side panel is worked in circular Peyote. For this to be zipped to the top and bottom, extra beads need to be added to the smooth sides of the rectangular panels.



Lay your panel on the bead mat so the smooth edge is top and bottom. There should be 22 beads along both smooth edges. Your thread should be going up the 1st bead on the right-hand side.

Working from right to left, pick up a new bead and pass the needle down bead 2.

Pass up bead 3 pick up a new bead AND PASS DOWN THE SAME BEAD 3.

Pass up through bead 4, pick up a bead and pass down bead 5 and up 6.

Pick up a bead and pass back down 6 and up seven.



Continue this technique to the end of the row. 14 beads added. Weave your thread to the opposite side and repeat. Cast off

Repeat the same for the top flower panel.

At this point its worth putting one on top of the other to ensure you have the exact same orientation top and bottom and the teeth match. Put a little coloured thread at the top of both pieces so when you start putting it together, you know which way up it is.

Side Panel

The side panel is circular Peyote. If you count the spaces all around your panel (including the corners) you will count 54.

With a new length of thread pick up 108 beads. Pass through the 1st two beads again to form a circle and continue with circular Peyote. You can leave it plain or design a little motif of your own to embellish.

Work 9 rows so the teeth are the same both sides. Cast off.

Now you can zip it together. It doesn't matter which panel you use first. Go all the way around. It should fit exactly! Cast off.

When adding the second panel you need to match up the first corner when zipping. Find a corner already attached and run your needle across the circular Peyote to the opposite side. You now know where to place the corner of the yet to be attached panel. Just make sure the marker threads you placed earlier are on the same side.



Zip up three sides and stuff with wadding before closing it up completely.

You're now the proud owner of a pin/needle keep.

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