

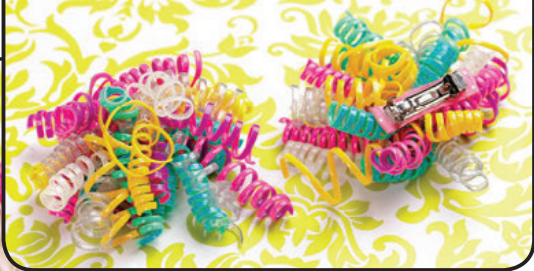
All laced  
up and lovin' it!  
There's more to lacing  
than just lanyards!  
Take a look at these  
top notch designs!

friends



all laced up

{CREATIVE INSPIRATIONS *free* FROM HOBBY LOBBY®}



« **girly whirly...** Curl up to cute with a quirky barrette. Just wind oodles of lively lacing around a pencil or a paintbrush handle. Then, adhere the coils to a ribbon-covered barrette using jewelry glue (available in the jewelry department). Simple, fun and girly!

### **frame game... »**

Give a friendly frame (see cover) a lively lift from lots of laced up embellishments. For a start, use lengths of lacing to cover chipboard letters. Just adhere lacing and cut away the excess with a craft knife. Then, finish with a row of loopy lace flowers—you'll need hot glue and coordinating gems.



### ***What's the difference between a box stitch and a barrel stitch?***

*Look for the instructional booklet devoted to plastic lacing, loops and laces, for all the latest tips and techniques.*

« **happy hair...** This lace has the look of a row of friendly flowers. We looped and stacked individual laces on a heavy-duty craft needle. Then, we pulled through the thread, knotting at both ends to secure the flower design.



## buckled up... When in doubt...weave it!

That's just how we approached this fashion-friendly design. The simple belt features loads of colorful lacing in a simple basket weave, along with a pair of d-rings that were painted to match.

## off the hook... »

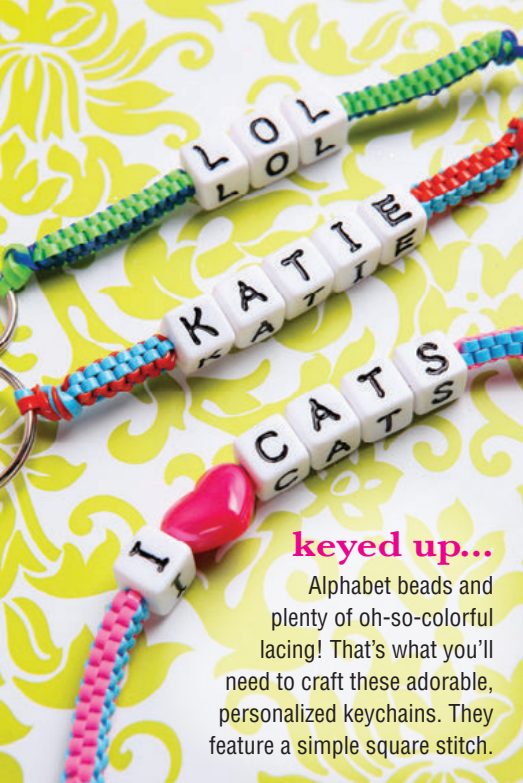
What's the result of an embroidery hoop hooked up with lengths of colorful, woven lacing? A quirky organizer for your favorite hook earrings!

**Tip:** Hide ends of lacing between inner and outer hoops, securing with hot glue.



## « mirror mirror...

Lacing gets reflective when it covers a sweet little mirror. This project is as simple as “wrap and glue.” Now you can see yourself in your very own lacing designs...like the simple bead-bedecked necklace shown here.



### keyed up...

Alphabet beads and plenty of oh-so-colorful lacing! That's what you'll need to craft these adorable, personalized keychains. They feature a simple square stitch.



### write on...

What's so cool about these wacky pencils? They're wrapped in a bevy of bright, colorful laces!

**Tip:** Double-sided adhesive keeps this lacing from sliding off.



**dual dandy...** This sassy strand is a girl's best accessory. Wear it as a bracelet or twist on some keys. Either way, you're sittin' in style.



### pulling through...

Bring on the braids...and make yourself a gaggle of giftable pulls! Topped with simple lanyard hooks, they're great for everything from keys to zippers.

**« boxed in... »** Lacing goes trè chic when it trims a hip, paper-maché hat box. The glossy stripes were so easy to create! They're held in place with double-sided adhesive.

And we couldn't forget a coordinating bow.

It's simply loops and loops of lacing, joined at the center with a rubber band!



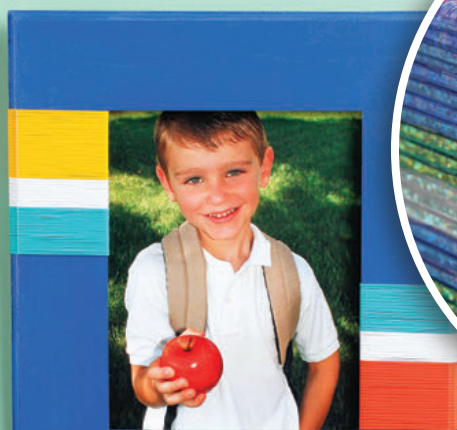
## **on board... »**

Messages and memories... they're both at home on this easy design and we just love the simplicity of this cute little memo board! To make one, arrange lacing in a crisscross design. Pull tight, and secure the ends to backside with staples. Finish with a coordinating border and a few handmade rosette embellishments.



## oh boy!... »

He loves anything with color. That's why he'll love these no-fuss lace-embellished designs...from a frame that's wrapped in rows of shiny stripes, to a quirky woven keepsake box, to a funky foam bottle cozy. These projects say "all boy" with understated laced-up style.



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## « square up...

This little box got layered with rows and rows of lace. And best of all? It's laced with lots and lots of sparkle! The box is paper-maché. We painted it before applying the lacing with double-sided adhesive. Fun, easy and absolutely one-of-a-kind!

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