

# Earring Basics: Beads & Chains

## DIY dangles in a snap?

Yes, please! We'll show you how to make 2 totally on-trend earring designs in a few simple steps.

### **SUPPLY LIST:**

#### **TULIP & CHAIN EARRINGS:**

- 2 Antique brass eye pins
- 80 in. Antique brass fine curb chain
- 6 Antique brass jump rings
- 2 Green brass tulip bead caps
- 2 Antique brass fish hook ear wires
- Flush cutters
- Chain nose pliers
- Bent nose pliers
- Round nose pliers
- Bead mat
- Protective eyewear

#### **BEADED CHANDELIER EARRINGS:**

- 12 Nickel head pins, 2"
- 2 Nickel eye pins, 2"
- 68 Round turquoise jasper beads, 4mm
- 8 in. White nickel fine curb chain
- 2 Nickel fish hook ear wires
- 16 Nickel jump rings, 4mm
- Chain nose pliers
- Bent nose pliers
- Round nose pliers
- Flush cutters
- Bead mat
- Protective eyewear





## TIPS AND TRICKS:

- Even Steven: When you've finished your tulip and chain earrings, hold them at eye level to check chain lengths. If they're uneven, simply trim to the length of the shortest chain.
- Double Up: To open a jump ring, use two pairs of pliers to gently twist the ends away from each other.