

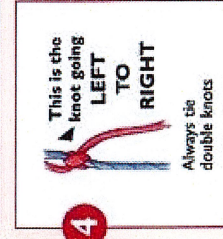
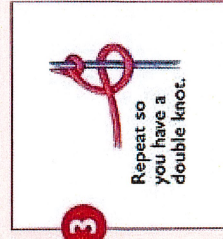
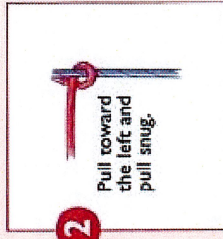
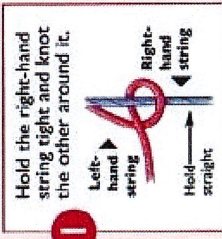
# Friendship Bracelets

## The Basic Knot

You've got to learn this first to get started.

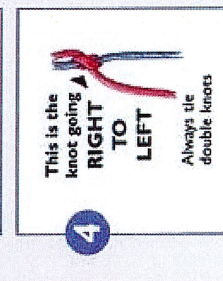
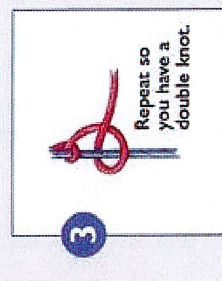
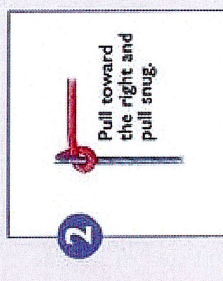
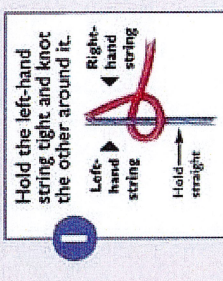
Take two different colored strings, tie them together at one end and tape them down.

As they hang side-by-side, call the string on the right, the right-hand string (makes sense, huh?). The other one, call the left-hand string.



## The Basic Knot

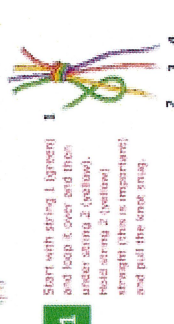
Going the other way



## The Basic Diagonal Stripe Friendship Bracelet

**What you'll need:** Four colors of embroidery floss, which you can get at any craft store, each 25 inches long (about 63 cm).

**Getting started:** Tie a knot about 1-1/2 inches (4 cm) from the top.



**2** Do step 1 a second time so you have a double knot.



**4** Now do the same thing again. Start with the far left strand (yellow) and tie double knots, left to right, all the way across the other colors.

**5** Keep going until the bracelet is as long as you would like.

**6** Gather the strings and tie a knot to secure. Trim the ends to about 1 - 1/2 inches (4 cm).

Make bracelets for 12 of your closest friends with Friendship Bracelets.

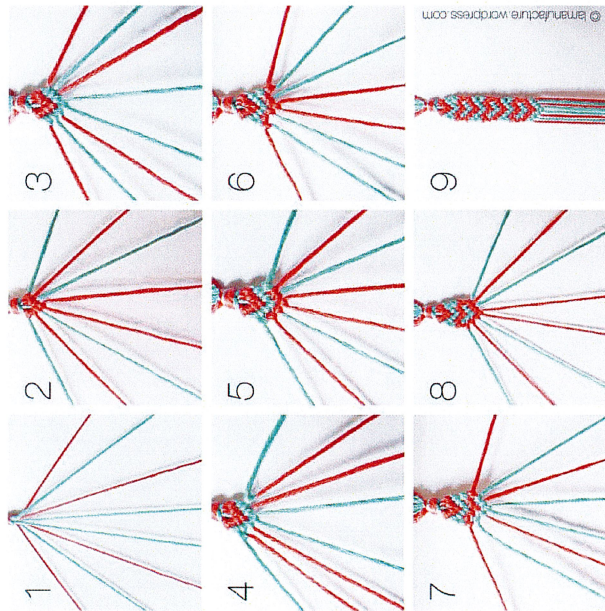
klutz.com facebook.com/klutzbooks



# Advanced friendship bracelets

## DOUBLE KNOT BRACELET

- Choose two colors, and cut three equal strands of each. Knot the strands together and secure to work surface. Separate the colors into two bunches (A and B).
- Hold the B strings on the right straight and taut. Then place the A strings on the left over the B strings on the right, and make a forward knot.
- Hold the A strings on the left straight and taut. Then place the B strings on the right over the A strings on the left to make a backward knot.
- Repeat process until bracelet is desired length.



© lamaranufacture.wordpress.com

## rollerderby!

If you can do the basic forward knot, you can make this bracelet.

thread materials  
6 strings of embroidery thread, one in each of the following colours:  
red green  
orange blue  
yellow purple

step 1: Knot all 6 strands together at one end and secure to work surface. Separate the colors into two bunches (A and B).

step 2: Hold the B strings on the right straight and taut. Then place the A strings on the left over the B strings on the right, and make a forward knot.

step 3: Hold the A strings on the left straight and taut. Then place the B strings on the right over the A strings on the left to make a backward knot.

step 4: Repeat process until bracelet is desired length.

step 5: Finish knotting on a full row (red or purple row) to make braiding easier. Or experiment with different ways to finish the bracelet.

step 6: Try different colours! Just remember to follow the pattern.

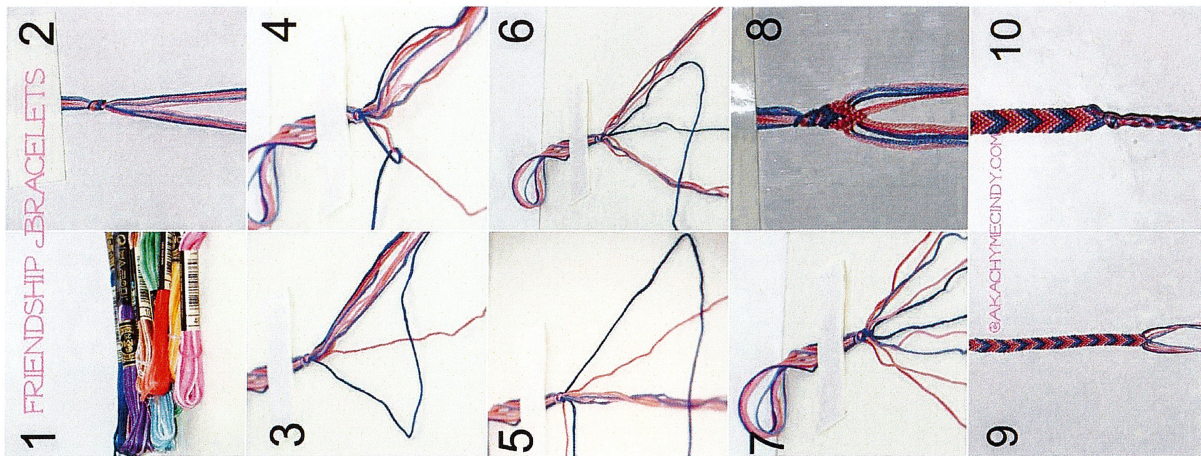
step 7: Have fun and share the love!

step 8: Finish knotting on a full row (red or purple row) to make braiding easier. Or experiment with different ways to finish the bracelet.

step 9: Try different colours! Just remember to follow the pattern.

step 10: Have fun and share the love!

first posted to: [the-alya-blog.tumblr.com](http://the-alya-blog.tumblr.com)



@KACHYNECINDY.COM