## DIY - wire-ring (swirls) sm yks



Materials: <u>Gold-plated silver wire, 0.8 mm, approx. 30 cm (21264-0.8mm)</u> <u>Gold-plated silver wire, 0.4 mm, approx. 15 cm (21264-0.4mm)</u> <u>Ring mandrel (31136C-wood)</u> <u>Round nose pliers (31105Cb)</u> <u>Flush cutter Pliers (31311B)</u> <u>Chain nose pliers (31105E)</u> <u>Freshwater pearls 3 pcs (10303A-2.5x2mm)</u> Bead of your choice 4 mm



**1.** Use the wire. 0.5 mm, start by making an eye, with a few wraps.



**3.** Thread a 4 mm bead onto the wire, and again make 4-5 wraps on the opposite side, and cut off the remaining wire with wire cutters.

**2.** Next, using 0.4 silver wire, make about 4-5 wraps on one side of the arch.



4. Shape the wire on the ring mandrel to roughly fit the chosen ring size, bending the two ends 'past' the end with the bead as shown.



**5.** Grab one of the ends with round nose pliers and bend the wire into a curl, decide how small or large you want it to be.

**6.** Take the other wire end and bend it, the opposite way. You may want to make one larger than the other.

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**7.** Adjust the swirls with a pair of chain-nose pliers if they are crooked.



**8.** Using 0.4mm wire, make 4-5 wraps positioned as shown.



**9.** Thread the 3 freshwater pearls onto the wire.



**10.** Shape a small circle and make a few more wraps on the same thread.



**11.** You can then continue wrapping the thread around randomly. Once you're satisfied, snip the remaining ends with wire cutters.



**12.** Adjust the shape of the ring mandrel. **And you're done!** 

See how to make earrings with wire in our blog post: DIY - wire links earrings

