

Piggie tutorial by Debbie Dew



Here is a quick tutorial for my lampwork friends. These pigs are fun to make and make ideal gifts for children.

1. Make a tab or lentil bead using Effetre pink
2. Add two white dots on the upper half of the bead for eyes
3. Put two smaller black dots on top of the white dots, heat and press flat but don't melt in
4. Put a big dot of pink just below the eye dots, heat and poke two indents towards the bottom of the big dot to form the nose
5. Add two big pink dots above the eyes for ears, squash each dot between your mashers
6. Heat each dot gently and using a clean mandrel or similar push the edge forward to form the pigs ear
7. Heat the whole thing up and pop it in the kiln.

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