

Pendants I- Bails and Embellishment

This class is the first in a series of 5 developed to teach a set of skills both specific to pendants and generally useful in all jewelry making.

Pendants I will involve fairly simple projects using pre made bezel cups, but will offer options for bail making, texturing metal using the rolling mill, beginning saw piercing, riveting and drilling holes.

Prerequisite: Silversmithing II

Please plan to provide all your own consumables. You will be able to purchase anything you need at Veberod Gem Gallery during class. Being able to see clearly is essential to your success, so bring any portable lighting and magnification you are accustomed to using (cheaters, OptiVisor, Telesight).



Supplies Required

20/22ga sheet, silver/copper/brass
Solder, hard and medium
Flux
Calibrated cabs/pre made bezel cups
Wire- 20, 18, 16ga
Torch Fuel
Tubing for bail (optional)
Rolling Mill textures

Tools used (tools marked with an *asterisk are regularly stocked in the student benches)

*Jeweler's saw
Saw blades
*Solder cutting Pliers
*Solder Pick
Torch
*Soldering surface
*Soldering tweezers
*Insulated cross-lock tweezers
*Third Hand
Titanium soldering trivets
*File
*Burnisher
*Bezel rocker
3M Polishing Paper
Magnification

Notes on tools/supplies

This list is designed to help you determine what to bring from home. Please **DO NOT** buy anything before class if you don't already have it. Many times there are factors that will determine your best choice and we will discuss all this at class. Bring what you have, and don't stress about what you don't.

We prefer not to offer kits for our classes. We try to encourage students to pick equipment and supplies (stones, beads etc.) based on their individual creativity. Often there are several options available and you may have some items already.

Please **mark** tools from home so they are identifiable as your own. If you have any questions regarding the cost of tools, supplies or anything else about the class, please contact us at 952.595.8338.