

Veberod Gem Gallery

Handmade Findings

This class is a great fundamentals class- you will learn to make your ear wires, headpins, S clasps and more. Handmade elements really set your jewelry apart and make people take notice!

This class is perfect for beginners OR for people with more experience that need to add that special “something” to their pieces.

Prerequisite: None

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

Silver, Copper or Brass wire 22, 20 and 16ga

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

- *Flush Cutters
- *Chain Nose Pliers
- *Flat Nose Pliers
- *Round Nose Pliers
- Domed Head Chasing Hammer
- Butane Torch (optional)
- Magnification
- 3M Polishing Paper

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.