

# TierraCast Candy Cane Earrings

Sweet Holiday Sparkle



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## Supplies

- 2 SF 2mm Bead Ear Wire (90-8120-10)
- 2 Bow Bead (94-5610-12)
- 2 2mm SS Round (93-0102-00)
- 2 2" 24g Head Pin (01-0029-01)
- 2 Sm Oval Jump Ring (01-0016-01)
- 2 Swarovski® 5328 3mm Crystal, Lt. Siam (Color A)

- 8 Swarovski® 5328 4mm Crystal, Lt. Siam (Color A)
- 8 Swarovski® 5328 4mm Crystal, Wht. Alabaster (Color B)

## Finished Size

2 inches

## Required Tools

Wire cutters, round nose pliers, chain or flat nose pliers (2), ruler

## Instructions

**TIP:** When making small wrapped loop, grip wire near tip of round nose plier jaws to keep loop as small as possible. Use scrap wire clippings for practice.

1. Close jump rings.
2. Pick up one ear wire and grasp hook above bead with one pair chain or flat nose pliers. Use second pair to turn loop at bottom 90 degrees. Open loop and attach one jump ring. Close loop. Repeat with second ear wire and jump ring.
3. Pick up one head pin and string on one 2mm silver bead, one 3mm crystal A, one 4mm crystal B, one jump ring with attached ear wire, one 4mm crystal A, one B, one A and one B.
4. String one bow bead upside down, followed by one A, one B, and one A.
5. Bend wire at right angle 2-3mm after final bead. (This allows space for beads to move when forming curve.)
6. Turn candy cane over. Carefully curve top of wire into a hook. Adjust shape by bending wire slightly between beads.
7. Turn candy cane back over and finish with small wrapped loop. Trim excess wire.
8. Repeat Steps 3-7 for second earring. (When stringing jump ring and ear wire pay attention to which direction candy cane will hang.)

Watch our technique videos in the DIY section of our blog (look for videos on jump rings and wrapped loops).

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