

Fuzzy Friendship Bracelet

Try this new take on friendship bracelets that's so comfortable you'll want to wear jewelry every day. See how you can change up the look using different felt colors and button designs!



Supplies:

Felt
Narrow ribbon: 2 12-inch pieces, 1 9-inch piece
Scissors
Shank buttons (buttons with one hole, like a miniature ring)
Craft glue

Instructions:

1. Cut three long, very narrow pieces of felt. Lay the felt strips and 9-inch piece of ribbon on top of each other, and tie them together at one end with a 12-inch piece of ribbon. Make three tight knots.
2. Holding the 9-inch piece of ribbon with one of the felt strips, braid the felt for 1-2 inches. Slip one of the shank buttons onto the ribbon, and continue to braid. Keep adding more shank buttons and braiding, then finish by braiding the last 1-2 inches of the bracelet so it fits comfortably around your wrist.
3. Use the other 12-inch piece of ribbon to tie the braided strips together and make three knots at the end of the bracelet. Leaving a little felt sticking out from the knots, trim the ends to make them even. Make sure you don't trim the ribbon that tied the knots—that will be your bracelet closure.
4. Take the longer ribbons you used to tie the knots with, and make a bow. Dab glue on the ribbon ends and let dry. Slide on the bracelet, or give it to a friend!