



## Tubular Bead Crochet The basic stitch

### Materials & Tools:

Size 8/0 seed beads in six (6) different opaque colors.  
There ***must*** be high contrast between the colors.  
You will need about 50 beads of each color.

White or ecru thread as follows:

10 yards Gutermann Top Stitch, 100% polyester thread  
or  
10 yards Jean Stitch, 100% polyester thread

Size 11 or 12 (1.00 mm) steel crochet hook

Big-eye needle, scissors, beading mat

### Prerequisite:

Using the big-eye needle, pre-string 18”  
of the 8/0 seed beads in the following  
pattern: 1 bead of each color then repeat  
for 18”. i.e.. 1color A, 1 color B, 1 color C,  
1 color D, 1 color E, 1 color F  
and then repeat sequence.

**DO NOT CUT YOUR THREAD FROM THE SPOOL**

This workshop will introduce you to the basic slip-stitch (with beads) used in tubular Bead Crochet.  
You will come to class with pre-strung beads and practice starting and crocheting a sample tube.