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Materials List & Instructions

Leather Tassel Keychain

Tools

Scissors
Low-temp hot glue gun
Rotary Ruler
Rotary Cutter
Cutting Mat
Tube Cutter
Cutting Machine (optional, if using faux leather)

Materials

Leather
Key Ring
Pencil
Copper Tubing (optional)
Cricut Faux Leather (optional)

Instructions

Optional - you can cut faux leather on a Cricut cutting machine with the "Faux Leather" cutting option using the SVG file provided in the blog post.

1. Gather tools and materials.
2. Cut a piece of leather 4.5" x 7". Mark a line on the back with a pencil 1" down from the top.
3. Using a rotary cutter, ruler, and mat, fringe the leather starting at the pencil line, about 1/4" apart.
4. Cut a long strip of leather 1/4" wide. Make a loop and glue the ends.
5. Glue the end of the loop to the edge of the fringe.
6. Roll and glue the fringe around the loop.
7. Cut another strip of leather 1" wide x whatever length you need to wrap around the top of the tassel.
8. Wrap and glue leather to the top of the tassel. Slip the top loop through the key ring.
9. For another look, cut copper tubing to desired length.
10. Slide tubing over the end of finished tassel, then slip a key ring through the loop at the top. *Depending on the thickness of the leather/faux leather, you may need to use a smaller piece of fringe to fit into the tubing after it is rolled up and glued.*