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Flag Pin

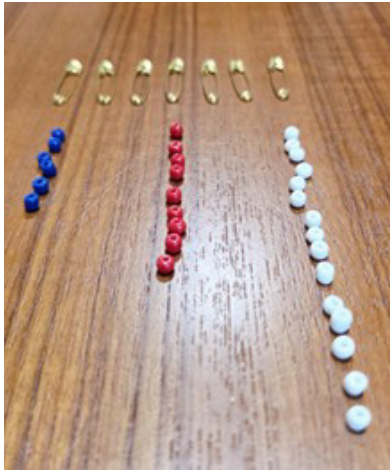
Did you know? “In 1958, Ohio high schooler Robert G. Heft created the 50-star design for a class project, anticipating that Alaska and Hawaii would soon join the Union. His teacher gave him a B minus. When Congress chose Heft's design two years later, the grade was changed to an A.”

- NationalFlagFoundation.org

Supplies Needed:

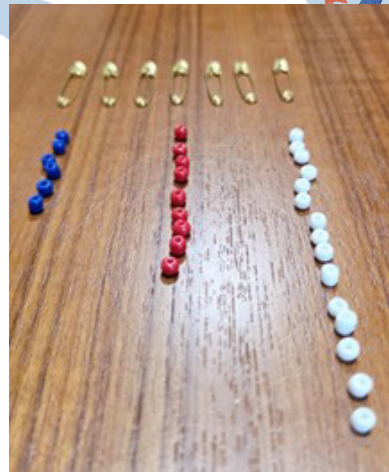
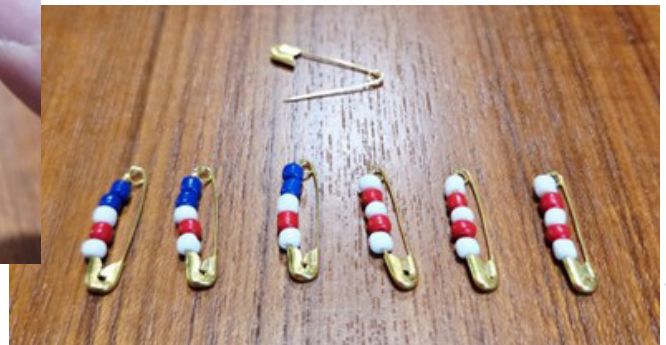
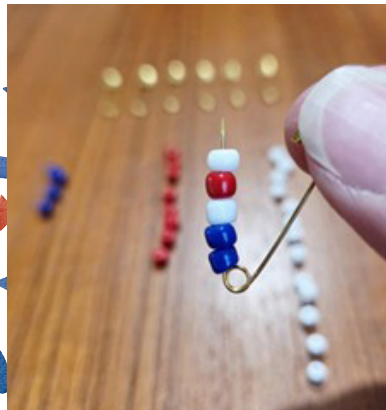
- Safety pins (7)
- Blue beads (6)
- Red beads (9)
- White beads (15)
- Small flathead screwdriver (optional)

Step 1: Separate your beads into piles of red, white and blue beads.



Step 2: Place beads on safety pins in this order.
B=Blue, W=White, and R=Red

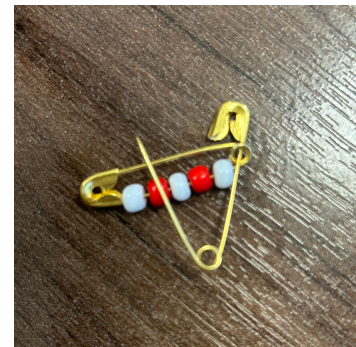
#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
B	B	B	W	W	W
B	B	B	R	R	R
W	W	W	W	W	W
R	R	R	R	R	R
W	W	W	W	W	W



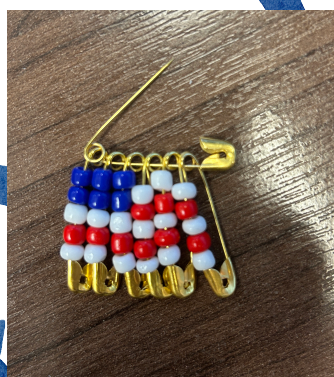
Step 3: With a fingernail or small flathead screwdriver (like those used for eyeglasses) separate loops at the end of the 7th safety pin. This will make it possible to move the safety pins with beads to the other side of the 7th safety pin for easy pinning to items such as a jacket or backpack.



Step 4: Starting with pin #6, add it to the 7th safety pin, moving it around the end loop to the other side of the pin.



Step 5: Add all the safety pins with beads in this order, #5, #4, #3, #2, and #1.



Step 6: The pin is now ready to attach to a jacket, backpack or anything else you may want to put it on.



Happy Crafting!

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