

Veberod Gem Gallery Class Notes

Fabricated BiMetal Bead

This class uses sheet stock that is made with a layer of 22KT gold fused to sterling silver. We will pattern the gold layer, then fabricate a sterling bead featuring the patterned gold. Other bimetals designs students can explore on their own feature exposed silver areas blackened to provide a rich contrast to the high karat gold.



Supplies Required:

Sterling Silver Tubing: 480537

Sterling Silver Sheet: 480120 or 480122

BiMetal Sheet: 480181

Tools Required:

Chasing/ Texturing Tools

Fabric, Cardstock, Lace, etc for texturing metal

Basic tools and supplies required for most classes:

Jeweler's sawframe: 349704

Clamp on benchpin: 313361

Chain nose pliers: 346518 or 346160

Wire cutters: 346122 or 346209

Drill bits: 328565 or 328500

Polishing points: 310446, 310448, 311466

Center punch: 347900

Bur wax: 319928

White diamond polishing compound: 347448

Rouge compound: 347416

A note on cost of supplies - Our classes are not kits, we try to encourage creativity. It is difficult to give even an estimate for the cost of supplies since most people have some items already, and most classes have different options. If you have never taken classes before and need everything, we will be happy to let you use whatever tools we have available for your first class so you can discover how enjoyable it can be! The one-time cost for the basic tools and supplies required for all classes after that is about \$60. In addition each class has a list of required tools and supplies. For this class that cost will run about \$140.

If you have any questions regarding the cost of supplies or anything else about the class, please contact us.