### **Sugar Skull Masks**



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#### YOU WILL NEED:

#### Pegboards:

4 Large Squares

#### Other:

Scissors

Clear tape

Black ribbon: (4) 12" pieces Assorted adhesive gems

#### **FULL MASK**

#### **Bead Colors:**

- Plum 39
- Orange 18
- Turquoise 20
- Dark Blue 94
- Glow in the Dark Green 38
- Creme 48
- Grey 8
- Dark Grey 23
- Black 71
- White 428
- Raspberry Pearl Stripe 24
- Hot Coral Pearl Stripe 38
- Fire Stripe 5
- Prickly Pear Pearl Stripe 16
- Cucumber Stripe 34
- Royal Blue Pearl Stripe 30
- Grape Stripe 6
- Zebra Stripe 2

#### Instructions

- 1. Assemble the 4 pegboards as shown below. Cut out the patterns and tape together in the same wayay. Place your beads on the pegboards as shown. If you are using a clear pegboard, slide the actual-size pattern underneath it.
- 2. Ask an adult to fuse your designs—see below for further instructions. Fuse these masks well on one side only so that they will curve around the face more easily.
- 3. Assembly: see page 6.





#### **SMALL MASK**

#### **Bead Colors:**

- Red 32
- Cranapple 39
- Orange 4
- Dark Blue 92
- Pastel Lavender 22
- Glow in the Dark Green 15
- Creme 26
- Grey 8
- Dark Grey 23
- Black 66
- White 309
- 😚 Hot Coral Pearl Stripe 38
- 😚 Fire Stripe 3
- Prickly Pear Pearl Stripe 16
- Sky Blue Stripe 34
- Royal Blue Pearl Stripe 30
- Zebra Stripe 2

# Fusing Instructions—Only Adults Iron FUSE ONE SIDE ONLY

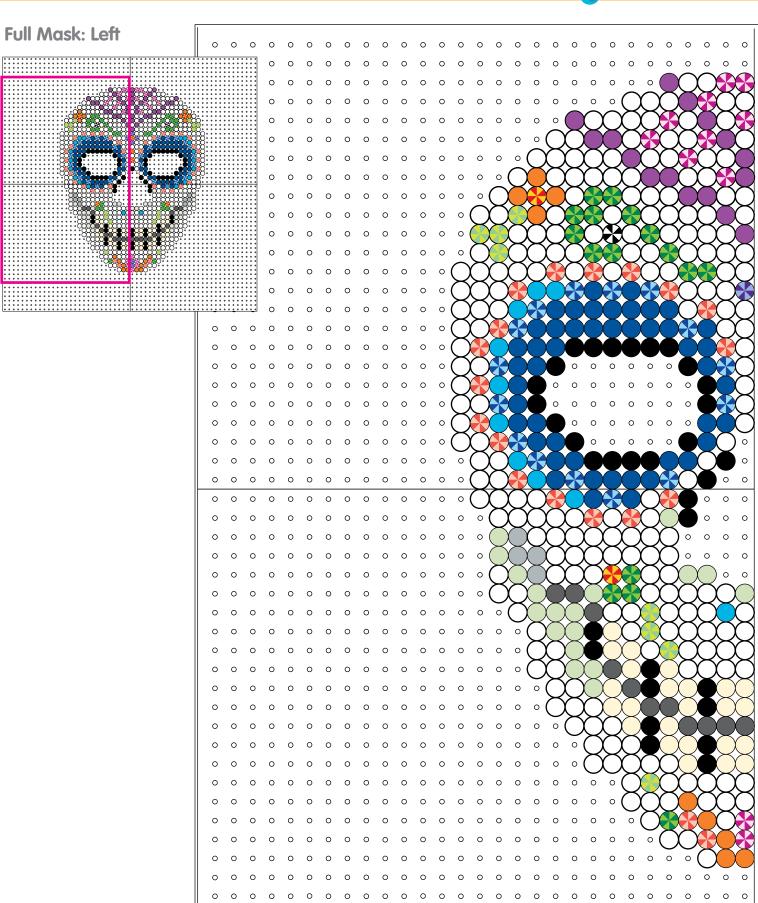


- 1. Place your pegboard on a flat, heat-safe surface.
- 2. Set a household iron to the medium setting. Place ironing paper over the pegboard. In a circular motion, begin to iron the project. Do not press down with the iron. As the beads begin to fuse, you will see circles of the beads start to show through the paper. When ironed properly, the beads will still have an open center. Let the design cool.
- 3. Because you want your mask to curve, fuse one side only.

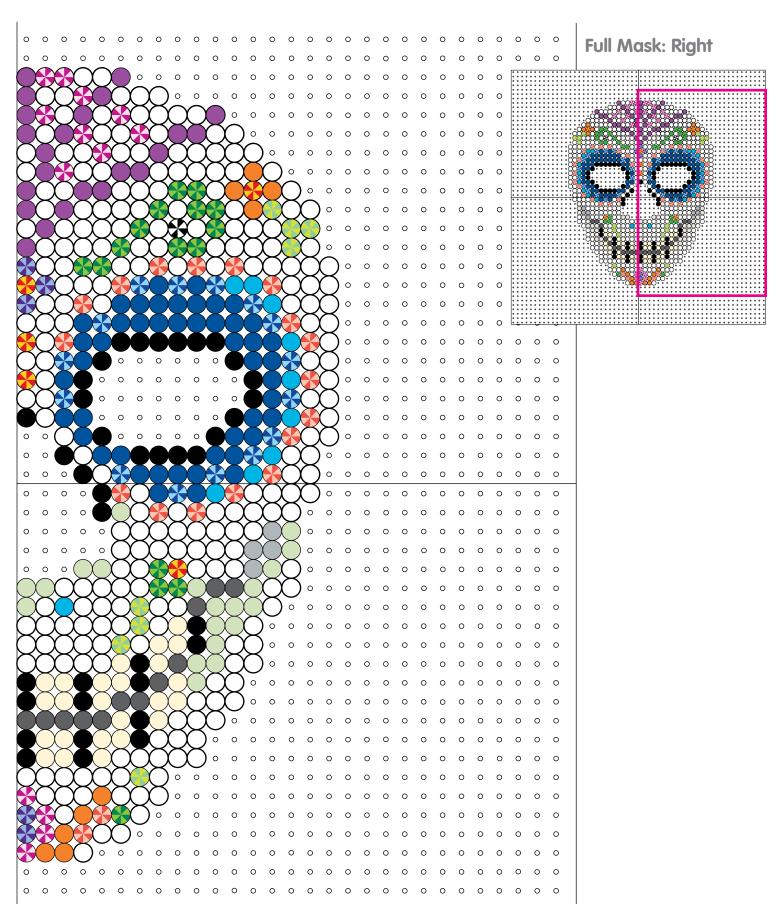
NOTE: Beads need heat for about 10-20 seconds to fuse evenly. Lift the paper

occasionally to see how the beads are fusing. Depending on the size of the project, additional heating time may be required. DO NOT OVER-IRON the beads as it will make the centers of the beads close and can make the assembly you do with your project more challenging.

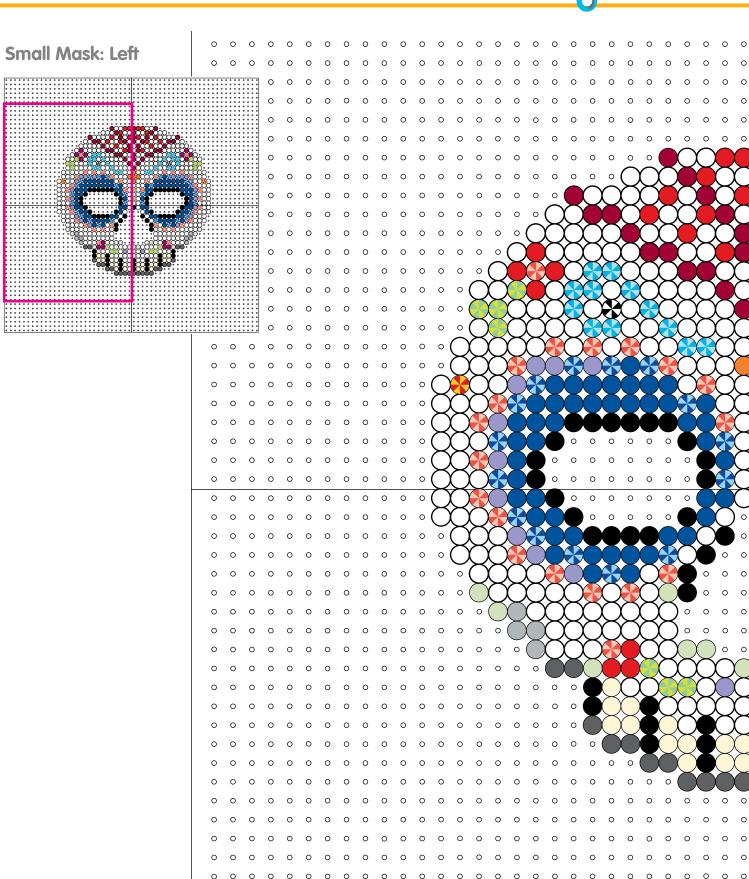




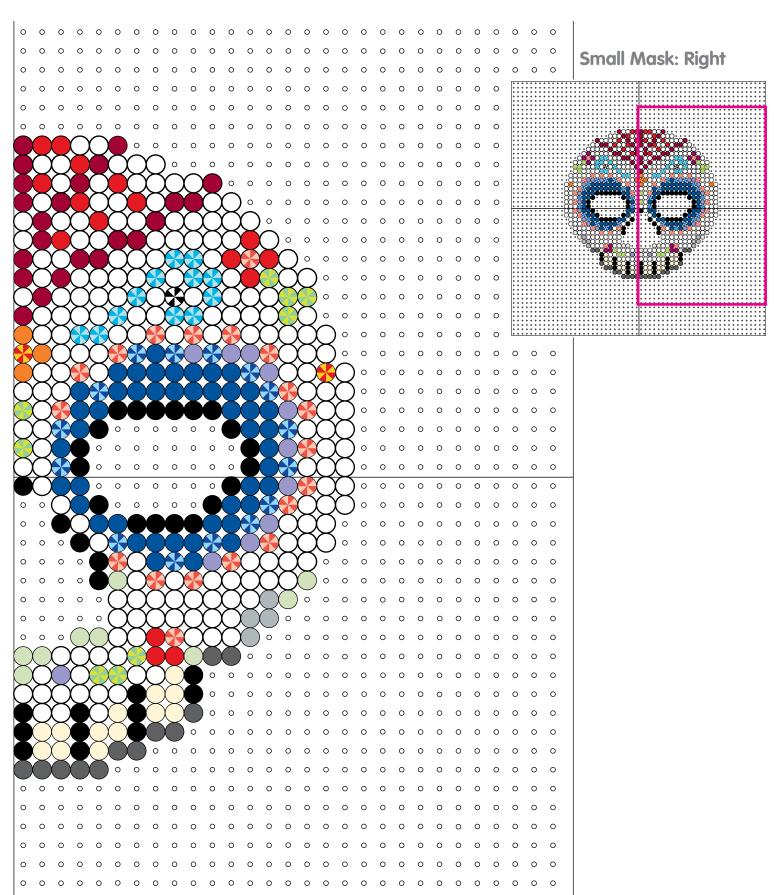










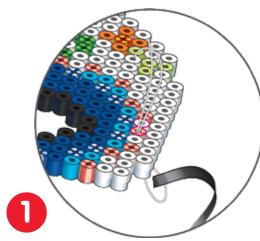


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Tip: Use a 5" piece of thin fishing line to create a loop as shown. This will help thread your ribbon through the beads for the mask ties.





Insert the loop you made above through the designated bead hole from front to back (see placement indicators below). Pass the end of the ribbon through the loop.



Gently pull the ribbon through the bead. Repeat with the adjacent bead to bring the ribbon to the back.



Knot the ribbon to secure it on the back.

