



## Wonder Loom® Dragonfly

Create these cute little Wonder Loom<sup>®</sup> dragonflies with beaded wings and head using just a few pony beads and bands. They are so quick and easy to make, you will soon have them in every color.

Dragonflies in nature are many different colors, so we have just separated the materials needed into body and wing colors. The instructions show how to make a dragonfly with a black body and blue and purple wings, but you can use any colors you like.

## Materials needed:

4	9x6 mm barrel pony beads	Wing colors
1	9x6 mm barrel pony bead	Head color
13	Wonder Loom <sup>®</sup> bands	Wing colors
12	Wonder Loom <sup>®</sup> bands	Body colors

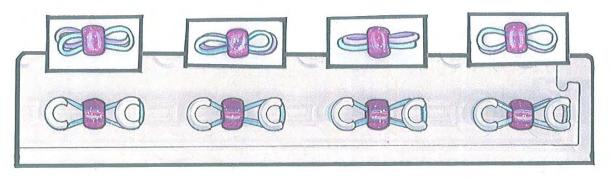


## Other items and tools needed:

Wonder Loom® kit

## **Instructions:**

Step 1: Place two wing colored bands through each wing colored pony bead and place them on your Wonder Loom<sup>®</sup> pegs as shown below.

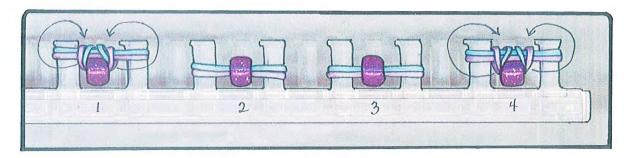




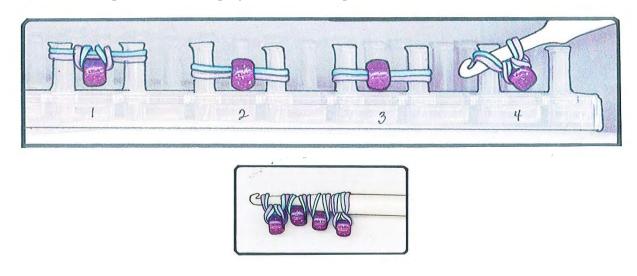
Step 2: Place two more wing colored bands on the Wonder Loom<sup>®</sup> pegs above pairs 1 and 4.

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Step 3: Hook and lift lower pairs of bands up and over top bands on end pegs.

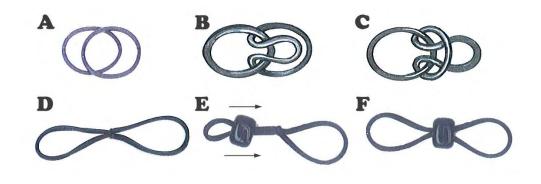


Step 4: Remove pairs in order, keeping all 4 sets on the pick tool.





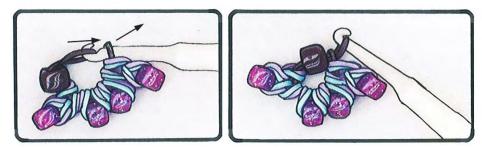
**Step 5:** Take 2 body colored bands and slip knot them together as shown. Slide the head colored pony bead onto the bands and center over the knot.



**Step 6:** Hook one end of the knotted bands on the pick tool and pull it through the 4 sets of wing bands.

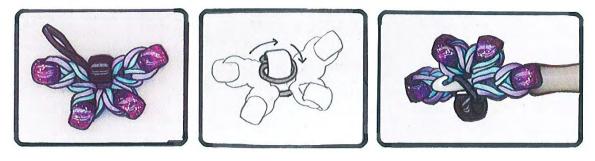


Step 7: Hook the loose end of the knotted bands and pull through the first end tightening the slip knot.

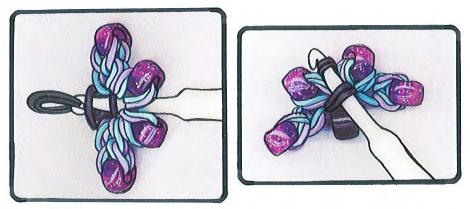




**Step 8:** Take the loose end of the knotted body band and loop it over the head bead. Place the pick tool through these loops between the head bead and the body bands.



Step 9: Hook and pull 2 body bands through the loops on the pick tool. Keeping the new bands hooked, Put the pick tool between the small wings and hook the loose ends.



Step 10: Hook and pull another pair of body bands through the loops on the pick tool and then hook the loose ends. Repeat this for three more pairs of body bands. Finish off the chain by pulling the last band through and hooking the loose end.







**Step 11:** Pull one loop of the last band through the other and tighten to knot the tail and finish the dragonfly. This last loop can either be used to hang the dragonfly like a pendant or it can be tied with a square knot and trimmed.



Dragonflies are many different colors and species in nature, so get creative and use your imagination when selecting bead and band colors.

