

Hemp-wrapped Bracelet

Materials:

Clear tape

1/8" square leather lacing



Scissors

1/2" button with a shank



Fish line

Hemp cording in desired color



Instructions:

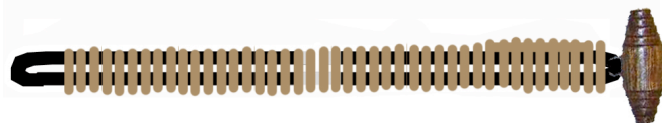
Cut a length of leather lacing that fits around your wrist comfortably twice.

Slip the shank button onto the leather lacing. You may need to trim the end at a slight angle to get it started.



Making sure the lacing is not twisted, bring the ends together and lay the ends on the center of the lacing. Tape the ends together and down to the lacing.

To begin wrapping the hemp onto the leather lacing, lay about a 1" piece on the leather lacing with the end away from the button. As you wrap the hemp tightly onto the lacing, you will cover the end and make it secure without any knots.



Continue wrapping until you get near the other end, leaving just enough "loop" so that the button will fit through snugly.

Unwrap about 1" and use a folded piece of fish line to form a "needle." Have the loop end of the fish line even with the loop end of the leather. Rewrap the hemp, leaving the loop for the button to fit through. Cut the hemp so only a small tail remains. Place the hemp tail in the fish line loop, and pull the ends through to pull the hemp end under the wrapped hemp to make it secure without any knots.

During the wrapping, you may add embellishments, such as smaller beads, etc.

Enjoy your hemp wrapped bracelet!