

## VIKING KNIT CHAIN WORKSHOP

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### **SUPPLY LIST:**

1 to 2oz. 26 gauge dead soft sterling silver wire. Quantity depends on size and length of chain you want to make. One ounce will make a necklace. (Argentium is okay)  
2 feet 20 gauge sterling silver wire\*  
1 foot 16 gauge wire\*  
Silver solder\*

\* Small quantities may be available for purchase from Studio's inventory

### **TOOL LIST:**

Round nose pliers  
Chain nose pliers or bent chain nose pliers (Bent nose are nicer to use)  
Round/Flat pliers (Nice if you have them for forming clasps.)  
Wire side cutters (Flush or near flush is preferable)  
Awl  
Assorted needle files for shaping and finishing  
Smooth faced hammer for some light forging (Planishing, ball peen, goldsmith's hammer, etc.)  
Solder pick  
Soldering tweezers  
Sandpaper  
Miscellaneous finishing/polishing points  
Crafter's Comfort Gloves (by Dritz) are nice optional item to protect fingers while pulling wire but protective tape around index finger will work well, too.  
Green Alligator protective tape or medical tape or BandAids  
Ruler  
Sharpie  
Notebook  
NOTE: There is a limited number of loaner tool kits available for use during the workshop.