

# 11 Steps TO MAKE AFRICAN EARRINGS

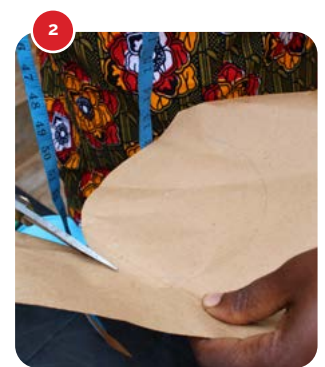
## MATERIALS

*Makes 20 pairs of African earrings*

African fabric material .....	1m
Beads .....	1 packet
Metal flower beads .....	1 packet
Pins .....	1 packet
Needles .....	1 packet
Earring holders .....	1 packet
Plier.....	1 pair
Paper (A4 size) .....	1
Compass .....	1
Pencil .....	1
Thread .....	1



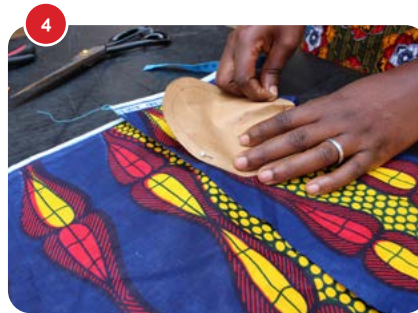
1 Get a paper and use your compass and a pencil to draw the size of the circle you want your earring to be.



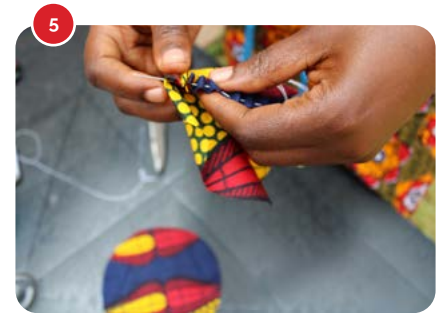
2 After drawing the circle, cut out the circle with scissors or a razorblade.



3 Fold your African fabric into two and place the paper circle onto the folded material. This is done in order to get two pieces.



4 Get pins and pierce them through the paper and the fabric material to hold them together. Cut out the same circle from the fabric material using scissors. These make two circles.



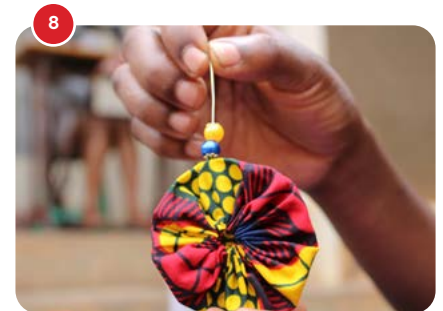
5 With a needle and thread, sew the pieces together. Fold slightly at the edges to get a rounded shape. Continue sowing the fabric material until you reach the starting point.



6 Get the thread from where you started and pull both ends. Tie a knot to hold it firm. Cut off the remaining thread.



7 Next is to make a holder for the earring. Get a pin and position at the base of the fabric circle and push it through the edges.



8 Add a small metal flower and then beads at the base of the pin. Put another small metal flower on the last bead.



9 Cut off the remaining part of the pin. With pliers, slightly bend the edge of the pin leaving enough space for the holder to pass. Don't close the loop all the way yet.



10 Add the earring holder and close the metal loop so that it doesn't go out.



11 The earring is now complete.