

“Get Off My Cloud” Threader Earrings

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Suggested Materials:

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Stock</u>	<u>Name</u>
1 pair	#53-009-07	Ear thread with wavy bars, vermeil
2	#37-612	12kt gold-filled head pins
2	#20-642-01-081	Coin-shaped pearls, bronze

Tools: Chain nose pliers, round-nose pliers, side or flush cutters

To make this design:

1. Add a pearl to one head pin.
2. Using your round-nose pliers, create a loop above the pearl, and trim excess wire.
2. Using your chain-nose pliers, open the head-pin loop.

TIP: Opening and closing rings by twisting them sideways (as opposed to pulling the ends apart) helps them retain their round shape, and allows for a more secure closure.

4. Attach your head-pin loop to the loop of your ear thread. Close the loop.
5. Use your chain-nose pliers to gently but securely close any gap in the ear thread loop.
6. Repeat steps 1 through 5 for the second earring.

