



## Dragonfly String Art Wall Plaque

### Supplies Needed

- #203-26018 Wood Oval Wall Plaque, 9 3/4" x 6 5/8" x 3/8" (1)
- #34734253 Bright Colors Embroidery Floss, 40 pc. (1 pk)
- #40000703 Gold Size 12 Sequin Pins, 300 pc. (1 pk)
- #4472 Jewelry Hammer (1 – or small head hammer)
- #4459 Tweezer Set, 3 pc. (1 pk – or any tweezers)

### Tools & Other Supplies Needed

- Dragonfly Template (attached to instructions)
- White Paint & Rag
- Scotch Tape
- Clear Drying Craft Glue

### Techniques to Know

- Hammering Nails
- Stringing

### INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Dilute white paint w/ some water. Use rag to apply paint to the plaque. Allow to dry.
2. Sand the top and edges of the picture frame.
3. Print out dragonfly template. Tape it to the surface of the plaque using scotch tape. Using the template as a guide, securely hammer sequin pins through the template into the plaque so the pins are all approximately hammered in evenly.
4. Choose desired floss colors for the head, body, and wings of your dragonfly.
5. \*Starting with the head and body of the dragonfly, string floss back and forth around the sequin pins.
6. Repeat step 5 for the wings of the dragonfly.

### \*PRO TIPS:

- Start by tying one end of each color of floss to a sequin pin using a knot and leaving a tail. Once you have finished stringing that color of floss, either use a knot to tie that end of floss to another sequin pin or, if you end up next to the tail you started with, it can be tied to that tail. Place a touch of glue onto all knots and allow to dry. Trim off any remaining tails of floss.
- Tweezers are very helpful in stringing the floss in between the sequin pins.

**Skill Level:** Advanced Beginner

**Approximate Crafting Time:** 3-4 Hours

**DRAGONFLY TEMPLATE**

