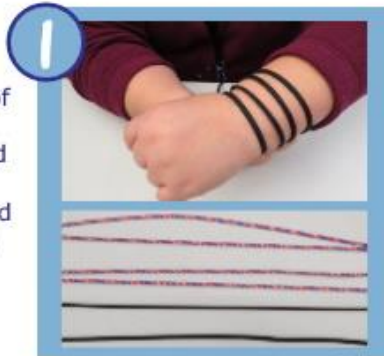




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Take and Make FEB 2021 PARACORD: FISHTAIL

Start with two lengths of paracord. Measure the first by wrapping around your wrist four times. Measure the second cord to be double the length of the first.



Create the starting knot by folding the first cord in half. Put the loop end under your second cord. Then tuck the first cord's ends through the loop (going over the second cord) and pull tight to make the knot.

Size your second longer cord so that one end is short, and the other very long. Using the long end, braid the cord under one end of the knot, then over the other.



Repeat step 3, moving in the opposite direction. Go under the closest end, then over the other. You can pull the cord to tighten your braids as you go.

Repeat steps 3 and 4 until the braided length is long enough to fit around your wrist, or until your desired length.



Take the short end of your second cord and make a loop with it. Seal the loop by melting the end and clamping it to the braid with a pliers.

On the end with three loose strands, cut the strand left from braiding and burn. Then tie a knot some distance from the braid. This knot should just fit through the loop, which will hold the bracelet in place. Burn the ends when done.



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