

WINDCHIME ASSEMBLY:

Parts are hand crafted from natural materials, so expect variance in color, size and shape.

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Components can be used in various ways to create windchimes, suncatchers, mobiles and other decorations. Suggested simple assembly with parts is attached.

Tools Required:

- Scissors
- Lighter or thread burner
- Super Glue[®] or other quick-hold glue
- Optional — a wide-eye needle

Parts List:

- A - Wood Disc
- B - Clapper (small wood disc)
- C - Windcatcher
- D - (6pc) bamboo tubes 8-11.5 inches
- E - (3pc) 1.0mm black nylon cord: 28, 34 and 40-inch lengths



STEP 1 Prepare Your Work Area

Find a hook or other place to attach the top string of your windchime about 2 feet above your work surface, to make it easier to string and assemble the windchime.

STEP 2 Sort the Pieces

- Line up your bamboo tubes from largest to smallest
- Sort your cord from largest to smallest
- Lay out the other pieces

STEP 3 Prepare the Cord

Use a thread burner or a lighter, very quickly, to gently melt the ends of all the nylon cords. This will prevent fraying while stringing your windchime.

STEP 4 Create the Hanger

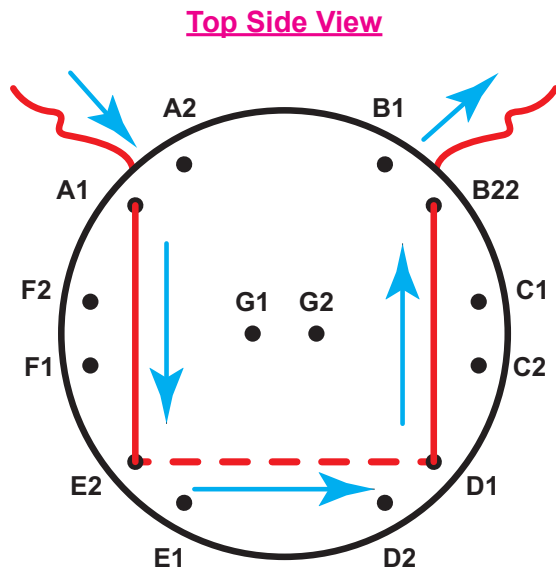
String the 28-inch length of nylon cord through the holes in the wood disc, in order:

**This will become the bottom side of the wood disc.*

- A1
- E2
- D1
- B2

**The arrows indicate the directional path of the cord.*

**The dotted line represents the path of the cord on the opposite side of the wood disc.*



Flip the wood disc around so the top side is up.

Pull the cord between D1 and E2 up so you have a loop in equal length to the tails coming out of A1 and B2.

Create an overhand knot, leaving a loop to hang the windchime with.



**If you have a problem making the knot, use a small piece of flexible tape (like electrical tape) to temporarily bind all of the ends together, making the knot simpler to accomplish.*

Add a drop of super glue to the knot and let dry.

Cut off the tails.

**The loop should be approximately 4 to 5 inches from top of the wood disc.*

STEP 5 String the Bamboo Tubes

String the 40-inch cord through the drill holes in the top of the shortest bamboo tube. Make sure the tails end up in equal lengths.

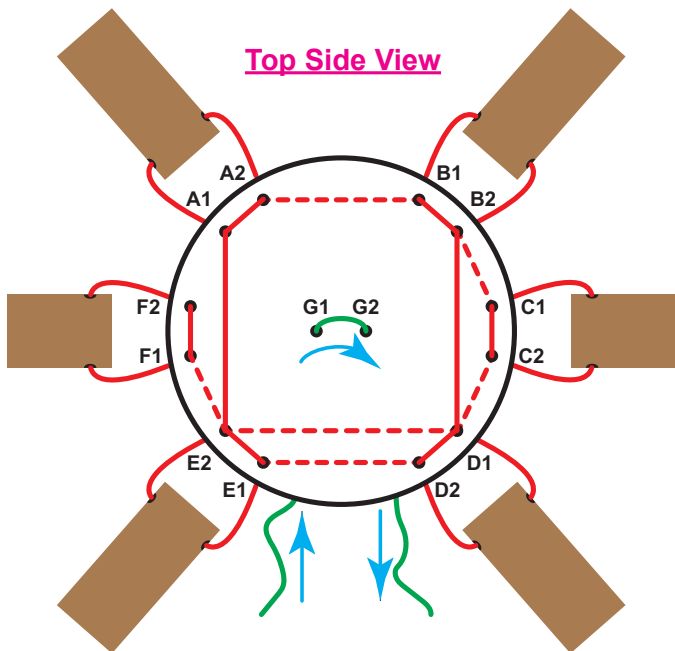
String the tails through A1 and A2 from the bottom side of the wood disc, leaving an approximate 1.25 inch gap between the bamboo tube and the wood disc.

- A wide-eye needle may be helpful in stringing the cords through the holes that have an existing cord in them.



**The top of the tubes should be approximately 1 ¼ inches from bottom of wood disc.*

Using the tails of the cord, repeat in order of length until all the tubes are strung onto the windchime.



Knot ends of cord.

Add a drop of super glue to the knots and let dry.

Cut off the tails.



STEP 6 String Clapper and Windcatcher

String the 34-inch cord through the top of the wood disc, through G1 and G2.

Pull enough cord through G2 to knot it around the cord going through G1 on the bottom of the wood disc.

Add a drop of super glue to the knots and let dry.

Cut off the short tail, leaving a very long tail.

**The active cord is the green one*

**The remaining tail will be quite long*

Thread the Clapper (B) onto the long tail through the center hole in the clapper. Stop approximately 7 inches from the wood disc, so it will hit all of the bamboo tubes. Then thread it back through the off-center hole. Tie a double overhand knot, add a drop of super glue to secure and let dry. Then thread the cord back through the center hole to leave a tail for the wind catcher.



String the windcatcher onto the end of the cord approximately 15 inches from the clapper, then tie a knot.

Add a drop of super glue to the knot and let dry.

Cut off the tail.

