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Note – In all patterns leave beads on shuttle until required (unless otherwise stated) and then move into place. All doodles are made with threads wound CTM again unless stated otherwise.

Abbreviations

R	Ring	Ch	chain
RW	Reverse work	S	Starting place
SR	Split ring	vsp	Very small picot
- or p	Picot	Lj	Lock join
DPB	Down beaded picot	MB	Move bead into place
T & C	Tie and cut	B	bead
Cl	close		

Plain Caterpillar – 1 shuttle & chain thread.

1 yard & 2 beads on Sh.

R1: 3 MB 4 Lp 4 MB 1 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 3 RW

R2: 2 +(vsp R1) 5 vsp 5 Cl RW

*Ch: 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 Lj (vsp R2) RW

R3: 5 vsp 5 Cl RW Repeat from * once more.

Ch: 2 – 2 – 2 – 2 Lj (vsp final R) 6 Tie an overhand knot and cut.

**Fancy Caterpillar – 1 shuttle & chain thread.**

1¼ yards on Sh.

Add 4 beads (body) to shuttle thread then 2 eye beads.

Add 12 beads to the chain thread.

R1: 3 MB 2 – 4 – 2 MB 1 vsp 2 Cl RW

Ch: 3 RW bead at back of hand

R2: 2 + (vsp R1) 1 DPB 2 vsp 5 Cl RW

*Ch: 2 B 2 B 2 B 2 Lj (vsp last R) RW bead at back of hand

R3: 2 DBP 2 vsp 5 Cl RW

Repeat from * twice

Ch: 2 B 2 B 2 B 2 +(vsp final R)

LCh: 6 T & C

