

Make your own KNITTING NEEDLES

You will need:

3/8" or 1/4" wooden dowel (hardware store)
cut into 8" or 9" lengths

fine sandpaper (220 grit)

(electric) pencil sharpener
OPTIONAL

beeswax is nice to smooth polish
the needles

Fimo Clay - 2 colors

Cut dowels, sharpen one end, sand smooth,
wax. **M**ake colorful clay ball for
each end of your needles. **B**ake in
oven - follow package directions.

make a



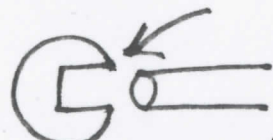
ball



Press
needle in


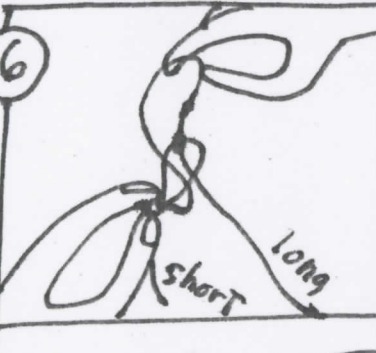

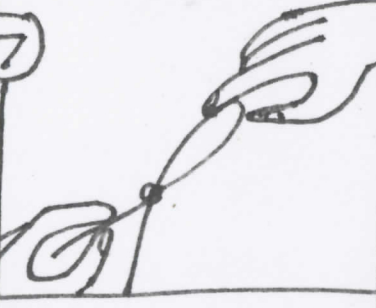
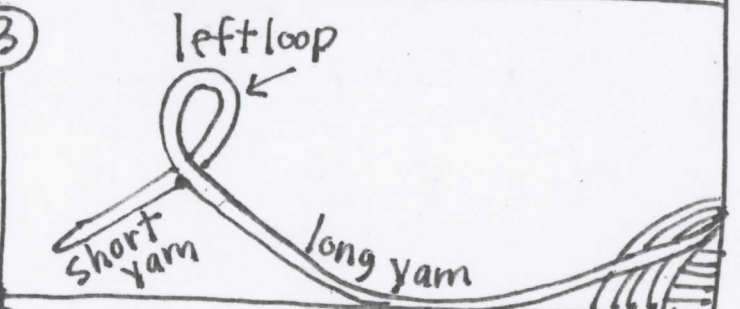

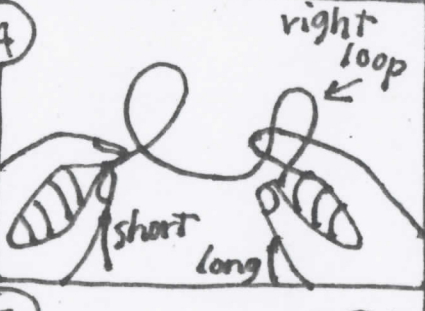

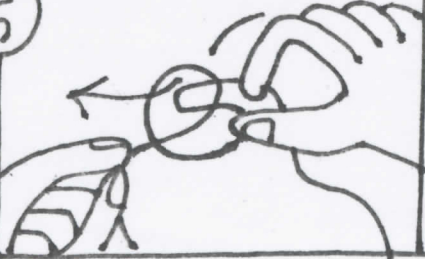
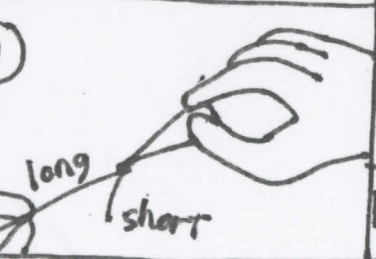


bake clay



glue balls
to needles

finger knitting

<p>1</p> 	<p>right handers: take yarn in left hand</p>	<p>6</p> 	<p>grab right loop and pull through, hold tight to left loop.</p>
<p>2</p> 	<p>make a loop with long yarn in front</p>	<p>7</p> 	<p>pull short yarn to make tight knot</p>
<p>3</p> 	<p>8</p> 	<p>put thumb + pointer together. Loop long over fingers. pull long yarn.</p>	
<p>4</p> 	<p>hold left loop, pinch a little loop with right hand</p>	<p>9</p> 	<p>pinch long yarn with thumb+pointer and pull through loop holding short yarn.</p>
<p>5</p> 	<p>thread right loop into left from back to front</p>	<p>10</p> 	<p>pull long yarn to tighten loop. Repeat 8,9,10</p>