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Danielle Fox provides tips for making jewelry gifts from the heart.

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Tips for making jewelry gifts:

- When giving jewelry to other people, make sure to create jewelry that is versatile. You can know a person well, but not know the size of their wrist or the length they prefer to wear their necklaces. By making jewelry that can expand a bit, you'll get a great fit every time!
- Use a lobster clasp on one end of your bracelet design and a short (about 1") length of chain on the other end. That way the wearer can attach the clasp anywhere on the chain, accommodating various wrist sizes. Since the average woman's wrist is 7", you should be safe if you design a bracelet that extends from 6–8".

• Use a lobster or toggle clasp on one end of your necklace design and create "stations" at 16" and 18", the most popular necklace sizes, at the other end. Stations can be soldered jump rings between beaded links or anything else that allows a clasp to be attached to it.

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