

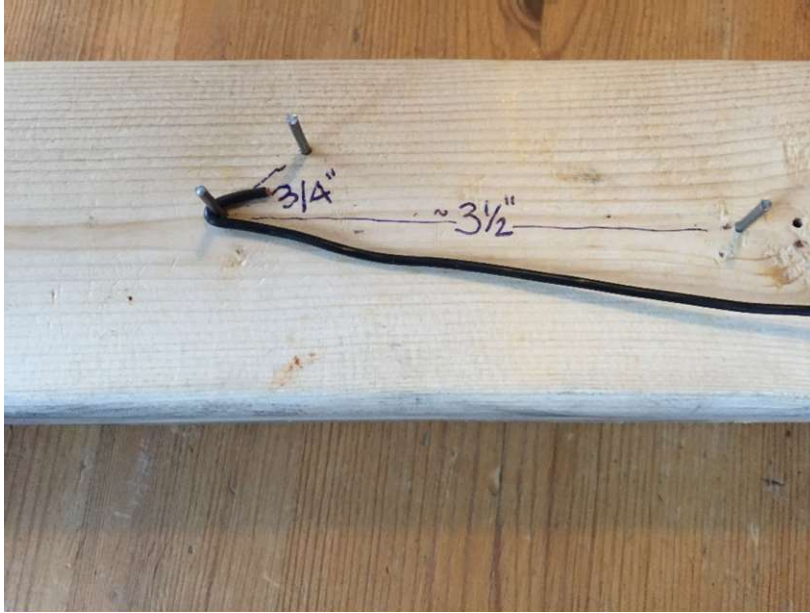
How to make wire nose pieces for fabric face masks

The recommended wire for this is 20 gauge insulated copper wire. For example, <https://www.homedepot.ca/product/southwire-bell-wire-copper-electrical-cable-20-2-red-and-white-30m/1000795059>

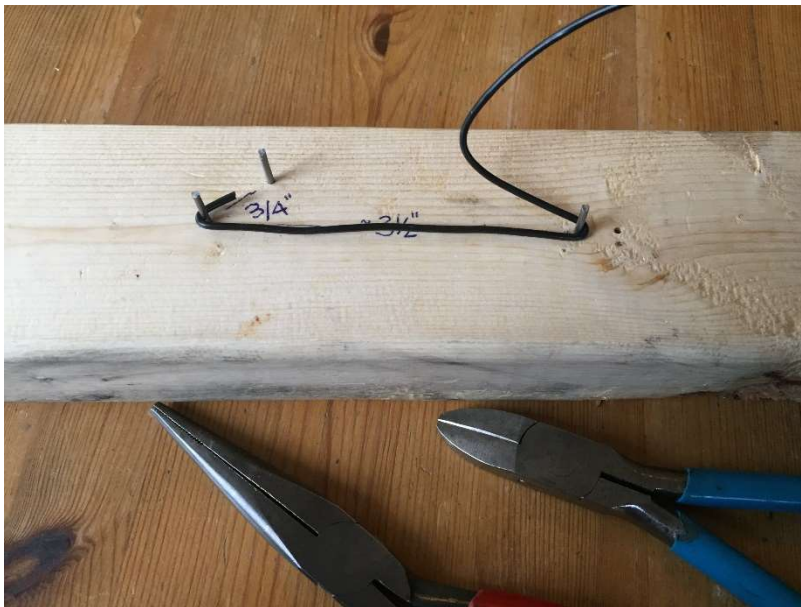
You can make a jig like this by driving 3 nails into a piece of



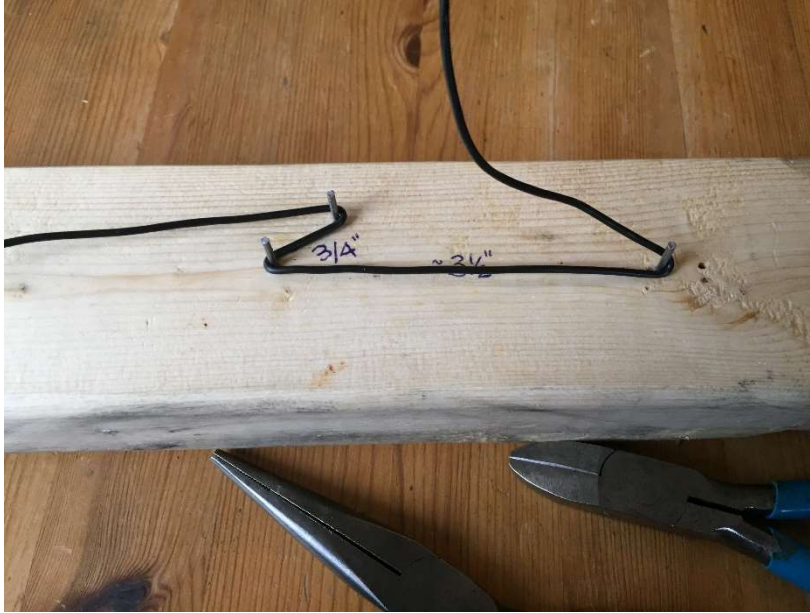
wood and then preferably cutting off the heads of the nails to make it easier to remove the wire.



Start by cutting a 4 ft (approximately) piece of wire. Bend a small hook at one end and hook it around the nail as shown.



Wrap the wire around the right-hand nail as shown. Then remove the wire from the nails.



Hook the loop that you just made around the upper nail and continue wrapping the wire around the right-hand nail. Then remove the wire.



Continue this process ...



... until you get to the end of the wire.



Separate the long formed wire into individual nose pieces by cutting in the middle of the short sections as shown.



Now you have a pile of potential nose pieces



Squeeze the loops closed with your fingers or with the pliers.



Crimp the loop near the end so that it is mostly closed. The two sides of the loop should also be parallel so that the loop is flat.



That's it.