## Two Drop Peyote

## Step 1

Start just as you would normally, by picking up a string of beads (remember to use a bead stopper). Let's say you pick up 12 beads

Then, you can begin your next row as usual, BUT instead of picking up one bead skipping 1 bead and passing through 1 bead in the string, you are going to pick up 2 beads, skip 2 beads from your string, then pass through the following 2 beads


## Step 2

Then you have your normal even count turnaround and you can just work back along the row. In each stitch you pick up 2 beads and pass through 2 beads. So, your "up bead" is now 2 beads. Similarly, with the "down beads" or gap. This is 2 beads wide, ready for your 2 new beads to sit in place.


Step 3
That's it - Just keep working back and forth along your rows, adding two beads in each stitch, and passing through 2 beads


See why this now works up faster? If you were doing "normal" even count, you would have six single beads (six stitches) in each row. This way it is halved that number. So it's much quicker to stitch

