

Red Rock Worm



Annelids , or ringed worms belong to the phylum *Annelida* are commonly found in river systems throughout the United States. These small invertebrates are a great food source for fish and are an effective pattern in the early spring.

Materials:

Hook: Daiichi 1270 Size 14-18

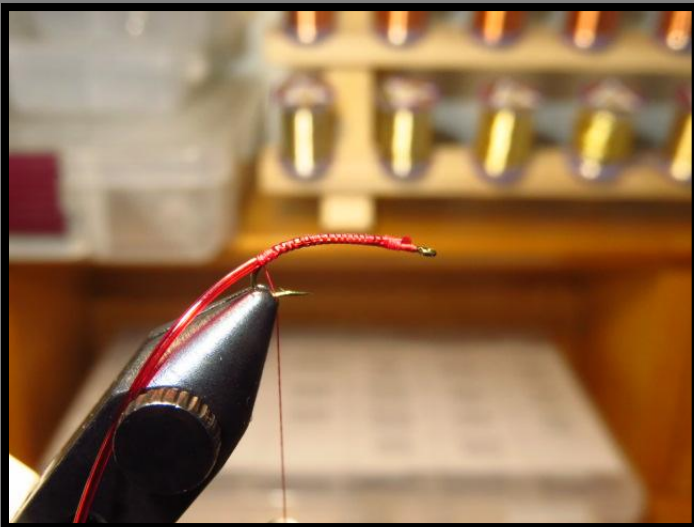
Thread: Danville's 7/0 Waxed

Body: Hareline Hollow Midge Tubing

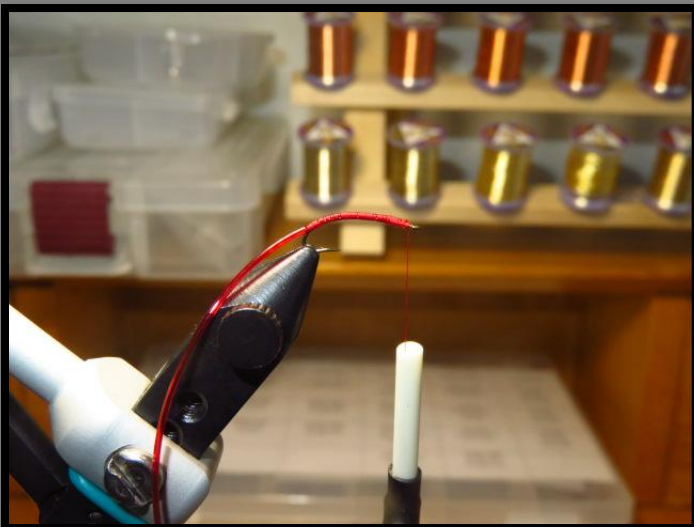
Instructions:



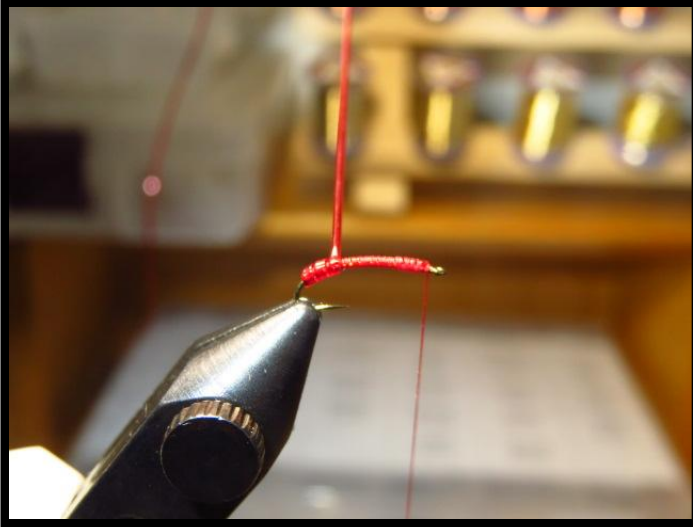
1. After attaching your thread to the hook, place a piece of midge tubing along the top of the shank and secure with your thread. Wrap your turns loosely at first to ensure that the tubing stays upright then wrap a couple tighter turns.



2. Wrap your thread over the midge tubing and down the length of the hook shank until the hook begins to bend.



3. Wrap your thread back over the hook shank towards the eye of the hook; leaving the free end of the midge tubing at the bend of the hook.



4. Wrap the midge tubing around the shank of the hook, working your way towards the eye of the hook.

Capture the tag end of the tubing with your thread and whip finish.

Cut both the thread and tubing and apply a small amount of head cement to finish the fly.

