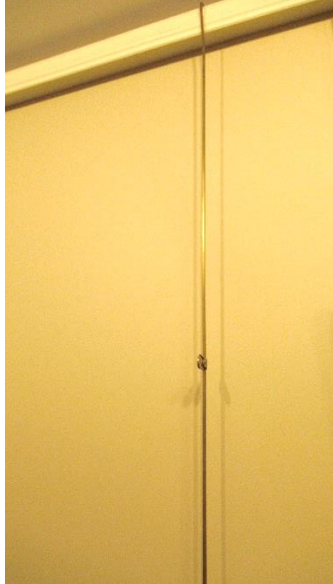


# HANGING SPECIFICATIONS

## French J-Rod Hanging System

This is the system WCAC uses for hanging art. Solid brass rods, curved at the top, sit on a railing. Brass and copper hooks slide onto the rods. Typically, 2 rods, each with one hook, are used to hang one piece. One hook is rated to hold up to 50lbs.

Brass J-rod on railing w/1 hook.



Brass & copper hook detail.

## PREFERRED HANGING HARDWARE:

### D Hooks or V Hooks

D Hooks or V Hooks with approximately 1" opening (or larger). One hook positioned on each side (2 hooks total) on the back of the piece approximately 1/3 of the way down from the top. **No Picture Wire necessary.**



### **Pictures are correct sizes!**

Print this page and lay your D Hook or V Hook on the picture above to make sure it is at least this size! Please also note the orientation – hook should be pointing up.



**CORRECT EXAMPLE:** D Hook on the back of a stretched canvas screwed into the wood on the back 1/3 of the way down from the top. Hook is pointing up.

## ACCEPTABLE HANGING HARDWARE:

### Hooks with Picture Wire

Position 1/3 of the way down from the top. Hooks can be positioned on the inside of the back of the frame/stretched canvas frame or on the face of the back of the frame. The picture wire should be **tight** (no slack).

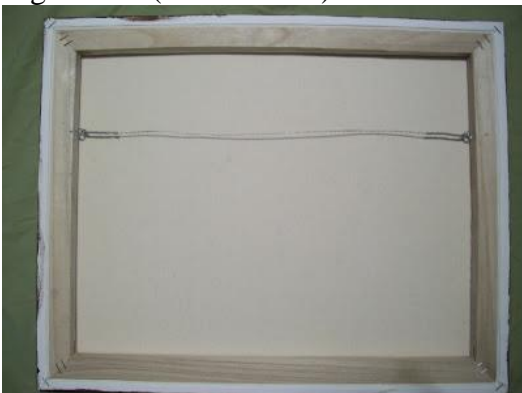
Eye Hook Inside Frame:



Eye Hook on Top/Face of Frame:



Tight Wire (NO SLACK)



Knot guide for picture wire:

#### LARK'S HEAD KNOT

Also called...  
Lark's foot, Cow hitch, Girth hitch, Ring hitch, Lanyard hitch, Bale Sling hitch, Baggage Tag Loop, Tag Knot, Deadeye hitch, Running eye



## **Acceptable Alternative Hanging Solution**

Please come to the gallery if you have any questions before purchasing or installing on your artwork!

### **Picture Wire Loops**

Picture Wire Loops with approximately 1"-2" opening. One Loop positioned on each side (2 loops total) approximately 1/3 of the way down from the top.



## UNACCEPTABLE HANGING METHODS

### Sawtooth Hangers



### Plastic, Metal, or Wood Holes/Channels



### Anything that puts holes in walls!

