Bending Glass Tubing

Place a flame spreader (wing tip) on the burner. Rotate the piece of glass in the hot part of the flame (top of the inner cone) so that the flame spreads out along the glass, until the glass becomes yellow and soft as shown below.

Remove the glass from the flame and immediately bend into the desired angle as shown. Do not attempt to rebend it as it cools. If it becomes hard it will shatter.

Place the bend on a ceramic plate or wire gauze to cool.

