

Super Simple Crocheted Hats

Materials Needed: most any type of yarn will work, N hook

Size: directions are given for child's and adult's hats.

Note:

This hat is very quick and simple to make. I typically use a bulky yarn and I am able to make at least 2 children's hats out of one skein.

If using a sport weight yarn I use 2 strands of yarn held together – generally one variegated and one solid colored yarn or 2 strands of the same colored yarn.

Special Stitches:

BPHDC- YO, insert hook from back to front and to back again around the vertical post (upright part) of st, YO and draw yarn through, YO and complete hdc

FPHDC- YO, insert hook from front to back and to front again around the vertical post (upright part) of st, YO and draw yarn through, YO and complete hdc

Here is a link that will show you the stitches:

http://www.freepatterns.com/content/content.html?content_cat_id=348&type_id=S

CHILDS HAT:

NOTE: Hat is worked holding 2 strand of yarn at the same time throughout when not using a bulky yarn.

Ch 4, join with a sl st to form a ring

Round 1 - ch 3, work 15 dc in the ring join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (16dc)

Round 2 - ch 3, 2 dc in next st, (dc in next st, 2 dc in next st) repeat around join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (24 dc)

Round 3 - ch 3, dc in next st, (2 dc in next st, dc in next 2 sts) repeat around, join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (32dc)

Round 4- ch 3, dc in next 2 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in next 3sts) repeat around, join with a sl st to the top of ch 3, join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (40 dc)

Round 5-8 - ch 3, dc in each st around, join with a sl st in the top of beg ch 3

Round 9 - ch 2, hdc in each st around, join with a sl st to the top of beg ch 3

Round 10 - ch 2, hdc in FRONT LOOP ONLY of each st around, join with a sl st around the front post of the beginning ch 2

Round 11 - ch 2, (BPHDC in next st, FPHDC in next st) repeat this around joining with a sl st to the top of beg ch 2. Fasten off.

ADULT HAT:

NOTE: Hat is worked holding 2 strand of yarn at the same time throughout when not using a bulky yarn.

Ch 4, join with a sl st to form a ring

Round 1 - ch 3, work 15 dc in the ring join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (16dc)

Round 2 - ch 3, 2 dc in next st, (dc in next st, 2 dc in next st) repeat around join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (24 dc)

Round 3 - ch 3, dc in next st, (2 dc in next st, dc in next 2 sts) repeat around, join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (32dc)

Round 4- ch 3, dc in next 2 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in next 3 sts) repeat around, join with a sl st to the top of ch 3, join with a sl st to the top of ch 3 (40 dc)

Round 5-11 - ch 3, dc in each st around, join with a sl st in the top of beg ch 3

Round 12 - ch 2, hdc in each st around, join with a sl st to the top of beg ch 3

Round 13 - ch 2, hdc in FRONT LOOP ONLY of each st around, join with a sl st around the front post of the beginning ch 2

Round 14 - ch 2, (BPHDC in next st, FPHDC in next st) repeat this around joining with a sl st to the top of beg ch 2. Fasten off.