

Simple, Easy, Quick as a Flash, FUN Bunny Toy

As you know, From the Heart needs soft squishable toys at the moment. We have many knitted squares at the workshop at the moment and, if you don't like joining them together to make a blanket here is another idea for knitted squares. Crocheted squares will not work for this project as they have holes through which the stuffing can escape. Anybody can make these bunnies – they really are that easy and they are a dream to make when watching TV in the evenings.

1. Take your square and fold it in half to find the middle, then use a running stitch to stitch the entire way across the middle.
2. Next, make a running stitch from one edge to the center top of the square and back down the other side to the other end of your initial line of stitching, creating a triangle shape.
3. Take some stuffing (this can be fiber fill or even lots of little leftover scraps of yarn), and place in the center of your triangle and cinch up using the two tails of the yarn you used for sewing the running stitch triangle. The bunny's head and ears are immediately formed.
4. Stitch the bunny's back closed, place some more filling inside to create his body and sew the open ends closed. VOILA! A bunny.
5. If you like you can tie a cute ribbon around bunny's neck, embroider or duplicate stitch a face on him or make a tail from a small pompom.



You can also use squares of fabric to make bunnies and, if you use two different colored squares together, the inside of your bunny's ears will be a different color from the outside. Cute.

Here is a link to a YouTube video demonstrating the method above.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s6Kgi6ns38c>

