

# Super Simple Hat for Adults and Children

**Materials:** 2 - 3 oz. skeins of yarn, N hook

**Size:** Because this hat is worked holding 2 strands of yarn together it is very stretchy, and will fit small medium and large heads. The child's hat directions fit my 5 and 10 year old daughter without any modifications. See below for adult size hat.

This hat is very quick and simple to make. I used one variegated and one solid colored yarn for my daughter's hats and I used 2 strand of the same colored yarn for my hat.



## **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 h dc

**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.stitchguide.com>

## **CHILDS HAT:**

**NOTE:** Hat is worked holding 2 strand of yarn at the same time throughout.

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 5-7** - ch 3, dc in each st around, join with a sl st in the top of beg ch 3

**Round 8** - ch 2, hdc in each st around, join with a sl st to the top of beg ch 3

**Round 9** - 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 10** - 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.

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 5-9** - ch 3, dc in each st around, join with a sl st in the top of beg ch 3

**I ADD 2 EXTRA ROWS AFTER ROW 9 TO MAKE IT LONGER. I try it on and stop when I am happy with it and them continue as below.**

**Round 10** - ch 2, hdc in each st around, join with a sl st to the top of beg ch 3

**Round 11** - 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 12** - 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.