
Easy Children's Hat

A Crochet Pattern by Sarah Thompson of Rich Textures Crochet



Skill Level: Easy

Gauge: 21 sts x 22 rows of pattern = 4 inches.

Finished Size (Note that the hat has quite a bit of stretch and length accounts for length of brim which will be turned up when worn):

Premie: 5 inches in length, 4.5 inches laid flat (will fit head measurement 13 inches)

0-3 Months: 6 inches in length, 5 inches across laid flat (will fit head measurement 14 inches)

3-6 Months: 7 inches in length, 5.5 inches across laid flat (will fit head measurement 15 inches)

6-12 Months: 8 inches in length, 6 inches across laid flat (will fit head measurement 17 inches)

12-24 Months: 9 inches in length, 6.5 inches across laid flat (fits head measurement 18 inches)

Child: 10 inches in length, 7 inches across laid flat (will fit head measurement 20 inches)

Yarn: Bold by Sugar Bush Yarns (100% extra fine super wash merino wool; 3.5 oz/100g; 190 yds/174 m); 1 skein Dover's Sand for the premie-24 month size; 2 Skeins Dover's Sand for the child size

Hook: Size I/9 (5.5 mm). Adjust hook size if necessary to obtain correct gauge.

Notions: Yarn Needle

Stitches and Abbreviations:

Blo - Back Loop Only

Ch – Chain

Rpt – Repeat

Sc - Single Crochet

Sk - Skip

Sl St – Slip Stitch

Yo – Yarn Over

Pattern Notes:

- Pattern is written in American English terms.
- Pattern is worked in rows lengthwise.
- Ch 1 at beginning of row does not count as stitch.
- After row 1, the rest of the pattern will be worked in the BLO.
- Each time you return to your starting loop after working the row, sl st into the centre of the loop before turning, then ch 1.
- Weave in ends as needed.
- OPTIONAL - Add pompom to the top.
- Note: you can change the length of your beanie as desired, simply make your starting chain the desired length, then add one additional chain.
- NOTE: Chain counts for the different sizes are indicated in the ()

Pattern:

Start by making a magic circle, then working out from that circle, ch 26, 31 (36, 41, 46, 51).

Row 1: Sc in the 2nd ch from hook and in each across; at the end of the chain, when you reach your beginning loop, sl st into the centre of the loop. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, working in the blo sc in each sc all the way across; turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, working in the blo sc in each sc all the way across; at the end of the chain, when you reach your beginning loop, sl st into the centre of the loop. Turn

Rows 4 onward: Repeat rows 2 and 3 until your work from the beginning measures approximately 10, 11 (12, 13, 14, 15) inches or the desired width.

Turn hat inside out so that wrong side is facing. Working through both thickness and the blo of both sides, sl st in each st across crocheting the two ends together. Fasten off leaving a long tail.

Using the long tail, sew the top of the hat closed. Fasten off and weave in your ends. Make optional pompom and affix to the top.



A free video tutorial for this headband can be found on my YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/c/RichTexturesCrochet>.

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