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You will need

Yarnsmiths Create Chunky White (5040) Dark Grey Heather (5010) Candyfloss Pink (5400) Sky Blue (5260) Small amount of black yarn

3.5mm Crochet Hook

Fiberfill stuffing Safety Eyes You will also need scissors and a darning needle for sewing up your sheep.

Note:

This pattern is written in US terminology. The pattern is worked in continuous rounds.

Abbreviations (US Terms)

MR - Magic Ring, SC- Single Crochet, HDC - Half Double Crochet, DC- Double Crochet, BLO - Back Loops Only, BOB - Bobble Stitch, INC - Increase, DEC - Decrease, SLST - Slip Stitch

How to make the bobble stitch

Step I

Yarn over, insert your hook into the stitch you'll be working into, work an uncompleted double crochet – do the first step of a double crochet, but leave two loops on your hook and don't finish the stitch.



Step 2

Yarn over and make another uncompleted double crochet into the stitch. You should now have 3 loops on your hook.



Step 3

Yarn over and make another uncompleted double crochet into the stitch. You should now have 4 loops on your hook.



Step 4

Yarn over and make another uncompleted double crochet into the stitch. You should now have 5 loops on your hook.



Step 5

Yarn over and make another uncompleted double crochet into the stitch. You should now have 6 loops on your hook.



Step 6

Yarn over and pull through all 6 loops at once. Bobble stitch complete!



Body

Start with either the pink or blue yarn, depending on if you're making Winifred or Wallace!

In a magic ring, make 5SC and 1 BOB. Pull the magic ring gently to close.

Round I SC INC in each st around (12sts) **Round 2** SC INC in each st round (12 sts)



Round 3 (1 SC, BOB) x6 (12sts) Round 4 SC INC in each st around (24sts) Round 5 (1 SC, BOB) x12 (24sts) Round 6 SC in each st around (24sts) Round 7 (1 SC, BOB) x12 (24sts) Round 8 SC in each st around (24sts) Round 9 (1 SC, BOB) x12 (24sts) Round 10 SC in each st around (24sts) Round 11 (1 SC, BOB) x12 (24sts)



Round 12 SC in each st around (24sts) Round 13 (1 SC, BOB) x12 (24sts)

At this point, start stuffing firmly. You may have to push your bobble stitches out, so that they look puffy. Sometimes they can sit concave as you're working so push them out as you go.

Round 14 (SC DEC) x12 (12sts) Round 15 (1 SC, BOB) x6 (12sts) Round 16 (SC DEC) x5, finish with 1 BOB. SLST and close the hole. Leave a long tail for attaching the head later.

Make sure you've stuffed the body firmly.



Head

Start with white yarn. **Round I** Make 6 SC in a magic ring (6sts) **Round 2** (INC) x6 (12sts) **Round 3** (1 SC, INC) x6 (18sts) **Round 4** (2 SC, INC) x6 (24sts) **Round 5** SC in each st around (24sts) **Round 6** SC in each st around (24sts) **Round 7** SC in each st around (24sts) **Round 8** (6 SC, DEC) x3 (21sts) **Round 9** SC in each st around (21sts) **Round 10** (5 SC, DEC) x3 (18sts) **Round 11** SC in each st around (18sts) **Round 12** SC in each st around (18sts)



Change to the colour of the sheep you're making. **Round 13** (1 SC, BOB) x9 (18sts) **Round 14** SC in each st around (18sts)



Round 15 (1 SC, BOB) x9 (18sts)

Insert the safety eyes between round 10 and 11, spacing them 2 stitches apart. Start stuffing the head firmly and keep stuffing as you will now start to decrease and finish.

Round 16 (1 SC, DEC) x6 (12sts) Round 17 (1 SC, BOB) x6 (12sts)

Round 18 (DEC) x5, finish with 1 BOB. Close off and

weave in any loose ends.

Use a small amount of black yarn to embroider a nose, as shown in the photos.



Ears (Make Two)

Using white yarn. **Round I** Make 5 SC in a magic ring. **Round 2** (INC) x5 (10sts) **Round 3** SC in each st around (10sts) **Round 4** SC in each st around (10sts) **Round 5** (2 SC, DEC) x2, finish with 2 SC and SLST. Leave a long tail for sewing the ears to the head. Don't stuff the ears. Pinch the bottom that has the tail and sew the sides together. See photos for guidance. Sew the ears to the head as pictured.



Legs (Make Four) Using grey yarn. Round I Make 6 SC in a magic ring. Round 2 (SC INC) x6 (12sts) Round 3 BLO SC in each st around (12sts) Round 4 SC in each st around (12sts) Round 5 SC in each st around (12sts) Round 6 (1 SC, DEC) x4 (8sts) Stuff the legs and SLST to finish off. Leave a long tail for sewing onto the body. Sew the head to the body first, sew at a slight angle so the head is tilted downward – as if they are eating grass!



Final Assembly

After sewing the head to the body, it is now time to sew the legs.

Sew the front legs on the 3rd round of bobbles from the head, spacing them evenly apart so that one bobble stitch is visible between them.

Sew the back legs on the 6th round of bobbles, aligning them with the front legs so they're evenly positioned. You should have 3 bobble stitches visible between them.





And ta-da! Your sheep is finished!



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