

Basic Owl

My First Owl Pattern

Pattern found at:
RandomActsOfCrochetKindness.com
stuckathomemom.etsy.com

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The Basics

Supplies

Hook: 2.25mm Hook: 1.70 Yarn: Cotton Fair

OR

Hook: 1.70

Yarn: Rainbow 8/4 from Hobbii

Stitches

ch = chain

sc = single crochet

hdc = half double crochet

dc = double crochet

inc = increase

dec = decrease

slst = slip stitch

sp = space

blo = back loop only

flo = front loop only

fo = fasten off

Notes

This is the Basic Owl pattern. This pattern has been around for decades, probably longer. This isn't a pattern that anyone owns. Anyone who claims to own this owl pattern is delusional.



WARNING:

Pattern may contain: cuss words, foul language and questionable references.



dec means you can use any kind of decrease you feel comfortable with. Visible, Invisible, Partially visible, Naked. Whatever!

mc means: Magic Circle, Magic Ring, Magic Loop, Ch 2 method or Ch 4 and make a ring.

I don't care which you use.

Just make a hole and commit
to it.

READ THIS!!!

NOTE:

Little known crochet shorthand fact.

sc 3 means make 1 single crochet in the next 3 spaces.

3 sc means 3 single crochet in the Same Space.

inc x 3 means inc in the next 3 spaces.

Make a mental note, this will come up. Maybe not in this pattern, but it will come up (:

NOTE: Not all new pattern designers know this.

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Notes

Make eyes and wings first.

Eyes x2

1) 6 sc in mc 6 2) inc x6 12

fo You can leave a long end for sewing, but I usually weave the ends - just use the safety eyes to hold them in place.

Wings x2

1) 8 dc and 1 sc in mc

Pull, but don't make a circle.

Body

NOTE: rounds 1-6 are light color - rounds 7-12 are dark color.

1) 6 sc in mc 6 2) inc x6 12 3) [sc 1, inc] x6 18 4-12) sc 18 18 Don't fasten off - yet.

When you reach round 12 of the body, sew on the eyes and wings.

Eyes usually go on round 8. Push the safety eyes through the center of each. If you want to sew on the whites of the eyes, do so now.

Wings either round 8 or 9, but pin them on and check to see what looks best to you.

Once you have eyes and wings on, stuff it.

To close, you have 2 options.

Option 1) fold in half so the eyes are in front and across the top, sc 1, slst to the end and do sc 1 on the other end. So there is a sc on each end. Fasten off and weave ends.

Option 2) fo, leaving a long tail for sewing - fold in half and sew both halves together, weave ends.

Floopy thing on the ends.

Cut six - 5 inch lengths of yarn, 3 for each side - folded in half. Take the hook, on one side, from the back - stick the hook from the back to the front and grab 3 of the lengths and pull the lengths half way through. Take the ends of the lengths and pull them through the loop on the other side. Pull tight.

Repeat on the other side. Cut to the length you want.

If desired add a key chain





the really boring stuff

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