

# Daisy Farm Crafts

## Crochet Velvet Winter Hat



Pattern by Hannah Brown McKay

### MATERIALS

*For one hat*

Bernat Baby Velvet (100% polyester, 300 g/10.5 oz, 450 m/492 yds)

1 skein any color

Size G/4.00mm hook and size H/5.00mm hook, tapestry needle, scissors

Faux fur pom pom (optional)

*Optional Link to YouTube Video Tutorial: <https://youtu.be/LRJJBWYFKDA>*

### SIZE

Can be made in any size - see chart below

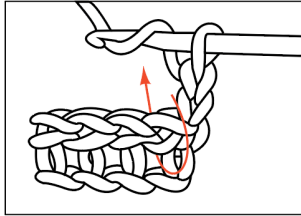
Gauge 4 in = 14 st and 14 rows of WHDC

### STITCHES

**Half Double Crochet (HDC):** Yarn over (YO), insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through three loops.

**Double Crochet (DC):** YO, insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO, pull through two loops, YO, pull through remaining two loops.

**Wide Half Double Crochet (WHDC):** YO, insert your hook between stitch posts, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through three loops.



**Front and Back Post Double Crochet (FPDC & BPDC):** A front post double crochet means you insert your hook from front to back around the post of the next DC and work a DC. A back post double crochet means you insert your hook from back to front around the post of the next DC and work a DC.

## PATTERN

Make an even-numbered chain that measures 2 inches less than head circumference.

AVERAGE HEAD CIRCUMFERENCE	
Preemie	12-13 inches
Newborn-3 Months	13-14 inches
3-6 Months	14-15 inches
6-12 Months	15.5-16.5 inches
12-24 Months	16-18 inches
Child (3-10 years)	19-21 inches
Teen/Small Adult	21 inches
Medium Adult	22 inches
Large Adult	23 inches

**ROW 1:** With size H hook, starting in the 3rd chain from the hook, work 1 HDC in each chain. CH 2 and turn.

**ROW 2:** Work 1 WHDC in each space across the row. CH 2 and turn.

**ROWS 3 - 28:** Repeat row 2 until you reach 28 rows, or until the length measures 7 inches for adults, 6 inches for kids, or 5 inches for a baby size.

Switch to a G Hook. Work 1 row of DC, still inserting your hook in between the stitch posts. CH 2 and turn.

Alternate front and back post DC across the row. Work one DC underneath the turning chain. CH 2 and turn.

Continue working rows of alternating front and back post DC until the brim measures about an inch and a half, or your desired length. At the end of the last row, tie off and give yourself a 20 to 25 inch tail.

Use the tail to sew the two sides of your hat together with a tapestry needle. (You can also slip stitch them together if that's easier.) Then turn the hat inside out so that your seam is on the inside. Now use your tail to gather the top of the hat, weaving the yarn in and out of every stitch, pulling the yarn as you go to gather the top together. Now you just have to attach a pom pom and your done!

I purchased my pom pom at my local craft store and it came with an elastic loop, so I just cut the loop and used the two strings and tied them together with the tail. Then I wove the tail back and forth across the hole at the top of the hat until I felt it was nice and tight. You can also sew a button on the inside of the hat and wrap the elastic around it if you'd like your pom pom to be removable.

xo, Hannah

