Kiddies Couture Prints CY1021

Crocheted Unicorn

Abbreviations

rnd	round	sc	single crochet	ch	chain	st	stitch
dec	decrease	flo	front loop only	slst	slip stitch		
col	colour	blo	back loop only				

Note: to decrease, insert hook into next st, yo, pull yarn through, then insert hook into next st, yo, pull through, yo pull through three loops on hook.

You may find it easier to place a stitch marker at the beginning of every row so you don't lose your place.

HEAD
Rnd 1: create a magic loop and sc 6 into the ring. Pull tight. (6sts)
Rnd 2: 2sc in each sc around (12sts)
Rnd 3: *sc, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (18sts)
Rnd 4: *sc into next two sts, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (24sts)
Rnd 5: *sc into next three sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (30sts)
Rnds 6-11 sc in each st
Rnd 12: *sc into next four sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (36sts)
Rnd 13: *sc into next five sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (42sts)
Rnd 14: *sc into next six sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (48sts)

Rnds 15-22 sc in each st
Note: if using black safety eyes, attach them now in Rnd 15 approximately 8sts apart.
Rnd 23: *sc in next six sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (42sts)
Rnd 24: *sc in next five sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (36sts)
Rnd 25: *sc in next four sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (30sts)
Rnd 26: *sc in next three sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (24sts)
Rnd 27: *sc in next two sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (18sts)

Stuff head firmly.

Rnd 28: *sc in next st, dec in next st; rep from * to end (12sts)
Rnd 29: dec six times (6sts)
Rnd 30: dec three times (3sts)

Thread yarn through remaining sts, pull tight and secure.

BODY
Rnd 1: create a magic loop and sc 6 into the ring. Pull tight. (6sts)
Rnd 2: 2sc in each sc around (12sts)
Rnd 3: *sc, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (18sts)
Rnd 4: *sc into next two sts, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (24sts)
Rnd 5: *sc into next three sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (30sts)
Rnds 6-15: sc in each st
Rnd 16: *sc into next four sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (36sts)
Rnds 17-18: sc in each st
Rnd 19: *sc into next five sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (42sts)
Rnd 20: *sc into next six sts, 2sc into next st; rep from * to end of rnd (48sts)
Rnds 21-28 sc in each st
Rnd 29: *sc in next six sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (42sts)

Rnd 30: *sc in next five sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (36sts)

Rnd 31: *sc in next four sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (30sts)

Rnd 32: *sc in next three sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (24sts)

Rnd 33: *sc in next two sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (18sts)

Stuff body firmly.

Rnd 34: *sc in next st, dec in next st; rep from * to end (12sts)

Rnd 35: dec six times (6sts)

Thread yarn through remaining sts, pull tight and secure.

Attach body to head matching centre bottom of head with centre top of body. Stitch around on Rnd 3 or 4. You many need to add a few stitches to the front of the head to prevent it from falling back from the weight of the mane.

ARMS (make two)

Rnd 1: create a magic loop and sc 6 into the ring. Pull tight. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2sc in each sc around (12sts)

Rnds 3-26 sc in each st

Change to Col B, ensuring you begin with the start of a colour

Rnd 27: *sc, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (18sts)

Rnd 28: *sc into next two sts, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (24sts)

Rnds 29-33: sc in each st

Rnd 34: Working through blo, *sc, sc, 2sc; rep from * to end of rnd (18)

Stuff arm, but not too firmly.

Rnd 35: working through both loops, *sc in next st, dec in next st; rep from * to end (12sts)

Rnd 35: dec six times (6sts)

Thread yarn through remaining sts, pull tight and secure.

Attach arms at opposite sides of neck.

LEGS (make two)

Beginning with Col B and the start of a colour:

Rnd 1: create a magic loop and sc 6 into the ring. Pull tight. (6sts)

Rnd 2: 2sc in each sc around (12sts)

Rnd 3: *sc, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (18sts)

Rnd 4: *sc into next two sts, 2sc in next st; rep from * to end of rnd (24sts)

Rnd 5: working through the blo, sc in each st

Rnds 6-9: working though both loops, sc in each st

Rnd 10: *sc in next two sts, dec in next st; rep from * to end (18sts)

Rnd 11: *sc in next st, dec in next st; rep from * to end (12sts)

Rnds 12-35: sc in each st

Stuff leg ensuring feet are stuffed firmly, but not as firmly towards tops of legs.

Rnd 36: dec six times (6sts)

Thread yarn through remaining sts, pull tight and secure.

Attach legs towards the front of the body to allow rabbit to sit. Position each leg 3-4 sts from centre front st and 5 rounds from bottom rnd of body and stitch in place around the top of the leg

HORN

Rnd 1: create a magic loop and sc 6 into the ring. Pull tight. (6sts)

Rnd 2: sc in each st

Rnd 3: working in flo, *sc, 2sc; rep from * to end (9sts)

Rnds 4-5: flo sc in each st

Rnd 6: flo *sc, sc, 2sc; rep to end (12sts)

Rnds7-8: flo sc in each st

Rnd 9: flo *sc, sc, 2sc; rep to end (15sts)

Rnds 10-11: flo sc in each st

Fasten off leaving a long yarn tail. Use remaining yarn to attach horn to centre of head approx. 4 rnds up from eyes.

EARS (make two)

Rnd 1: create a magic loop and sc 6 into the ring. Pull tight. (6sts)

Rnd 2: *sc, 2sc, rep to end (9sts)

Rnds 3-6: sc in each st

Fasten off leaving a long tail and use the remaining yarn to attach the ears approx. 2 sts either side of horn.

TAIL AND MANE (make 4)

Cut a length of each colour block from the Rainbow Stripe yarn and lay them together with the ends lined up. Trim the other end so all lengths are the same. Fold all in half together and cut on fold. Repeat two more times until you are left with a bunch of strands approximately 24cm in length. Using one of the white strands, tie around the centre of the bunch and secure to form a tassle. Use the yarn ends from the tie to secure in place as follows:

Tail: Attach one tassle to the centre lower back as unicorn is in a sitting position.

Mane: Attach first tassle approx. 2rnds back from horn. Attach second tassle 2rnds down from here and third 2rnds down from the second.

Hold unicorn so main and tail are hanging down evenly and trim to desired length.