

You Are My Sunshine Hat

A fun hat for the summer – a brim to keep the sun out of your favorite little girl's eyes, with an open sun design on top so that her head stays cool.

Materials

LionBrand – CottonEase – 2 colors of your choice, 1 skein each.

For model - Gold (1), Rose (1)

4.0 mm crochet hook



Size: Model - Toddler 4T (hat can be made larger by continuing increase rounds)

Pattern

Ch. 4, join to form circle

Rw. 1- 8 sc in circle, join.

Rw. 2 - Ch. 1, 1 sc in 1st st; 2 sc in nxt st. – repeat around. Join.

Rw. 3 - Ch. 1, 1 sc in 1st st., 2 sc in nxt st. – repeat around. Join.

Rw. 4 – Ch. 7, sk. 1 sc, sc in nxt st. – repeat around. Join. {11 points}

Rw. 5 – 3 slipstitches along 1 point; [chain 3, sc in top of nxt. point] repeat around. Slipstitch in top of beginning point.

Rw. 6 – Ch. 1 [3 sc along chain, 2 sc in nxt sc] repeat around. Join.

Rw. 7 – Ch. 1 [Sc in nxt 7 stitches, 2 sc in nxt.] repeat around. Join. {To make hat larger, repeat this row to desired size; nxt row - 2 sc in every 9th stitch; nxt row – 2 sc in every 10th; etc.)

Rw. 8 – Ch. 1 , sc In each stitch around, join. Repeat this row to desired length (above child's eyebrows) – approx. 11 rows. Change color to band color, for 6 rows.



Hat brim (change back to hat color) – Ch. 1, [sc in nxt 8 stitches, 2 sc in nxt.] repeat around.
Join. (if extra stitch remain, 1 sc in each to join)

Hat brim – Rw 2 – Ch.1. [sc in nxt 9 stitches, 2 sc in nct.] repeat around.

Repeat Hat brim rows – increasing space between 2 sc by 1 on each row. Make 9 rows, change to hat band color for Edge.

Edge – 1 sc in each st. Finish off.

Embellish with flowers or buttons. Enjoy!

Hat sizing: Increasing rounds/top of hat should not measure to head circumference; instead measure to about 2/3 of desired circumference, then begin constant 1 stitch:1stitch rounds to form sides.