Little Gems Crochet Co.

New Born Baby Hat

Hey, Little Gem here; I have been crocheting for as long as I can remember, and a few months back, someone gave me the idea that I should start making a note of my patterns so I can share them with others, so this is me giving it a go!

The inspiration for me making baby clothes is my best friend. I've always been someone who likes to make/create things for the people I care about, so when I knew she was having a baby I knew straight away I needed to start making some clothes for him (He has been born know so I know that he is a he!) As I just wanted to add a personal touch to the first of (what I assume will be many) gifts for him.

I have made these instructions as beginner-friendly as possible but if you have any problems I have tutorials which will help over on my Youtube channel -LittleGemsCrochetCompany

What you will need:

- 🔶 5.5mm hook

- 🔶 1 ball of baby-safe yarn - DMC 100% Baby Cotton in Beige

- 🔶 Tapestry needle
- 🔶 Scissors

Abbreviations you will need to know:

- 🔶 SS- Slip Stitch
- 🔶 SC – Single Crochet
- 🔶 DC – Double Crochet
- 🔶 CH - Chain

Hat – Top Section

Start by creating a magic ring. If you are unsure on how to do this, please check out the tutorial on my Youtube page.

Round 1:

- SS into the magic ring
- Chain 2 (does not count as a stitch)
- Work 10 DC into the magic ring
- Pull the yarn tail to tighten the ring into a circle
- SS into the first actual DC (not the chain 2)

Round 2:

- Chain 2
- Work 2 DC in each stitch from the previous round
- SS into the first DC to close the round.

Round 3:

- Chain 2
- Work 2 DC in the first stitch
- Work 1 DC in the next stitch
- Repeat this pattern
- SS to the first DC to join

Round 4:

- Chain 2
- Work 2 DC in the first stitch
- Work 1 DC in each of the next 2 stitches
- Repeat the pattern around
- SS to the first DC to join

Rounds 5–8:

- 💎 Chain 2
- 💎 Work 1 DC in each stitch around
- 💎 SS to the first DC to join

The Brim

- 💎 Chain 6
- 💎 Turn your work, SC back down the chain (5 stitches)

1. SS into the stitch at the bottom of the chain you just created
2. SS into the next stitch along
3. Turn your work
4. SC back up the 5 SC, using back loops only
5. Chain 1, turn, and single crochet down again using back loops only
6. Repeat steps 1 – 5 round the entire hat

- 💎 Once the brim wraps all the way around, join the two ends together with a SS

Final Touches:

- 💎 Use your tapestry needle to sew in the ends securely
- 💎 Trim any excess yarn
- 💎 Fold up the brim of the hat for a finished look

You're done!

You now have your new born baby hat! I hope you enjoyed making this hat as it makes a great present for someone else or just a personal touch for your own little one! Please feel free to leave me any feedback. If you don't mind me sharing photos of your creations, please send me pictures to my Instagram account @Littlegemscrochetco.