





Designed by Grace Alexander.

What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®: 1 skein each 312 Black A, 324 Bright Yellow B; small amount 316 Soft White C.

Susan Bates® Crochet Hooks: 5mm [US H-8] and 6mm [US J-10].

Yarn needle, small amount of polyester fiberfill, two 5mm wiggle eyes, glue to secure eyes.

GAUGE: 13 sts = 4" (10 cm); 14 rounds = 4" (10 cm) in sc with larger hook. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300 available in solid color

7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); multi color, heather and print 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yd (238 m) skeins.



Bumblebee Hat

That busy little bee will have a cap to match! Even the bee that perches on the top is easy to make, and will keep your child buzzing! To fit 14 (16, 18)" [36 (41, 46) cm] head circumference.

Directions are for child's size Small; changes for sizes Medium and Large are in parentheses.

Special Abbreviation

sc2tog = draw up a loop in next 2 sc, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

Stripe Pattern

* 3 rounds A and 3 rounds B; repeat from * for stripe pattern.

HAT

Beginning at lower edge, with larger hook and A, ch 44 (52, 56); join with a slip st to first ch, making sure ch is not twisted.

Round 1: Ch 1, sc in each ch around; join with a slip st in back loop of first sc - 44 (52, 56) sc. Round 2: Ch 1, working in back loops only, sc in each sc around; join with a slip st in back loop of first sc.

Maintain Stripe Pattern and repeat Round 2 until piece measures 6 (7, 8)" [15 (18, 20) cm] from beginning. Fasten off.

Sew a seam straight across the top of the hat. Fold the corners formed by the top seam into the center of the hat and tack in place.

Bumblebee Body

Row 1: Beginning at rear end, with smaller hook and A, ch 4; 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across; turn -6 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc across changing to B in last st; turn - 12 sc.

Row 3: With B, ch 1, sc in each sc across; turn. Row 4: Repeat Row 3 changing to A at end of row.

Rows 5 and 6: With A, repeat Rows 3 and 4, changing to B at end of Row 6.

Rows 7-10: With B, repeat Row 3.

Row 11: Ch 1, [sc2tog] 6 times; turn – 6 sc.

Row 12: Ch 1, draw up a loop in next 6 sc, yo and draw through all 7 loops on hook.

Fasten off.

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Bumblebee Wings (Make 2)

Row 1: With smaller hook and C, ch 3; 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 sc in next sc; turn -4 sc. Rows 2-4: Ch 1, sc in each sc across; turn. Row 5: Ch 1, draw up a loop in next 4 sc, yo and draw through all 5 loops on hook. Fasten off.

Bumblebee Antenna (Make 2)

With A and smaller hook, ch 4. Fasten off.

Assembly

Sew seam of bumblebee, stuffing with fiber fill before closing seam. Sew wings and antennae to bumblebee in place as shown. Glue wiggle eyes in place. Sew completed bumblebee to center top of hat.

Abbreviations: A, B, C = color A, B, C; ch = chain; mm = millimeters; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch (es); tog = together; tog = yarn over; tog = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.