



CROCHET
SKILL LEVEL
EASY

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®:
4 skeins each of 321 Gold A and
387 Soft Navy B.

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook:
5.5 mm [US I-9]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 20 sts = 7" (18 cm); 5
rows dv = 3" (7.5 cm). **CHECK
YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook
to obtain the gauge given.



**RED HEART® Super
Saver®, Art. E300**
available in solid color
7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m);
multicolor, heather and print 5 oz
(141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5
oz (141g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins

School Colors Blanket

*Crochet the perfect throw for grads, alumni
or any sports lover. Choose from the many
shades of Super Saver to make it in school or
team colors.*

Blanket measures 55" x 55"
(139.5 x 139.5 cm)

Special Abbreviations

Front Post treble crochet (FPtr): Yarn over
(twice), insert hook from front to back to front
around the post of next st, 2 rows below, yarn
over and draw up a loop, (yarn over and draw
through 2 loops on hook) 3 times.

Front Post double treble crochet (FPdtr):
Yarn over (3 times), insert hook from front
to back to front around the post of next st, 2
rows below, yarn over and draw up a loop,
(yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook)
4 times.

BLANKET

Strip (make 4 with **A** and 3 with **B**)
Starting at bottom edge, ch 21.

Row 1 (right side): Dc in 3rd ch from hook, dc
in each ch across; turn—20 dc.

Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as dc here and
throughout), dc in each st across; turn.

Row 3: Ch 2, dc in each of next 6 dc, skip next
3 dc, FPdtr around the post of next 3 dc, 2
rows below, working in front of posts sts just
made, FPdtr around the post of next 3 skipped
dc, skip 6 sts behind post sts just made, dc in
each of last 7 sts; turn.

Row 4: Repeat Row 2.

Row 5: Ch 2, dc in each of next 6 sts, FPtr
around the post of next 6 FPtr, 2 rows below,
skip 6 sts behind post sts just made, dc in
each of last 7 sts; turn.

Row 6: Repeat Row 2.

Row 7: Ch 2, dc in each of next 6 sts, FPtr
around the post of next 6 FPtr, 2 rows below,
skip 6 sts behind post sts just made, dc in
each of last 7 sts; turn.

Row 8: Repeat Row 2.

Row 9: Ch 2, dc in each of next 6 dc, skip next
3 FPtr, FPdtr around the post of next 3 Fptr, 2
rows below, working in front of post sts just
made, FPdtr around the post of last 3 skipped
Fptr, 2 rows below, skip 6 sts behind post sts
just made, dc in each of last 7 sts; dc in each
of last 7 sts; turn.

Rows 10-81: Repeat Rows 4-9 (12 times).

Row 82: Repeat Row 2.

Row 83: Ch 2, dc in each st across. Fasten off,
leaving a long sewing length. Weave in ends.

Assembly

Arrange strips, alternate colors, and aligning
bottom edges. With right sides of strips facing,
sew Strips together.

Border

Round 1: With right side of blanket facing and
strips in vertical position, join **B** with a slip st
in top right corner dc, ch 3 (counts as dc here
and throughout Border), 2 dc in same st (first
corner), dc in each dc across top of blanket,
3 dc in corner dc, *working across side of
blanket, dc in first row-end st, [2 dc in each
of the next 3 row-end sts, dc in next row-end
st] 20 times, 2 dc in next row-end st, dc in
last row-end st**, working in opposite side of
foundation ch sts, 3 dc in corner st, dc in each
st across to last st, 3 dc in corner st; repeat
from * to ** once; join with slip st in top of
beginning ch-3.

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Round 2: Ch 3, 3 dc in next dc (center dc of 3 dc corner), *dc in each dc across to center dc of next corner, 3 dc in corner dc; repeat from * twice, dc in each dc across to beginning of rnd, join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3. Fasten off.

Round 3: With right side facing, join **A** with slip st in center dc of any 3-dc corner, 2 dc in same st, *dc in each dc to center dc of next corner**, 3 dc in this dc; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3.

Round 4: Repeat Rnd 2.

Rounds 5-6: With **B**, repeat Rnds 3-4.

Round 7: With right side facing, join **A** with a slip st in center dc of any 3 dc corner, ch 1, working from left to right, reverse sc in each st around, join with a slip st in first revers sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B = color A, B; ch = chain; dc = double crochet; dtr = double treble crochet; sc = single crochet; tr = treble crochet; st(s) = stitch(es); () = work directions in parentheses into same st; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

