



Daydreamer Diagonal Blanket

This fun blanket starts at one corner and increases till you get to the wide corners. Then you decrease to the fourth corner. The pretty crochet shell pattern goes quickly and is perfect for kiddies to nap with or make tents with.

Blanket measures 36" x 47".

RED HEART® "Kids": 7 skeins 2984 Dandy Candy Multi **A**, 3 skeins 2735 Pixie Pink **B**.

Crochet Hook: 5mm [US H-8].
Tapestry needle.

GAUGE: 6 shells = 4"; 6 rows = 4". **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Beg shell (beginning shell) = ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in last 2 ch.

Shell = (slip st, ch 3, 3 dc) all in ch-3 space.

BLANKET

Row 1 (Right Side): With **A**, ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in last 2 ch; turn – 1 shell made.

Row 2: Beg shell, skip 3 dc, shell in last ch-space; turn – 2 shells made. Fasten off.

Row 3: Join **B** in top of last dc made; beg shell, * shell; repeat from * across; turn – 3 shells. Fasten off.

Row 4: With **A**, repeat Row 3 but do not fasten off – 4 shells.

Row 5: With **A**, beg shell, * shell; repeat from * across; turn – 5 shells. Fasten off.

Rows 6-23: Repeat Rows 3-5 six times, increasing 1 shell each row – 23 shells at end of Row 23.

Row 24: With **B**, repeat Row 3 – 24 shells.

Row 25: With **A**, repeat Row 4 – 25 shells.

Rows 26-28: With **A**, repeat Row 5 – 28 shells at end of Row 28.

Rows 29-48: Repeat Rows 24-28 four times, increasing 1 shell each row – 48 shells.

Shape Side Edge

Row 49: Join **B** in top of last dc made; beg shell, * shell; repeat from * to last ch-3 space; slip st in last ch-3 space; turn – 48 shells. Fasten off.

Row 50: With **A**, skip first 3 dc, shell in first ch-3 space, * shell; repeat from * across; turn – 48 shells. Fasten off.

Rows 51-64: Repeat Rows 49 and 50 seven times – 48 shells.

Shape Top Edge

Row 65: With **B**, skip first 3 dc, shell in first ch-3 space, * shell; repeat from * to last ch-3 space; slip st in last space; turn – 47 shells. Fasten off.

Row 66: With **A**, repeat Row 65 but do not fasten off – 46 shells.

Rows 67-69: With **A**, slip st across first 3 dc, shell in first ch-3 space, * shell; repeat from * to last ch-3 space; slip st in last space; turn – 43 shells at end of Row 69

Rows 70-89: Repeat Rows 65-69 four times decreasing 1 shell each row – 23 shells at end of Row 89.

Rows 90-110: Repeat Rows 65-67 seven times decreasing 1 shell each row – 2 shells at end of Row 110.

Row 111: Repeat Row 65 – 1 shell. Fasten off.



Border

Round 1: With right side facing, join **B** in any st; ch 1, work sc around entire outer edge: sc in each st, 2 sc in end of each dc row and 3 sc in each corner st; join with a slip st in first sc.

Round 2: Ch 3, dc in next sc, (ch 3, slip st) in last dc made, * dc in next 2 sc, (ch 3, slip st) in last dc made; repeat from * around; join in top of ch-3. Fasten off.
Weave in ends.



RED HEART® “Kids”, Art. E711 available in solid color 5 oz (141 g), 290 yd (265 m); and print and multi color 4 oz (113 g), 232 yd (212 m) skeins.

ABBREVIATIONS: **A, B** = color A, B; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.