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## What you will need:

**RED HEART® Pomp-a-**Doodle™: 1 ball 9753 Party Mix

MATERIALS: Roll of brown craft paper, double sided tape, tacky glue



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RED HEART® Pomp-a-Doodle™. Art. E875 available in 3.5 oz (100 g), 14 yd (13



## Pompom Party Hats

Pomp-a-Doodle sets the stage for party fun! Use it to decorate party hats that you make yourself (as we show) or to decorate purchased hats.

Hat measures 19" (48.5 cm) at brim.

## NOTES

- 1. Cut Pomp-a-Doodle with sharp scissors. For best results, cut the varn about  $\frac{1}{4}$ " (.5 cm) away from the pompom.
- 2. The use of a hot glue gun is not recommended. Pomp-a-Doodle is made of polyester and the yarn may melt on contact with hot glue or the heated tip of the glue gun. Tacky glue works well as it "grabs" quickly and dries clear.

## HAT

**Step 1:** If you have access to printing on 11" x 17" (28 x 43 cm), tabloid-size paper, enlarge the template below to actual size and use it as a pattern. Trace around the template on your craft paper and cut it out.

If you do not have access to large scale printing, draw the template on your paper with simple tools as follows: Tie a string to a pencil. Tie an overhand knot in the string 10" (25.5 cm) away from the pencil. Put a push pin in the knot and push it through your paper. Using the pin as the center pivot point, draw a circle with a 10" (25.5 cm) radius.



**Step 2:** Remove the pin. Use a vardstick to draw a line from the center point (the pinhole) to the outer edge of the circle.

**Step 3:** Find a point along the circle 19" (48.5 cm) away from this line. Draw another line from this point to the center of the circle, Add ½" (1.5 cm) along one of your lines as a tape flap.

Step 4: Cut out your hat. Apply double sided tape to the  $\frac{1}{2}$ " (1.5 cm) flap. Roll the hat into a cone shape, using the tape to join the two straight

edaes.



**Step 5:** Working in 6-8" (15-20.5 cm) long sections, apply glue to lower edge of hat. Wrap yarn around hat, pressing pompoms into the glue. Go around the hat 3 times, nestling the pompoms together to fill in gaps and hiding the cord under the pompoms. Add more glue as needed to hold pompoms in place on top of cord.

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**Step 6:** Cut an individual pompom, apply a dab of glue, then press the pompom into place on the point of the hat.

