



CRAFT | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 3½" x 4½" [9 x 11.5 cm], excluding fringe.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Before working with Red Heart® Mini™ multi-shade yarn ball, wind off each color into separate balls, designating each shade as A, B, C or D as noted left.

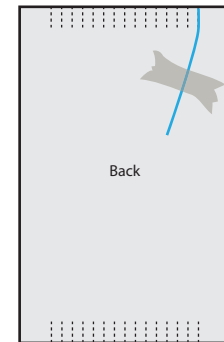
Make loom

Print out Loom templates on page 3. Glue to cardboard. Allow to dry, then cut along thick solid border and dotted lines.

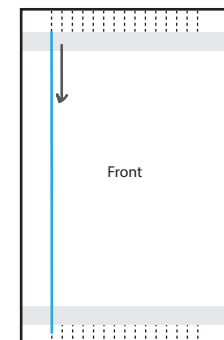
Glue cardboard spacers to front of loom beneath top slits and above bottom slits, as indicated on template.

Prepare the warp

With A, tape yarn to back of loom.



Wrap yarn through first slot on top and bottom.



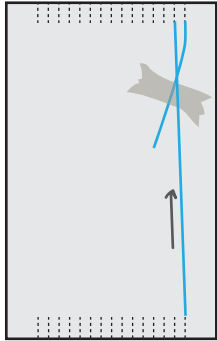
MATERIALS

Red Heart® Mini™ (1.6 oz/45 g; 72 yds/66 m)
 Americana (9854) **1 ball**

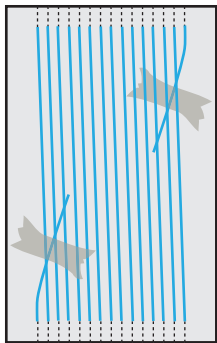
Printer paper. White glue. Cardboard. Scissors. Tape. Tapestry or weaving needle. 6" [15 cm] dowel or branch. Plastic fork (optional).



On the back, bring yarn up through next slot to front.



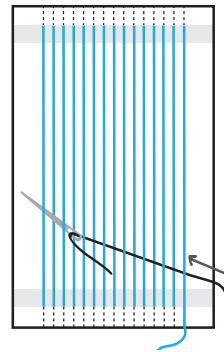
Continue wrapping yarn snugly through all slots. Tape last warp strand to back of loom.



Begin weaving

Cut A, B, C and D to 17" [43 cm] lengths.

Thread A through tapestry needle. Beginning on right side of loom, weave needle under first warp thread, over next, then under, then over. Continue going under and over all warp threads. Draw yarn through on an angle, leaving a short tail.



Push each row down gently with your fingers or a plastic fork. The first row should line up with bottom spacer.

Then, come back, weaving the opposite way. If you ended your row by going over the last warp strand, begin this row by going

under. **Do not** pull too tightly on yarn, as this will cause sides to pull in.

Work 3 rows total with A.

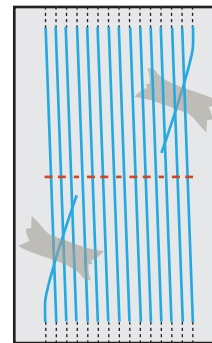
To begin a new color, leave a tail and start weaving with next color. Continue weaving, alternating colors in Stripe Pattern until you reach 4" [10 cm] from bottom of weaving.

Stripe Pattern: Work 3 rows each of A, B, A, C, A, D, and repeat.

FINISHING

Remove weaving from loom

Turn loom to back and cut along warp threads and remove tape. Gently pull warp out from slots.



Side fringe

Trim tails on left and right evenly.

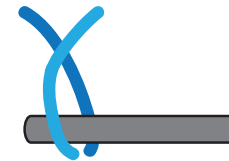
Bottom fringe

Starting from bottom-left, knot two warp strands together. Continue across until all warp threads are secured. Cut fringe evenly.



Hanging

Starting from top-left, knot 2 warp strands together, securing dowel or branch between warp threads.



Cut piece of A 12" [30.5 cm] long. Tie each end to dowel for hanging cord.

