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Ellis Preemie Beanie

A Sunflower Cottage Crochet Pattern

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Pattern Specifics:

Materials:

- #3 weight yarn of your choosing – yardage is estimated below in the sizing section.
- Stitch markers (optional)
- 4mm (G) hook
- Scissors
- Tapestry needle
- Measuring Tape

Gauge:

20 sts wide and 18 rows of pattern (of the main body) repeat in 4".

Note: I do give you crown measurements from round 2 to make sure that you are on track.

Sizing:

This pattern is written for 4 preemie sizes

Size	Head circ	Crown width	Hat length	Approx yardage
1 - 2 lbs	8 - 9"	3"	3.5 - 4"	35 yds

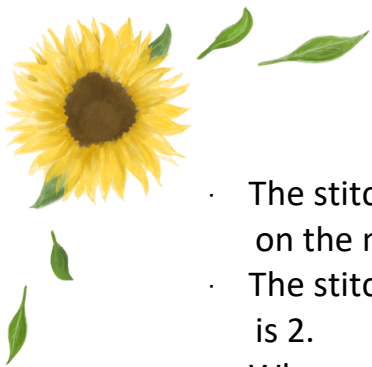
2 - 3 lbs	9.5 - 10.5"	3.25"	4 - 4.25"	40 yds
3 - 5 lbs	11 - 12"	3.5"	4.25 - 4.5"	45 yds
6 - 8 lbs	12.5 - 13.5"	3.75"	4.75 - 5"	50 yds

Abbreviations used:

- CH(s) - chain(s)
- MR - Magic Ring
- St(s) - stitch(es)
- Rep - repeat
- Sk - skip
- hdc - half double crochet
- sc2tog - single crochet 2 together
- sc - single crochet
- SS - slip stitch
- YO - yarn over
- FO - fasten off

Pattern Notes:

- Written in US Terms.
- CH1 stitches at the beginning of a round **do not** count as a st unless otherwise stated.
- CH1 stitches following a sc2tog stitch **do** count as a st.

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- The stitch count remains the same for each round on the main body of the beanie.
 - The stitch multiple to adjust this pattern if required is 2.
 - Where pattern is different per size this will be shown as 1-2 lbs / 2-3 lbs / 3-5 lbs / 6-8 lbs. The crown widths are provided according to my gauge from round 2 onwards. These are the diameter measurements (so from side to side). If you cannot / do not meet gauge when working the crown of your hat, take a note of the size it should be and stop when you reach the correct size - the pattern will still work for you! If you find that your crown is a little bit off size but not enough for a hdc round try working round of sc instead of the hdc.
 - Stitch counts are given at the end of each row.
 - Where the stitch count is the same for each size only one count will be given.
 - Please read the pattern and ensure you are comfortable with it before starting your project.
 - When measuring the length of your hat when working the main body, you do so from the top of the crown.

Special stitches:

Sc2tog: This stitch is worked over 2 sts. Insert hook into first st to be worked, YO and pull through (2 loops on hook), insert hook into next st to be worked, YO and pull through (3 loops on hook). YO and pull through all 3 loops on hook. Sc2tog completed.

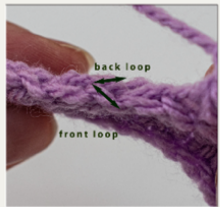
I also have a comprehensive blog post which [you can find here](#).

Right handed video tutorial – <https://youtu.be/zUJtiAFnFqY>

Left handed video tutorial - https://youtu.be/_zr_rD8rhr4



SC2Tog



back loop
front loop

We will be working into the back loop only from row 2 onwards



*insert hook into the blo of the next st



yarn over



and pull through*



insert hook into blo of next st and rep from * to *



It will now look like this



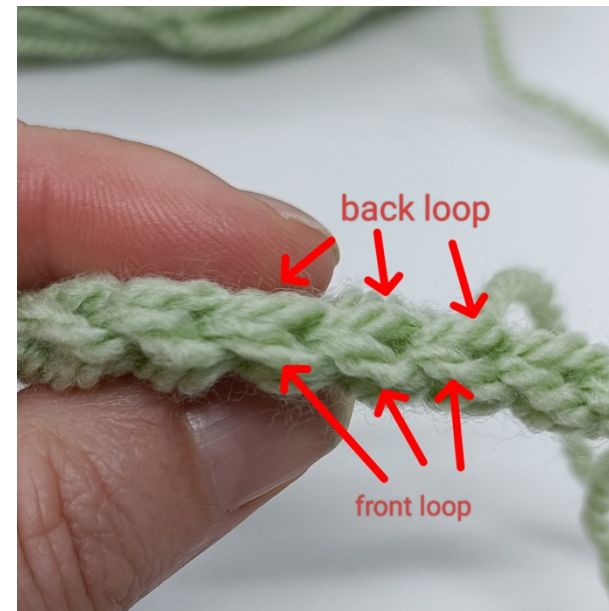
YO and pull through all 3 loops on hook.



SC2tog completed

Back Loop Only:

You will be working the SC2Tog into the back loop only. Here is a reminder of how to identify the back loop. The front and the back loops will sit at the top of your work.





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Round 1: In MR, hdc 8. SS to first hdc to join. (8)

OR CH3, ss to first ch to join (creates a ring), Ch1, in the center of the ring hdc 8. SS to top of first hdc to join. (8)

Round 2: Ch1, work 2 hdc in each st around. SS to top of first hdc to join. (16)

Your crown should now measure 1" (see pattern notes above).

Round 3: Ch1, hdc in first st, 2 hdc in next st, *hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. SS to top of first hdc to join. (24)

Your crown should now measure 1.5".

Round 4: Ch1, hdc in first 2 sts, 2 hdc in next st, *hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. SS to top of first hdc to join. (32)

Your crown should now measure 2".

Round 5: Ch1, hdc in first 3 sts, 2 hdc in next st, *hdc in next 3 sts, 2 hdc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. SS to top of first hdc to join. (40)

Your crown should now measure 2.5".

Round 6 : Ch1, hdc in first 2 sts, 2 hdc in next st, *hdc in next 4 sts, 2 hdc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. Hdc in the last 2 sts. SS to top of first hdc to join. (48)

Your crown should now measure 3".

For size 1-2 lbs move to round 9.

Round 7:

For size 2-3 lbs only : Ch1, sc in first 5 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. SS to top of first sc to join. (56)

Your crown should now measure 3.25".

Move to round 9.

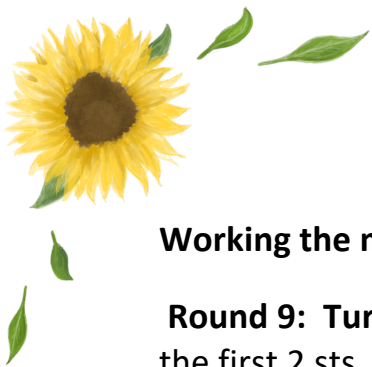
For all other sizes: Ch1, hdc in first 5 sts, 2 hdc in next st, *hdc in next 5 sts, 2 hdc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. SS to top of first hdc to join. (56)

Your crown should now measure 3.5".

For Size 3-5 lbs move to round 9.

Round 8: Ch1, sc in first 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st. Rep from * 6 more times. Sc in the last 3 sts. SS to top of first sc to join. (64)

Your crown should now measure 3.75".



Working the main body of the hat:

Round 9: Turn, Ch1 (does not count), sc2tog BLO across the first 2 sts, (you may want to use a stitch marker to mark this st), Ch1 (counts) *sc2tog BLO across next 2 sts, ch1*. Rep from * to * around ending with a ch1. Ss to top of first sc2tog BLO to join. (48, 56, 56, 64 sts)

Rounds 10 on: Rep round 9 until your hat measures 3.5 / 4 / 4.25 / 4.75 “

Note: Remember to turn at the beginning of every round for this section - this is what creates the texture.

To work the brim:

Note: For some sizes you may end on the RS and other sizes on the WS before you start the brim. You can work the brim with either side facing you.

Round 11 (Last Round) : Ch1, sc in each st around (including the ch1 sps). Ss to top of first sc to join. (48, 56, 56, 64 sts)

FO and weave in ends.

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