



Crochet Girlie Hoodie

This hoodie design may have been inspired by a basic man's hooded sweatshirt, but this version is as feminine as can be. Young girls will love having the fluffy pom-pom yarn as an edging on this colorful sweater.

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INTERMEDIATE

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Finished Chest: 23 (25, 27, 29)".

Finished Length: 14½ (15½, 16½, 16½)".

Directions for sweater are for child's size small (2). Changes for medium (4), large (6) and extra large (8) are in parentheses.

Red Heart® "Stripes™" 5 (5, 6, 7) skeins 930 Posh Stripe A.

Red Heart® "Pomp-a-Doodle™" 1 (1, 2, 2) skeins 9955 Berries & Cream B.

Crochet Hook: 5.5 mm [US I-9]
Yarn Needle

Gauge 16 sts = 4"; 15 rows = 4". **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.**
Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS:

Decrease Single Crochet (sc2tog): [Insert hook in next st, yo, draw up a loop] twice, yo, draw yarn through 3 loops on hook.

Note: For best results when using Pomp-a-Doodle yarn, work with the yarn between the pom-poms and do not pull the pom-poms through the loop on the hook.

SWEATER

BACK

With A, ch 47 (51, 55, 59).

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across; turn – 46 (50, 54, 58) sc.

Row 2-4: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, sc in last sc; turn – 22 (24, 26, 28) ch-1 spaces.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each st and space across; turn.

Row 6-28 (6-32, 6-36, 6-36): Repeat Rows 2-5 [5 (6, 7, 7)] times; repeat Rows 2-4 once.

Shape Armhole

Row 29 (33, 37, 37): Slip st in next 4 sts, ch 1, sc in next st, sc across to last 4 sts; turn, leaving remaining sts unworked – 38 (42, 46, 50) sc.

Rows 30-49 (34-53, 38-57, 38-57): Repeat Rows 2-5, 5 times,

Right Shoulder

Rows 50-51 (54-55, 58-59, 58-59): Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each of next 8 (9, 10, 11) sts; turn, leaving remaining sts unworked – 9 (10, 11, 12) sc. Fasten off.





Left Shoulder

With wrong side facing, skip next 20 (22, 24, 26) sts to the left of last st made in Row 1 of right shoulder.

Rows 50-51 (54-55, 58-59, 58-59): Ch 1, sc in same st, sc across; turn— 9 (10, 11, 12) sc. Fasten off.

FRONT

Work same as Back until 45 (49, 53, 53) rows have been completed from beginning.

Right Shoulder

Row 46-48 (50-52, 54-56, 54-56): Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next st; repeat from * 3 (3, 4, 4) times, sc in last st; turn – 9 (9, 11, 11) sts.

Sizes Small and Large only

Row 49 (-, 55, -): Ch 1, sc2tog in first 2 sts, sc in each st and space across; turn – 8 (-, 10, -) sc.

All Sizes

Rows 50-51 (53-55, 56-57, 57-59): Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each st and space across; turn – 8 (9, 10, 11) sc. Fasten off.

Left Shoulder

With wrong side facing, skip next 20 (22, 24, 26) sts to the left of last st made in Row 1 of right shoulder.

Row 46-48 (50-52, 52-54, 54-56): Ch 1, sc in first st, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next st; repeat from * 3 (3, 4, 4) times, sc in last st; turn – 9 (9, 11, 11) sts. Fasten off.

Sizes Small and Large only

Row 49 (-, 55, -): Ch 1, sc in each of first 7 (-, 9, -) sts, sc2tog in first 2 sts; turn – 8 (-, 10, -) sc.

All Sizes

Rows 50-51 (53-55, 56-57, 57-59): Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each st and space across; turn – 8 (9, 10, 11) sc. Fasten off.

SLEEVES (make 2)

With **A**, ch 25 (25, 27, 27).

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across; turn – 24 (24, 26, 26) sc.

Row 2-3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each st across; turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each st across to last st, 2 sc in last st; turn – 26 (26, 28, 28) sc.

Row 5-7: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, sc in last sc; turn – 12 (12, 13, 13) ch-1 spaces.

Row 8: Repeat Row 4 – 28 (28, 30, 30) sc.

Rows 9-40 (9-44, 9-48, 9-52): Repeat Rows 5-8 [8 (9, 10, 11) times] – 44 (46, 50, 52) sc.

Row 41-43 (45-47, 49-51, 53-55): Repeat Rows 5-7– 21 (22, 24, 25) ch-1 spaces.

Row 44 (48, 52, 56): Ch 1, sc in each st and space across. Fasten off.

Assembly

With **A**, sew front to back across shoulders. Fold sleeve in half lengthwise. Matching fold to shoulder seam, sew top of sleeve into armhole, sew sleeve seam. Repeat with other sleeve.

HOOD

Row 1: With right side facing, skip first 10 (11, 12, 13) sts on neck edge, join **A** in next st, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each st across right front neck edge, sc in each st across back neck edge, sc in each st across left front neck edge to beginning; turn – 40 (44, 48, 52) sc.

Row 2-4: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from * across, sc in last st; turn – 19 (21, 23, 25) ch-1 spaces.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each st and space across; turn.

Repeat Rows 2-5 until hood measures 8 1/2 (9, 9 1/2, 10)'' from beginning. Fasten off.

Finishing

With right side facing, fold hood in half and with **A**, sew top of hood together.

Hood Edging

Row 1: With right side facing, join **A** at the center of the front neck, ch 1, work 72 (76, 78, 80) sc evenly spaced across the front edge of hood to center front; turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, sc across working 14 (16, 18, 18) decreases, evenly spaced across – 58 (60, 60, 62) sts.

Row 3: With right side facing, join **B** in first st, ch 1, sc in each st across; turn.

Row 4-6: Ch 1, sc in first st, sc in each st across, turn. Fasten off.

Lower Trim

Round 1: With right side facing, join **B** to side seam on bottom edge of sweater, ch 1, sc in each st around, join with slip st in first sc.

Rounds 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Video link for how to crochet with Pomp-a-Doodle:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5yB9TsmGUd0>





RED HEART® “Stripes™” Art E760
available in 3.5 oz (100 g), 170 yd
(156 m) balls.



RED HEART® “Pomp-a-Doodle™”
Art. E765 available in 3.5 oz (100 g),
54 yd (50 m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: **ch** = chain; **mm** = millimeters;
sc = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch (es).

