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### What you will need:

RED HEART® Anne Geddes™, 1 ball each of 556 Jam A, 764 Taffy B, 203 Daffodil C, 261 Tangerine D, and 691 Grass E

Susan Bates® Double Pointed Knitting Needles: 5.5 mm [US 9]

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 6 mm [US J-10]

Stitch holder, stitch marker, yarn needle

**GAUGE:** 15 sts = 4" (10 cm) in Garter Stitch. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Anne Geddes™, Art. 805 available in solid 3.5 oz (100 g) 340 yd (310 m) and multi 3.5 oz (100 g) 290 yd (265 m)



## Make Me an Owl Hat

*Whooo's the next baby that needs a hat? This cute hat is picture perfect for both little girls and little boys! Hat is first knit and then edging and trims are crocheted.*

Directions are for size Small (6-9 months); changes for Medium (12 months) are in parentheses.

**Finished Size:** 13½(16)" [34.5 (40.5) cm] head circumference

### HAT

#### Earflap (Make 2)

With 1 strand each of A and B held together, cast on 2 sts.

**Row 1:** Knit across.

**Row 2 (Right side):** K1, Yo, K1: 3 sts.

**Row 3:** Knit across.

**Row 4:** K1, Yo, knit across: 4 sts.

**Row 5:** Knit across.

**Row 6:** Knit across to last st, Yo, K1: 5 sts.

**Rows 7-10 (14):** Repeat last 4 rows 1 (2) more times: 7 (9) sts.

**Rows 11 (15)-12 (16):** Repeat Rows 3 and 4: 8 (10) sts.

Slip all sts onto stitch holder and set aside. Leave stitches of second Earflap on needle.

### BODY

**Round 1 (Right side) (Joining Round):** Knit across 8 (10) sts of second Earflap, cast on 20 (24) sts, knit 8 (10) sts of first Earflap from stitch holder, cast on 14 (16) sts: 50 (60) sts. Divide stitches evenly over double pointed needles. Join, being careful that sts are not twisted, and begin working in the round. Place marker for beginning of round.

**Round 2:** Purl around.

**Round 3:** Knit around.

**Rounds 4-22 (26):** Repeat Rounds 2 and 3, 9 (11) times, then Round 2 once more.

### CROWN SHAPING

#### Size Medium Only

**Round 1 (Right side):** (K10, K2tog) 5 times: 55 sts.

**Round 2:** Purl around.

**Round 3:** Knit around.

**Round 4:** Purl around.

**Round 5:** (K9, k2tog) 5 times: 50 sts.

**Rounds 6-8:** Repeat Rounds 2-4.

### All Sizes

**Round 1 (9):** (K8, K2tog) around: 45 sts.

**Round 2 (10):** Purl around.

**Round 3 (11):** Knit around.

**Round 4 (12):** Purl around.

**Round 5 (13):** (K7, K2tog) around: 40 sts.

**Round 6 (14):** Purl around.

**Round 7 (15):** Knit around.

**Round 8 (16):** Purl around.

**Round 9 (17):** (K6, K2tog) around: 35 sts.

**Round 10 (18):** Purl around.

**Round 11 (19):** Knit around.

**Round 12 (20):** Purl around.

**Round 13 (21):** (K5, K2tog) around: 30 sts.

**Round 14 (22):** Purl around.

**Round 15 (23):** (K4, K2tog) around: 25 sts.

**Round 16 (24):** Purl around.

**Round 17 (25):** (K3, K2tog) around: 20 sts.

**Round 18 (26):** Purl around.

**Round 19 (27):** (K2, K2tog) around: 15 sts.

**Round 20 (28):** Purl around.

**Round 21 (29):** (K1, K2tog) around: 10 sts.

**Round 22 (30):** Purl around.

**Round 23 (31):** K2tog around: 5 sts.

**Round 24 (32):** Purl around.

Cut yarn, leaving a 10" (25.5 cm). Thread yarn needle with end and weave through remaining stitches. Draw up firmly, fasten securely.

### FINISHING

#### Edging

With crochet hook and right side of Hat facing, join 1 strand each of C and D held together with sc on Row 1 of either Earflap.

**Round 1 (Right side):** Sc evenly around Hat edge, working 1 sc in each st around and 3 sc around Row 1 of each Earflap, join with slip st to first sc.



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**Round 2:** Ch 1, slip st in each sc around, join with slip st to first slip st; fasten off.

### EYE (Make 2)

With crochet hook and 2 strands of E held together, ch 3.

**Round 1 (Right side):** 11 dc in third ch from hook (skipped chs count as first dc), join with slip st to first dc: 12 dc. **Change to two strands of C held together.** Fasten off E.

**Round 2:** With two strands of C held together, ch 2 (counts as first hdc), hdc in same st, 2 hdc in each dc around: 24 hdc.

Fasten off, leaving a long end for sewing. Thread yarn needle with Eye long end. Using photo as a guide, sew wrong side of Eye to right side of Hat. Repeat for second Eye.

### BEAK

With crochet hook and 2 strands of D held together, ch 5.

**Round 1 (Right side):** 2 sc in second ch from hook (skipped ch counts as first sc), hdc in next 2 chs, 3 sc in last ch, turn; hdc in next 2 foundation chs, join with slip st to first sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long end for sewing. Thread yarn needle with Beak long end. Using photo as a guide sew wrong side of Beak to right side of Hat.

### CROWN TASSEL

Cut eight, 12" (30.5 cm) strands each of C and D. Hold all strands together and fold in half lengthwise. Using photo as a guide, insert crochet hook in Crown of Hat and draw up a loop. Thread strand ends through loop and pull to tighten. Repeat, attaching 2 more Tassels to Crown of Hat. Trim tassels to about 3" (7.5 cm) long.

### EARFLAP TASSEL (Make 2)

Cut twelve, 20" (51 cm) strands each of C and D. Using photo as a guide, insert crochet hook in tip of Earflap and draw end strands through. Line up ends of strands. Hold all strands together and tie in an overhand knot. Repeat for second Earflap. Trim tassels to about 2½" (6.5 cm) long.

### ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C, etc = Colors A, B, C, etc; ch = chain(s); cm = centimeter; dc = double crochet; hdc = half double crochet; K = knit; k2tog = knit 2 sts together; mm = millimeter; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch(es); tog = together; Yo = Yarn over; ( ) = work directions in parentheses as indicated.



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