

Christmas Shrug and Skirt

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Please read through the abbreviations before starting this pattern!

Fits 2 - 3 toddler...Big sweater so Shirt can be worn underneath. I use the N hk because my granddaughter's skin is sensitive and I like the way it makes up with this hook and she can wear a shirt underneath. For smaller size use smaller hk.

Supplies

9 oz of Caron Simply Soft Red (Amount approximate I had already used some of one skein)

1 1/2 skeins White Fun Fur

N hook for Shrug

H hook for Skirt

K hook for headband

Elastic 1/4" wide

Yarn Needle

NOTE: Chain 2 in stead of 3 at beginning of rows if desired.

Abbreviations

hk = hook

ch = chain

dc = double crochet

sc = single crochet

st = stitch/es

fl = front loop

bl = back loop

fo = fasten off

Gauge

6 DC= 2 inches or 5 cm for Shrug only

2 rows = 2 inches or 2.5 cm (approx)

Directions

In Red Ch 42

Row 1 Dc in 4th ch from hk and next 4 chs, 3 dc in next ch, corner made, dc in next 6 chs, 3 dc in next ch, corner made, dc in next 12, 3 dc in next ch, corner made, dc in next 6 chs, 3 dc in next, corner made, dc to end. Ch 3 and turn (this will be done every row or round throughout.)

Row 2 - 4 Dc in each st putting 3 dc in 'center' of each corner. At end of row 4 join contrasting yarn in last stitch, with 2 loops on your hk join yarn and ch 3 and turn

Row 5-7 Dc in each st putting 3 dc in 'center' of each corner.

Row 8 Dc to middle st of corner, * dc in corner, ch 4, dc in middle of next corner, armhole made,* dc to next corner, repeat * to * dc to end of row.

Row 9 Dc in each st and chain across

Row 10-12 Dc in each st across at end of 12 FO

Row 13 Attach Fun Fur, sc in each st across. FO

Sleeves

(You may need more or less rnds depending on your child's arm length)

Rnd 1 join to center st under arm, ch 3 and dc in each st around, join.

Rnd 2- 11 dc in each st around. At end of row 11 ch 1

Rnd 12 Attach Fun Fur, SC in each st around FO

Collar

Starting at the left side at the bottom attach yarn and ch 1, 2 sc in same st, sc along the side till you reach the collar, sc in 1st st, (other loop of beg ch)

SC, all way around. FO

Attach Fun Fur and SC all around fronts, collar and bottom of Shrug. FO

With Red and Fun Fur attach to left side at beginning of collar and chain 25-30 chains and FO. Repeat for other side. You now have your ties.

Weave in all ends!



Skirt

H hk ch 81

Row 1 sc in 2nd ch from hk and every ch across. join with sl st to 1st sc. You will now be working in rnds. **Join each rnd.**

Rnd 2 - 4 ch 2 and hdc in ea st across

Rnd 5 ch 2, hdc in same st, *hdc in next, 2 hdc in next*, repeat around

Rnd 6 repeat rnd 2

Rnd 7-16 Ch 2, DC in each st around

Ruffle

Rnd 17 *5 TRC in Back loop, 5 TRC in Front loop* in each stitch around. (You may have to pull your FL st a little to get your 1st TRC in.) FO This makes a nice ruffle.

Rnd 18 Attach Fun Fur, SC in each TRC around. FO

Top of the skirt

Attach yarn with sc to where you joined in rnd 2. SC all around, Join.

Cut elastic to fit the child and sew the ends together. SC around the elastic and into sc of previous rnd just done.

Belt Loops

Place 6 beltloops evenly spaced around the skirt. I put 2 in the front, one on each side and 2 in the back.

Attach yarn to Sc and ch 3 and sl st to the st right under in the row under the elastic. FO weave in I know it's a lot of attaching and weaving but the outcome I thought was worth it.

Belt

With Red and Fun Fur

1 Chain a chain long enough to go around your child and tie in a bow.



Headband

K hk ch 51 (or size to fit your childs head)

R 1 sc in 2nd ch from hk and each ch to end,
ch 1 turn

R 2 -3 sc in ea ch across at end of 3 leave
tail for sewing and FO

R 4 attach fun fur and sc in ea st across and

FO

Thread needle and sew short ends together.