

Red Christmas Elf Hat



CHRISTMAS ELF HAT – Crochet Instructions- Threads of Love Ministry

Use red and white acrylic yarn; suggested 3 ply yarn with hook E or F // 4ply yarn use G or H

Hat size will vary with choice of Yarn and Hook.

Use attached measuring table as a guide for hat size. **5 ½" X 7"**

For this pattern I used ****I love this yarn 3 ply** super soft * Sport Weight.** From Hobby Lobby

Starting at top of Hat : Use RED yarn

Rd 1 : ch2, 7 hdc in adjustable loop (8)

Rd 2 : ch2, 1 hdc in same space as ch2, (hdc in next stitch, 2 hdc in next st) X 3, hdc in last stitch = 12

Rd 3 : ch2, 1hdc in same space as ch2, (hdc in next 2 stitches, 2 hdc in next st) X3 hdc in last stitch = 15

Rd 4 : ch2, 1hdc in same space as ch2, (hdc in next 3 stitches, 2 hdc in next st) X3 hdc in last stitch =18

Rd 5 : ch2, 1hdc in same space as ch2, (hdc in next 4 stitches, 2 hdc in next st) X3 hdc in last stitch =21

Rd 6 : ch2, 1hdc in same space as ch2, (hdc in next 5 stitches, 2 hdc in next st) X3 hdc in last stitch =24

Continue in same pattern increasing the number of HDC by 3 in each successive ROW thru Row 11 ending with 39 stitches. * Crown of hat should measure **5 ½"** wide by the end of this row.

You can adjust number of stitches or rows based on type of yarn used.

Rows 12 thru 18 HDC in each space, join with SL st to top of CH2, (39hdc) in each row counting beginning CH2 as a hdc. At this point you may need to adjust the number of rows needed to measure **6"** Crown of hat.

Add the Brim : Use WHITE yarn

1 SC in ea space around = (39sc)

Row 2: Ch2, *1 HDC in back loop of next stitch, 1hdc in both loops of next stitch* around = (39)

Row 3 and 4 same as row 2 keep alternate stitches.

1" inch brim

Note: Do NOT add a pompom to the hat.

Pompoms will be added by a special Threads of Love volunteer prior to distribution.

Use Chart as a guide for Christmas Elf Hat

Unstretched length should be 7"

Unstretched width should be 5 1/4"

