

Gumnut Crochet

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Tooth Fairy – perfect for any 6 to 8 year old who is losing their baby teeth. Put the tooth in the pocket in the back and the tooth fairy can do a swap and leave the all important cash.



Skill Level

- Intermediate
- A beginner who has access to google and u-tube, should be able to complete this project with some research into any stitches or steps which are unfamiliar

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- You may use this pattern to sell any items you complete. Please refer to Gumnut Crochet as the designer.

Gauge

- Gauge is not critical to this project.
- Different yarn type and different ply will change size.

Materials Used

- 4 ply cotton x 50 gram – main colour
- 4 ply cotton yarn small quantity for hat, pocket and eyes
- Size 2.00 mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- 15 mm safety eyes
- Fiberfill
- Stitch marker

Size

- 10 cm in height
- For toys, its best to use a smaller hook size than yarn normally suggests in order to keep the stitches close and reduce stuffing showing

Stitches Used – US Terminology

- Sc – single crochet
- Fl – front loops
- Bl – back loops
- Ch – chain
- 2 sc in next sc – sc increase
- 2 hdc in next – hdc increase
- Sc 2 tog- sc decrease
- Sl st – slip stitch
- Hdc – half double crochet
- Sc dec – sc decrease
- Sc inc – sc increase
- Dc – double crochet
- Dc dec – double crochet decrease

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Tooth is made in 2 halves with 2 roots being a half. 2 roots are then joined together for front and 2 roots together for back

Tooth Roots – make 2 for front of tooth, do not fasten off second root (repeat from R1 to R23 for back of tooth)

R1. In main colour, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook or do magic circle with 6 sc – 6 sc

R2. 2 sc in each sc – 12 sc

R3. (Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 18 sc

R4-6. Sc in each sc – 18 sc

R7. (Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 24 sc

R8-10. Sc in each sc – 24 sc

Fasten off, first tooth but do not fasten off second tooth

Joining 2 roots together

R11. In main colour, sc across to second root, sc 22 around second root, sc back to first root, sc around first root – 46 sc

R12. 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 22 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 22 sc – 48 sc

R13-15. Sc in each sc – 48 sc

R16. (Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next) – 54 sc

R17-23. Sc in each sc – 54 sc

Fasten off. Complete R1 to R23 for second half

Sew eyes, nose and mouth to front of tooth, and pocket to back of tooth prior to filling.

Then fill without stretching stitches, whip stitch top edges together and sew back of tooth to front of tooth.



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Nose – make 1 in tooth colour

- R1. In main colour, ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook or do magic circle with 6 sc – 6 sc
- R2. 2 sc in each sc – 12 sc

Fasten off, sew to tooth between eyes. Embroider mouth in red and eyebrows and eyelashes in black.

Pocket – make 1 in contrast colour

- R1. Ch 4, 2 sc in second ch from hook, sc in next ch, 2 sc in next ch, turn – 5 sc
- R2. Ch 1, 2 sc in same ch space, sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn – 7 sc
- R3. Ch 1, 2 sc in same ch space, sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn - 9 sc
- R4. Ch 1, 2 sc in same ch space, sc in next 7 sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn – 11 sc
- R5. Ch 1, 2 sc in same ch space, sc in next 9 sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn – 13 sc
- R6-9. Sc in each sc – 13 sc
- R10. Sc around edge of pocket, working 2 sc in edges

Fasten off, sew to back of tooth, weave in ends

Hat – make 1 in contrast colour

- R1. Ch 2, 6 sc in second chain from hook, or magic circle 6 – 6 sc
- R2-6. Sc in each sc - 6 sc
- R7. (Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 8 sc
- R8. Sc in each sc- 8 sc
- R9. (Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 10 sc.
- R10. (Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 12 sc
- R11. (Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 14 sc
- R12. (Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 16 sc
- R13. (Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc) – 18 sc
- R14. In front loops, sc in each sc - 18 sc



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R15. 2 sc in each sc – 26 sc

R16. 2 sc in each sc – 52 sc

Fasten off, leaving long tail, fill lightly without stretching stitches, sew to top of tooth

Wings x 1 – in contrast colour

R1. Ch 7, sl st to form ring

R2. Into centre of ring, ch 3, dc x 2, (ch 2, dc x 3) x 7 – 8 groups in total

Change colour if desired

R3. Sl st into any chain 2 space, ch 3, dc x 2, (ch 3, dc x 3) into next ch 2 space, sl st into top of first ch 3, to close round x 7 – 8 groups in total

Change colour if desired

R4. Sl st into any ch 3 space, ch 3, dc x 11, (dc x 12) in each chain 3 space, sl st into top of first ch 3 to close round

Fasten off, fold in half, wrap yarn around centre, secure to tooth.