

Sunshine Bobble Blanket & Sun Toy

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SKILL LEVEL:

Intermediate


FINISHED SIZE:

Blanket: 27½ x 43½" (70 x 110cm)

Sun Toy: 6" (15.2cm) dia.

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MATERIALS:

- Herrschners® Cheerful DK 
 - Yellow Daisy (14 oz/400g): Color **A**
 - Lemony (14 oz/400g): Color **B**
 - White Daisy (14 oz/400g): Color **C**

YOU WILL NEED:

- Size I-9 (5.5mm) crochet hook or size to obtain gauge
- Size H-8 (5mm) crochet hook
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE:

4 cl and 13 rows = 4" (10.2cm) in pat
Exact gauge is essential for your project to be proper size. As you begin your project, make a sample swatch per the instructions using the recommended yarn and hook. After you complete the swatch, measure it, counting your stitches and rows carefully. If your swatch is larger or smaller than specified, change the hook size and make another swatch to get the correct gauge. Keep trying until you find the hook size that will give you the specified gauge.

STITCH GUIDE:

Chain (**ch**), slip stitch (**sl st**), single crochet (**sc**)

cl (cluster): Yo, insert hook into st, pull up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps, (yo, insert hook in same st, pull up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps) 4 times, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

magic circle: Form a circle with the end not attached to the ball on the left side of the circle. Insert hook in center of circle and yo from yarn that is attached to the ball, pull through center and ch 1. Follow instructions in pat. When you have finished completing the number of sts that the pat calls for, then slowly pull the end not attached to the ball to close the circle.

bobble st pat:

Row 1 (RS): With Color **A**, sc in second ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, (sc in next 2 sc, cl in next sc) across, change to Color **B** in last st, turn.

Row 3: With Color **B**, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, (cl in next sc, sc in next 2 sc) across, change to Color **C** in last st, turn.

Row 5: With Color **C**, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, (sc in next st, cl in next st, sc in next st) across, change to Color **A** in last st, turn.

Row 7: With Color **A**, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rep Rows 2-7 for pat.

PATTERN NOTE:

- To change yarn, work to last pull through, drop current color, yo, pull through with next color.

DIRECTIONS:

With Color **A**, ch 91.

Work in bobble st pat until blanket measures approx 43", ending with a WS row.

Fasten off.

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Sun Toy:

(Make 1 with Color **A** and 1 with Color **B**)

Center (make 2):

Note: Place marker in first st, do not join unless instructed to do so, move marker up each rnd.

With H hook and either color, make a magic circle.

Rnd 1: Ch 1 (does count as a st), work 6 sc in center of circle, close circle. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) around. (18 sc)

Rnd 4: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts) around. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: (2 sc in next st, sc next 3 sts) around. (30 sc)

Rnd 6: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts) around. (36 sc)

Rnd 7: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts) around. (42 sc)

Rnd 8: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts) around. (48 sc)

Rnd 9: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts) around. (54 sc)

Rnd 10: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts) around. (60 sc)

Rnd 11: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 9 sts) around. (66 sc)

Rnd 12: (2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts) around, do not fasten off. (72 sc)

Joining:

Holding back and front with WS tog, working through both layers and working through back lps only of the front and the front lps only of the back, sl st in 34 sc, ch 24, sc in second ch from hook and each ch to last ch, sl st last ch with the front lp of the back center and back lp of the front center, sl st in next 27 sc, stuff firmly, (sl st in handle tip and in next front lp and back lp) twice, making sure handle doesn't twist, sl st to end, adding more stuffing in needed; join to first st with a sl st. Do not fasten off.

Rays:

First Ray:

Row 1 (RS): Working in unused front lps from Rnd 12, sc in first 8 sc, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, hdc in next st, dc in next st, tr in next 2 sts, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next st, do not fasten off, do not turn.

Next Ray:

With WS facing, rep Row 1-2 for next ray. Fasten off.

Next 2 Rays:

With RS facing, join yarn in in next unused lp from Rnd 12, ch 1, sc in same st and next 15 sc, turn. (Rep Row 2 from First Ray) twice, sl st in next st to join. Fasten off. Rep Next 2 Rays Section twice.

For last ray, with RS facing, join yarn with sl st in last sc to the right of next unused lp from Rnd 12, sc in last 8 sc, sl st to first sc of second ray worked, turn.

Rep Row 2 from First Ray. Fasten off.

Finishing:

Weave in ends.

WASHING INSTRUCTIONS:

Machine wash.

