

Shaun the Sheep™

Whether you are a beginner or a returner; a crocheter or knitter, we have the Official Shaun for you!



Crocheted
version

Knitted
version



Choose to make either a crocheted or knitted toy with your kit



DESIGNED BY
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YARN USED

Kit yarn
1 ball each in Snowflake White (A) & Nordic Black (B)

ABOUT THE YARN

4-ply; 66m per 16.5g ball;
100% polyester

TENSION

Crocheted: 23 sts x 26 rows = 10cm
measured over dc

Knitted: 26 sts x 32 rows = 10cm
measured over St st

HOOK USED

3mm

NEEDLES USED

3.5mm straight

OTHER SUPPLIES

Crocheted: stitch marker

Both:

tapestry needle
washable toy stuffing
tweezers for stuffing small pieces

SIZING

Crocheted: 12cm high x 14cm long

Knitted: 11cm high x 13cm long

ABBREVIATIONS

See page 61 & 63 for all abbreviations

Crocheted Shaun

Crocheted Shaun is worked in pieces in the amigurumi style, without turning or joining each rnd with a sl st. Use a stitch marker to mark the end of each rnd. Use one strand of yarn throughout.

➔ Start crocheting...

BODY

With A, chain 2.

Rnd 1: 6 dc in 2nd ch from hook. 6 sts

Pm to mark end of rnd.

Rnd 2: [2 dc in next st] 6 times. 12 sts

Rnd 3: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts

Rnd 4: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into each of next 2 sts] 6 times. 24 sts

Rnds 5-18: Dc around.

Rnd 19: [1 dc2tog, 1 dc into each of next 2 sts] 6 times. 18 sts

Rnd 20: [1 dc2tog, 1 dc into next st] 6 times. 12 sts

Stuff firmly.

Rnd 21: Dc2tog around. 6 dc

Fasten off.

HEAD

With B, chain 2.

Rnd 1: 6 dc in 2nd ch from hook. 6 sts

Pm to mark end of rnd.

Rnd 2: [2 dc in next st] 6 times. 12 sts

Rnd 3: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts

Rnds 4-6: Dc around.

Rnd 7: [1 dc2tog, 1 dc into each of next 7 sts] twice. 16 sts

Rnd 8: Dc around.

Rnd 9: [1 dc2tog, 1 dc into each of next 6 sts] twice. 14 sts

Rnd 10: Dc around.

Fasten off.



HEAD TRIM

With A, chain 3.

Rnd 1: 3 dc in 2nd ch from hook, 6 dc in last ch, working back along other side of ch, 3 dc in 2nd ch from hook. 12 sts

Rnd 2: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into each of next 5 sts] twice. 14 sts

Rnd 3: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into each of next 6 sts] twice. 16 sts

Rnd 4: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into each of next 7 sts] twice. 18 sts

Rnd 5: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into each of next 8 sts] twice. 20 sts

Rnd 6: Dc around.

Fasten off.

Louise's tip

Add stuffing in small amounts to fill out your toy. Don't overstuff it as it could look lumpy

NECK

With A, chain 13.

Row 1: Starting in 2nd ch from hook, dc across. Turn. 12 sts

Row 2: 1 ch (does not count as st), dc across.

Fasten off.

EARS

Make 2 the same

With B, chain 2.

Rnd 1: 6 dc in 2nd ch from hook. 6 sts

Pm to mark end of rnd.

Rnds 2-5: Dc around.

Fasten off.

LEGS

Make 4 the same

With B, chain 2.

Rnd 1: 6 dc in 2nd ch from hook. 6 sts

Pm to mark end of rnd.

Rnd 2: [2 dc in next st] 6 times. 12 sts

Rnd 3: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into next st] 6 times. 18 sts

Rnds 4-5: Dc around.

Rnd 6: 1 Dc2tog around. 9 sts



(Crocheted version)



Louise says...

Shaun the Sheep is such a funny character, I loved designing these rather cute miniature versions

Rnds 7-18: Dc around. Fasten off.

TAIL

With A, chain 2.

Rnd 1: 6 dc in 2nd ch from hook. 6 sts

Pm to mark end of rnd.

Rnd 2: [2 dc in next st, 1 dc into next st] 3 times. 9 sts

Rnd 3: [2 dc in next st] 9 times. 18 sts

Rnds 4-6: Dc around.

Fasten off.

Finishing

Body: Sew gap closed.

Head: Stuff firmly.

Head Trim: Stuff firmly. Pin to open top of head so edges overlap. Sew

pieces together, drawing in edge of head trim if required.

Neck: Sew ends tog to form a ring. Pin one edge to back of head just below head trim. Sew in place. Stuff neck. Pin other edge to front of body and sew in place.

Eyes: With A, embroider two circles of chain stitches.

Pupils: With B in centre of each eye, make a bullion knot by threading the yarn through five times.

Ears: Pin to sides of head and sew in place.

Legs: Stuff firmly. Pin to underside of body and sew in place.

Tail: Stuff firmly. Pin to back of body and sew in place.

Crochet or knitting project

Knitted Shaun

Knitted Shaun is worked flat then seamed. Use two strands of yarn throughout.

➔ Start knitting...

BODY

With A, cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (WS): [Kfb] 5 times. 10 sts

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: [Kfb] 10 times. 20 sts

Starting with a p row, work 17 rows in Rev St st.

Row 21: [K2tog] 10 times. 10 sts

Row 22: Purl.

Row 23: [K2tog] 5 times. 5 sts

Break yarn and thread through rem sts. Pull tight to fasten.

HEAD & HEAD TRIM

With B, cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (RS): [Kfb] 5 times. 10 sts

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: [Kfb, k1] 5 times. 15 sts

Starting with a p row, work 3 rows in St st.

Row 7: K2, k2tog, k7, k2tog, k2.
13 sts

Row 8: Purl.

Row 9: K2, k2tog, k5, k2tog, k2.
11 sts

Row 10: Purl.

Change to A.

Row 11: [Kfb, k1] twice, k3, [kfb, k1] twice. 15 sts

Starting with a k row, work 4 rows in Rev St st.

Row 16: [K1, k2tog] 5 times. 10 sts

Row 17: [P2tog] 5 times. 5 sts

Break yarn and thread through rem sts. Pull tight to fasten.

NECK

With A, cast on 12 sts.

Row 1: Knit.

Cast off.

EARS

Make 2 the same

With B, cast on 3 sts.

Row 1 (RS): [Kfb] twice, k1. 5 sts

Starting with a p row, work 4 rows in St st.

Cast off.



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LEGS

Make 4 the same

With B, cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (RS): [Kfb] 5 times. 10 sts

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: K1, [kfb, k2] 3 times. 13 sts

Starting with a p row, work 3 rows in St st.

Row 7: K1, [k2tog] 6 times. 7 sts

Starting with a p row, work 11 rows in St st.

Cast off.

TAIL

With A, cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (RS): Purl.

Row 2: [Kfb, k1] twice, k1. 7 sts


Row 3: Purl.

Row 4: [Kfb] 6 times, k1. 13 sts

Starting with a p row, work 3 rows in Rev St st.

Row 8: K1, [k2tog] 6 times. 7 sts

Starting with a p row, work 3 rows in Rev St st.

Cast off. 



Why not try?

Cygnets Yarns Truly Wool 4-ply
205m per 50g; 75% wool, 25%
polyamide, £2.75

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