

## Owl Hat for Elf on a Shelf



**Size Hook:** F

**MATERIAL:**

I used scraps of green, red, white and black

**STITCHES:**

SC=single crochet

Sl st=Slip stitch

HDC=Half double crochet

HDC2tog = Decrease 2 HDC stitches

**HAT:**

Magic Ring

Round 1: Make 6 Sc inside circle and sl st to first st

Round 2: Make 2 Sc in each, sl st to first st (12)

Round 3: Make 2 sc in first st, sc in next, continue around, sl st to first st (18)

Round 4: Make 2 sc in first st, Sc in next 2 sts, sl st to first st (24)

Round 5: Make 2 sc in first st, sc in next 3 sts, sl st to first st (30)

Round 6-9: Make HDC st in each around, sl st to first st (30)

\*Start first ear flap

Row 10: Make 6 HDC. Ch 1, turn (6)

Row 11: Hdc2tog, Hdc in next 2 sts, Hdc2tog, Ch 1 turn (4)

Row 12: Hdc across, Ch 1, turn (4)  
Row 13: Hdc2tog, Hdc2tog, Ch 1 turn (2)  
Row 14: Hdc across, Ch 1, turn (2)  
Row 15: Hdc2tog  
Tie off

#### Ear flap 2

\* Fold hat in half leaving slightly more stitches in the front of the hat than in the back. Place second earflap to line up with the first earflap.

#### Attach yarn

Row 1: Make 6 HDC. Ch 1, turn (6)  
Row 2: Hdc2tog, Hdc in next 2 sts, Hdc2tog, Ch 1 turn (4)  
Row 3: Hdc across, Ch 1, turn (4)  
Row 4: Hdc2tog, Hdc2tog, Ch 1 turn (2)  
Row 5: Hdc across, Ch 1, turn (2)  
Row 6: Hdc2tog  
Tie off

Attach red yarn and Sc all around hat

#### **EYES: MAKE 2**

With black

Magic Circle

Round 1: make 6 Sc in circle, sl st to first st (6)

Change to white

Round 2: 2 Sc in each st around, sl st to first st (12)

Round 3: Make 2 Hdc in first st, Hdc in next 2 sts, continue around, sl st to first st (18)

Tie off, leaving a long tail to attach to hat

#### **NOSE:**

I used the red yarn to stitch the nose between the 2 eyes

#### **EARS:**

I used the red & green yarn, pulled through the 3<sup>rd</sup> row of top of hat and tied a knot, I cut to desired liking

#### **BRAIDS:**

I took the red & green yarn, just cut 1 each, pulled through the bottom of the earflap and braided. I tied a knot at the bottom and cut off extra

**All Done!**

I hope you enjoy it. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask.

Thank you again

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