

CROCHET PATTERN

GILFEATHER TURNIP HAT

Yarn weight: worsted (medium weight) 

Yarn colors: Any Green and White/ Cream

Hook size: K /10.5 (6.5mm) or as needed for gauge

Gauge: 10 half-double-crochet and 12 rows
= 4" (10 cm) in pattern

Sizes:

Small – to fit 20" head circumference

Medium – to fit 22" circumference

Note: pattern is worked top down in the round; the right side is always facing out. For more ease, work loosely.

Special abbreviations:

hdc – half-double-crochet

1. Yarn over and insert the crochet hook into the stitch.

2. Yarn over again and pull the yarn through the stitch.

You should now have three loops on the hook.

3. Yarn over one more time and pull the yarn through all three loops.

Inc – increase – work 2 half-double-crochet into space or stitch as indicated

FPhdc – work a half-double-crochet around the *front of the post* of the stitch indicated

BPhdc – work a half-double-crochet around the *back of the post* of the stitch indicated

BEGIN HAT – Green yarn

Wrap yarn around your finger with the yarn tail to the left and *under* the working yarn. Insert hook through the circle from front to back. Yarn over the hook using the working yarn and pull through loop; chain 1.

Release the yarn circle around your finger gently.

Do not tighten the ring yet.

1st round Chain 2 (always count this as one hdc), work 9 hdc into the yarn ring, then tighten by pulling slowly on the yarn tail. Count: 10 hdc in the circle.

2nd round – (this is an Increase round) Chain 2, hdc in first space (count this as one Inc), Inc in each space between each hdc of first round. Slip stitch into first chain to join the round. Count: 20 hdc.

3rd round Chain 2, hdc in space between each stitch around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round.

4th round – (this is an Increase round)

Chain 2, hdc in first space (count this as one Inc),

*Inc in next space (this means make 2 hdc),

hdc in next space.* Repeat from * to * around.

Slip stitch into first chain to join round.

Count: 30 hdc.

5th round Chain 2, hdc in space between each stitch around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round.

6th round – (this is an Increase round) Chain 2, hdc in first space (count this as one Inc), hdc in next two spaces. *Inc in next space, hdc in next two spaces.* Repeat from * to * around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round. Count: 40 hdc.

7th round Chain 2, hdc in space between each stitch around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round.

OPTION: continue just one or two more rounds in Green or **change to White/Cream yarn at this round.**

SMALL size only

8th round (this is an Increase round) Chain 2, hdc in first space (count this as first Inc), hdc in next 7 spaces. *Inc in next space, 7 hdc in next 7 spaces.* Repeat from * to * around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round. Count: 45 hdc.

9th round Chain 2, hdc in first space (count this as an Inc), hdc in each space around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round. Count: 46 hdc.

MEDIUM size only

8th round (this is an Increase round) Chain 2, hdc in first space (counts as an Inc), hdc in next 3 spaces. *Inc in next space, hdc in next 3 spaces.* Repeat from * to * around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round. Count: 50 hdc.

9th round Chain 2, hdc in space between each stitch around. Slip stitch into first chain to join round.

Continue to length

Repeat this row:

Chain 2, hdc in space between each stitch around. Slip stitch to first chain to join round.

SMALL work at least 8 more rounds

MEDIUM work at least 11 more rounds

BRIM OF HAT –(looks like ribbing)

1st round Chain 2 (count this as first BPhdc), FPhdc in next stitch. *BPhdc in next stitch, FPhdc in next stitch* Repeat from * to * around. Slip stitch to first chain to join round.

2nd round Chain 2 (count this as first BPhdc), FPhdc in next FPhdc. *BPhdc in next BPhdc, FPhdc in next FPhdc* Repeat from * to * around. Slip stitch to first chain to join round.

3rd round Chain 2 (count this as first BPhdc), FPhdc in next FPhdc. *BPhdc in next BPhdc, FPhdc in next FPhdc* Repeat from * to * around. Slip stitch to first chain to join round.

OPTION: make a wider BRIM with more repeats of 3rd round.

Finish BRIM, leave a long tail. Weave in ends with darning needle. Sew on leaves. Block hat and leaves.



CROCHET LEAVES

Make and attach 3, 4, or 5 leaves; leaves do not all have to be the same size. Use darning needle to sew leaves to the top of the hat.

For a leaf about 4 inches long - using Green yarn:

- Chain 11.
- In second chain from hook, single crochet in each chain to last chain, then work 3 single crochet in last chain.
- Working in the free loops on the other edge of the chain, single crochet in next chain, half-double crochet in next 2 chains, double crochet in next 3 chains, half double crochet in next 2 chains, single crochet in last chain.
- Working on the next side, 3 single crochet in first chain, single crochet in next chain, half double crochet in next 2 chains, double crochet in next 3 chains, half double crochet in next 2 chains, single crochet in next chain, slip stitch in next chain.
- Finish off and securely sew one end of each leaf to the top of the hat.



To donate the finished Turnip Hat =
Please add a tag with the material used – wool, cotton, acrylic, etc.

Please add a tag with your name and email or address.

Hats may be dropped off at Wardsboro Public Library, 170 Main Street, Wardsboro
Open Tues & Wed 10-5 / Thurs 2-7 / Sat 10-2

There is a supply of free green and white yarn to make turnip hats at the library. Ask the Librarian about it.

For questions about the pattern email
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