

CHILDRENS CROCHET PONCHOS

in Peter Pan DK and Wendy Shimmer

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Knitted in Peter Pan D.K.
Shade: 300 Pure White
and Wendy Shimmer
Shade: 2043 Candy Floss

Instructions given for 40.5-45.5 cm. (16-18 inch) Chest, larger sizes given in round brackets. Where only one figure is given this applies to all sizes.

MATERIALS AND MEASUREMENTS

To Fit Chest/Bust Sizes	40.5-45.5 16-18	51-56 20-22	56-61 22-24	61-66 24-26	cm. ins.
No actual sizes. The design is loose so the garment is generous.					
Peter Pan D.K. (50g.)	3	4	4	5	Balls
Wendy Shimmer (50g.)	1	1	1	1	Ball
1 - 3.5 mm. (U.K. 9 - U.S.A E/4) Crochet Hook.					

Please note that the limitations of the printing process mean the actual colour will not always precisely match the colours in the photograph.

IMPORTANT

Use only the Wendy yarn specified. We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used. It is essential to work to the tension stated. The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

ABBREVIATIONS

ch. - chain; **tr.** - treble; **dc.** - double crochet; **dtr.** - double treble; **sp.** - space; **st(s)** - stitch(es); **rept.** - repeat; **ss.** - slip stitch; **cm.** - centimetres; **ins.** - inches.

TENSION

It is important to check your tension before commencing the garment.

With 3.5 mm. Hook work 9tr. x 5 rows = 5 cm. x 5 cm. (2 ins. x 2 ins.)

If there are too many stitches to 5 cm., then your tension is tight and you will need to change your hook to a larger size. If there are too few stitches to 5 cm., then your tension is loose and you will need to change your hook to a smaller size.

Make 64 (72, 80, 88) join with ss., do not twist chain.

Row 1 - 3ch. then all in this st., work 1tr., 2ch., 2tr., * (1sp., 2tr. in next st.) rept. from * 6 (7, 8, 9) times 1sp. ** then all in next st. work 2tr., 2ch., 2tr., rept. from * around ending at ** now join with ss. to top of tuning chain.

Row 2 - ss. into 2ch. sp. all in this work, 3ch., 1tr., 2ch., 2tr., * (now in first sp. work between the 2tr. and work 2tr. 7 (8, 9, 10) times, ** then in 2nd. ch. sp. work (this is a corner) 2tr., 2ch., 2tr., now rept. from * around ending at ** join with ss. to turning ch. rept. last row, this will increase naturally ie; this row rept. will be 8 (9, 10, 11) times.

Continue working this row until you have required. length 19 (22, 22, 24) rows.

Fringe

Fold a length of yarn about 61 cm. 24 ins. long in half then in half again, thread the folded end through the work and thread the long end through the loops, don't pull too tightly it pulls work out of shape.

To add Shimmer

This is surfaced crocheted onto the poncho once done it forms a ridge to make the shimmer stand out.

Rejoin shimmer to last but one row of finished item (and at any corner) then working into the fronts of sts. work 1 ch. (then 1dc. around the front post of next st. and each st. around on this same row. Tie off.

Work around the neck in the same way.

Add a twisted cord and pom poms if required.



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40.5-66 cm.

(16-26 ins.)

