



Micro Monkeys

Supplies needed:

Small amounts of yarn, You can use any weight you choose

F hook for sports and worsted weight yarn,

E hook for baby yarn

Fiberfill

Stitch marker, or safety pin

Small buttons for eyes (optional)

4 Strong magnets for hands and feet (available at JoAnn Fabrics) optional

Pipe cleaner for tail

Terms used.

Sc = single crochet

Slp st = slip stitch

Sc-dec = single crochet decrease

FO = Finish off

Please do not sell pattern. Feel free to sell completed items made from pattern.

Monkeys are about 6 inches tall when completed with baby yarn.

Pattern is worked in one continuous spiral, unless otherwise noted.

Starting at head and working down

With appropriate hook size for your yarn choice, Ch 2

1) 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook

2) 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)
 3) (2sc in next sc, sc in next sc) repeat around. (18 sc)
 4) (2sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc) repeat around. (24sc)
 5-8) sc in each sc around.
 9) (sc-dec, sc in next 2 sc) repeat around (18 sc)
 10) (sc-dec, sc in next sc) repeat around (12 sc)
STUFF HEAD
 11) sc-dec around (6 sc)
 12) 2 sc in each sc around (12 sc)
 13) (2 sc in first sc, sc in next sc) repeat around (18 sc)
 14-17) sc in each sc around
 18) (sc-dec, sc in next sc) repeat around (12 sc)
Stuff body
 19) sc-dec around (6 sc)
 Slp st to next sc
 FO
 Use tail to sew monkey bottom shut.



Arms/legs (make 4)

Ch 2
 1) 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook (5 sc)
 2) 2 sc in each sc around (10 sc)
 3-4) sc in each sc around
Insert magnet now (optional) stuff foot with small amount of fiberfill
If using magnets, please see additional note at end of pattern before continuing
 5) sc-dec around (5 sc)
 6-16) sc in each sc around
 Slp st to next sc
 FO leaving longer tail for sewing

Tail

Ch 2

1) 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook

2-18) sc in each sc around

Slp st to next sc

FO leaving long tail for sewing



Face

Starting at nose, Ch 4

1) sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, 3 sc in last ch from hook, working on underside of ch, sc in middle ch, sc in last ch from hook. (You will have 8 sc)

Join to first sc made Ch 1

2) sc in each sc around. Join, ch 2

3) TURN, in BLO, 2 dc in first sc, sc in next 2 sc, 2 dc in next sc, ch 1, slp st to next sc.

FO leaving LONG tail for sewing to face.

Outer ears (make 2)

With main color, ch 2

- 1) 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook, ch 1, turn (do not join)
 - 2) 2 sc in each sc around (10 sc)
- FO leaving longer tail

Inner ear contrast (make 2)

With contrast color, ch 2

- 1) 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook

FO leaving long tail.

Use tail to sew contrast ear to outer ear

Sew face to monkey

Sew or embroider eyes just above nose

Sew ears to monkey head

Sew arms and legs to monkey

Bend one end of pipe cleaner over, so the end isn't sharp

If tail is tight, use blunt side of hook to open it up a bit

Thread pipe cleaner up tail, to tail end

Snip end of pipe cleaner so it sticks out of tail ½ inch

Push pipe cleaner end of tail into monkey's tush.

Sew tail into place

A note about using magnets:

When putting the magnets in the arms, make sure that the magnets are placed so they attract to each other, not oppose each other. Otherwise, the hands won't stay together.

If you want the hands to sit on the feet, make sure the left hand and left foot attract to each other, same with the right side.

Magnets are not recommended for children's toys.