

Minnie Mouse Inspired Headband

Materials:

- Headband
- WW Black Yarn
- WW Red Yarn (or any color you wish your bow to be)
(I used Red Heart Super Saver Yarn)
- G/4.25 hook
- Plastic Canvas
- Scissors
- Tapestry Needle

MR – Magic Ring

Ch -Chain

DC – Double Crochet

R – Round/Row

FO -Fasten off

FDC – Foundation Double Crochet

Sl St – Slip Stitch

St - Stitch



Grab your headband. (I like to get the headbands that have the little grippers inside. This helps to keep the yarn in place. If you cannot find a headband with these use a bit of hot glue to secure the ends to ensure the yarn won't slide around the headband.)

Now wrap your yarn around your headband. Doesn't have to be fancy but make sure you wrap it enough that the headband is not showing through.



Next, you will make ears. Using your G/4.25 hook and black yarn. Ch 2 does not count as a st.

R1: MR, Ch 2, 12 DC in MR, join to first DC. (12 DC)

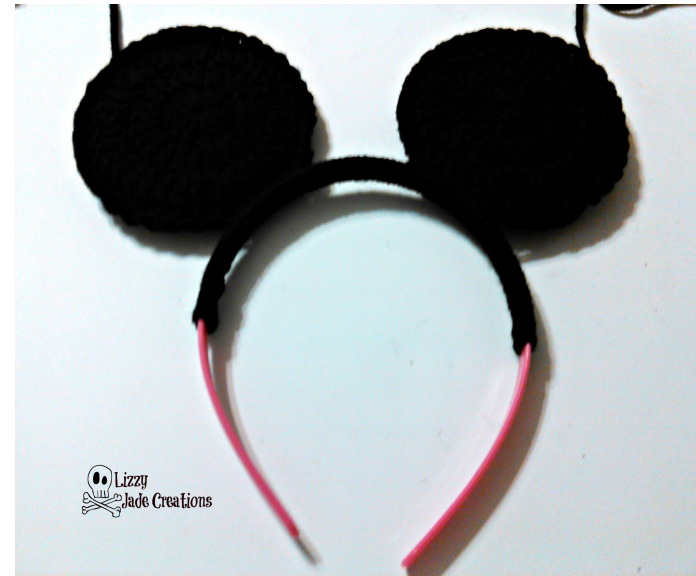
R2: Ch 2, 2 DC in each around, join to first DC. (24 DC)

R3: Ch 2, 2 DC in same st as Ch 2, DC in next, * 2 DC, DC in next* Repeat * to * around. (36 DC)

Fasten off, weave in ends. Now make a second one with the same pattern only this time do not fasten off. Leave the second ear on your hook and grab your plastic canvas.

Using your first ear you made trace a circle on your plastic canvas. Cut out the circle. Now make a sandwich of your two ears. Make sure your ears have the wrong sides facing each other. Put the plastic canvas in between the ears. Now SC around the entire ear. FO leaving a long tail to fasten on to the headband.

Now, repeat this step again for the other ear.



Now, attach your ears to your headband using your tapestry needle. They may not be too sturdy and stand up on their own yet but that is okay. Let's move on to the bow.

For the bow:

Using your G/4.25 hook and Red yarn (or any other color you wish) Ch 2 does not count as a st.

R1: 30 FDC, join to the first DC. (30 DC)

R2: Ch 2, DC around, join to the first DC.

R3-5: Ch 2, DC around, join to the first DC.

FO leaving a really long tail of about 1.5 to 2 yards.

Pinch the middle of the bow and wrap the tail around the middle. Make sure you leave a small amount of tail to sew your bow to the headband and ears.

Now, fasten your bow to your headband in the same manner you did your ears. Using some scrap yarn, tack and secure the top corners of your bow to your ears. This will make your ears more sturdy and everything will stand up correctly.

Make sure you weave in all your ends. You are ready to enjoy!



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