



Chris the Koala

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Difficulty: Intermediate
Crochet hook: 2.5 mm
Materials: Tapestry needle,

Safety eyes (7 mm), teddybear stuffing. **Yarn:** Rainbow Cotton 8/4 Melange,

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Light Grey Melange (01) - 1 skein

Mint (024) - 1 skein Black (009) - 1 skein

Buy the yarn here:

http://shop.hobbii.com/chris-the-koala

Abbreviations:

MR - Magic ring ch - chain stitch sc - single crochet sl st - slip stitch

sc2in1 - make 2 sc in 1 stitch

sc2tog - make 1 sc over 2 stitches

[...] - number of sts {...} - number of rows

(...) - repeat



Here is a video of the technique used in the instructions:

Magic ring: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BV S5wfwqOk

Head

Using Light Grey Melange (01):

R1: 6 sc in a MR [6] **R2**: (sc2in1) 6x [12]

R3: (1 sc, sc2in1) 6x [18] **R4**: (2 sc, sc2in1) 6x [24]

R5: (3 sc, sc2in1) 6x [30]

R6: (4 sc, sc2in1) 6x [36]

R7: (5 sc, sc2in1) 6x [42]

R8-14: 1 sc in every st {7 rounds} [42]

Place the eyes between R10 and R11 with 8 sc in between.

R15: (5 sc, sc2tog) 6x [36]

Fill the head with stuffing as you work.

R16: (4 sc, sc2tog) 6x [30] **R17:** (3 sc, sc2tog) 6x [24] **R18:** (2 sc, sc2tog) 6x [18]

Cut the yarn with a long tail to sew the head on to the body and bind off.

Nose

Using Black (009)

R1: ch 5, then starting in the second st from the hook, sc in the next 3 sts, 3 in the next st, continue working along the other edge, sc in the next 2 sts, sc2in1 in the last st. [10]
R2: sc2in1, sc in the next 3 sts, sc2in1 in both of the next two sts, sc in the next 3 sts,

sc2in1. [14]

R3: sl st in every st [14]

Cut yarn with a long tail to sew on to the head and bind off. Place the nose between the eyes with the top point at R7 of the head. Secure with small stitches.



Ears

Using Light Grey Melange (01), make 2:

R1: 6 sc in a MR [6] R2: (sc2in1) 6x [12] R3: (1 sc, sc2in1) 6x [18] R4: (2 sc, sc2in1) 6x [24]

R5-8: 1 sc in every st {4 rounds} [24]

Cut yarn with a long tail to sew on to the head and bind off. Fasten to the top of the head from R2 to R9. See picture.





Body

Using Light Grey Melange (01) and Mint (024):

Begin with Light Grey Melange.

R1: 6 sc in a MR [6] **R2:** (sc2in1) 6x [12]

R3: (1 sc, sc2in1) 6x [18]

R4: (2 sc, sc2in1) 6x [24]

R5: (3 sc, sc2in1) 6x [30]

R6: (4 sc, sc2in1) 6x [36]

R7: (5 sc, sc2in1) 6x [42] **R8:** (6 sc, sc2in1) 6x [48]

R9: (7 sc, sc2in1) 6x [54]

R10-14: 1 sc in every st {5 rounds} [54]



Switch to Mint:

R15: (7 sc, sc2tog) 6x [48]
R16: 1 sc in every st [48]
R17: (6 sc, sc2tog) 6x [42]
R18: 1 sc in every st [42]
R19: (5 sc, sc2tog) 6x [36]
R20: 1 sc in every st [36]
R21: (4 sc, sc2tog) 6x [30]
Fill with stuffing as you work.
R22: 1 sc in every st [30]
R23: (3 sc, sc2tog) 6x [24]
R24: 1 sc in every st [24]
R25: (2 sc, sc2tog) 6x [18]

Cut yarn, bind off and sew the head on to the body.

Arms

Using Light Grey Melange (01) and Mint (024):

Begin with Light Grey Melange:

R1: 6 sc in a MR [6] **R2**: (sc2in1) 6x [12]

R3-6: 1 sc in every st {4 rounds} [12]

Switch to Mint:

R7: 1 sc in every st [12] **R8:** (2 sc, sc2tog) 3x [9]

Fill the hand and arm with stuffing until R14, then stop.

R9-18: 1 sc in every st {10 rounds} [9]

R19: (1 sc, sc2tog) 3x [6]

Cut yarn with a long tail and thread the tail through the front loops of R19. Tighten and bind off. Make the other arm in the same manner. Sew the arms to R25 of the body.



Legs

Using Light Grey Melange (01), make 2:

R1: 6 sc in a MR [6] **R2**: (sc2in1) 6x [12] **R3**: (1 sc, sc2in1) 6x [18]

R4-6: 1 sc in every st {3 rounds} [18]

Cut the yarn with a long tail and bind off. Fill with stuffing and sew them onto the front of the body at R7. See picture below.





Tail Using Light Grey Melange (01)

R1: 6 sc in a MR [6] **R2:** (sc2in1) 6x [12]

R3-4: 1 sc in every st {2 rounds} [12]

Cut yarn with a long tail and sew the tail to the body, on the back at R5.



Button strap

Using Mint (024)

R1: ch 34, then start in the second st from the hook. Sc in every st. [33] Bind off and sew the strap to the body. Start by fastening it at the bottom of the color change from grey to mint, then underneath the chin, loop it around the neck and end by fastening underneath the chin. Sew it using small stitches.

Buttons

Using Mint (024), make 3:

R1: 6 sc in a MR. [6] Bind off and sew onto the button strap as shown in the pictures below.





Enjoy!
With love,

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