

## PomPom Hat with Ear Flaps



### Materials

(Color A) 1 Skein Caron Simply Soft Worsted Weight (4)

(Color B) 1 Skein Caron Simply Soft Worsted Weight (4)

1 Size H-8 Crochet Hook

1 pair of 2.5 inch (dia) Pom Pom disk

### Hat

1. (Color A) chain 4 and join
2. rd1= chain 2, dc 9 times into the center of the circle you made^ - join (don't turn at all)
3. rd2= chain 2, dc twice into each dc - join
4. rd3= chain 2, follow pattern-> 2 dc, 1 dc into each stitch of rd2 - join
5. (Color B) rd4= chain 2, follow pattern-> 2 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc into each stitch - join
6. (Color A) rd5= chain 2, follow pattern-> 2 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc into each stitch - join
7. rd6= chain 2, follow pattern-> 2 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc into each stitch - join
8. (Color B) rd7= chain 2, follow pattern-> 2 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc, 1 dc into each stitch - join
9. (Color A) rd8-9= chain 2, 1 dc in each stitch - join
10. (Color B) rd 10= chain 2, 1 dc in each stitch - join
11. (Color A) rd 11= chain 2, 1 dc in each stitch - join
12. rd 12= 1 sc in each stitch - join
13. rd 13= 1 sc in each stitch - join & tie off

### Ear Flaps

1. fold hat in half with "sides" in middle, mark off 12 stitches
2. (Color A) 1 sc in 12 stitches - turn
3. 1 stitch in next 11 stitches - turn
4. repeat through until 1 stitch remains - tie off
5. Repeat for other flap

### Edging

1. starting at end of rd 13 (Color B) sc around edge [3 sc at point of flaps] – tie off

### Ties

1. (Colors A&B) Join to point of Ear Flap with sc
2. Work a tight chain to desired length. Leave a tail of about 1", tie off then fray tail
3. Repeat for other flap

### PomPom

1. Cut 2 2.5" diameter disks out of cardboard, cut a hole in the center of each about size of a Quarter
2. Unroll 2 or 3 arms' length of Colors A & B
3. With disks together, wrap yarn around the "donut" numerous times (the more yarn, the fuller the pom-pom)
4. with sharp scissors carefully slide one edge between outer edge of disks and cut yarn all the way around
5. carefully insert Color A yarn between disks to wrap around center of cut yarn
6. carefully pull tightly and tie into square knot with tails of about 2 inches
7. insert tails into hole at top of hat
8. wind Colors A & B around 2 Or 3 times and cut
9. place this cluster between the tails and tie 2 or 3 times to form a "button"