

# Planet Penny Crochet Heart and Pompom Bunting

Make this jolly Heart and Pompom Bunting to bring a touch of Springtime to your room...

Multi-coloured hearts interspersed with jolly pompoms makes this bunting perfect for celebrations, or to add a touch of individuality to a shelf unit or dresser. Looks great in the nursery too!

I used Stylecraft Special DK yarn and a 4mm hook for this, it's a great project for using up all the short lengths left over from a crochet blanket.

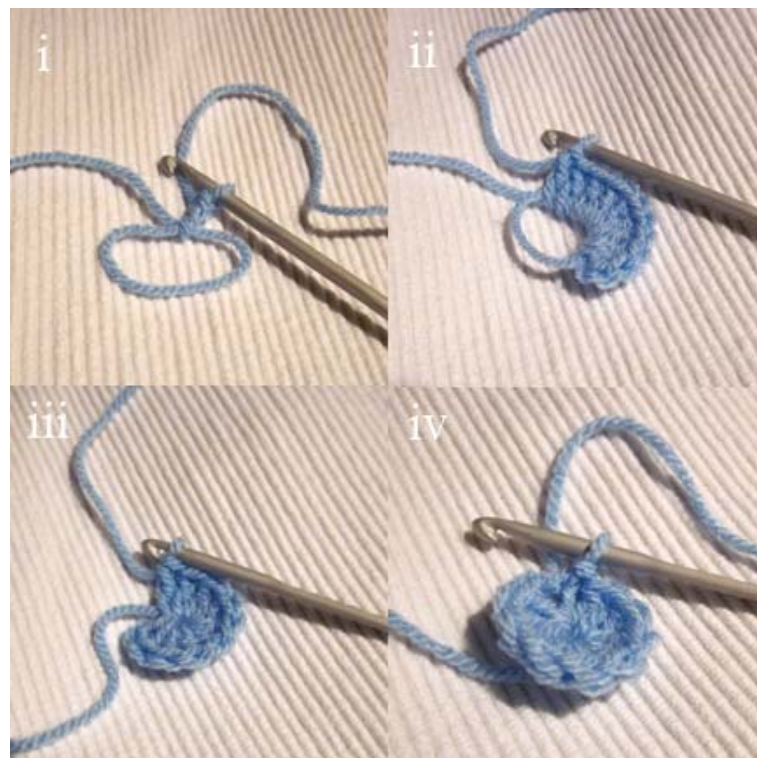
## **Abbreviations:** (British terms\*\*)

ss Slip stitch  
ch Chain  
dc Double crochet  
tr Treble crochet



## **Crochet Heart**

**Row 1:** Make loop of yarn and into this work 2ch to stand as 1st tr, then 10 tr and join with ss make a circle. Pull the end of the yarn to close the central space. (figs i – iv)



**Row 2:** 4 tr into top of next tr, 3 dc into next 3tr. In next tr work 1 dc, 1 tr, then make picot at point of heart by working 2ch then ss into top of tr just worked, 1dc. Dc into next 3 tr, 4 tr into next tr, ss to complete round. Cut off yarn.(figs v – xiii)



**Row 3:** (Join 2<sup>nd</sup> colour by pulling a loop through ss and then working the second row over the ends to enclose them.) 2 dc, 2 dc into next 2 st. dc to picot, 3 dc in picot, 5 dc then 2 dc into next 2 st 2 dc, join with ss. Cut off yarn and pull through.(figs xiv – xviii)



Make as many hearts as required. Using your chosen colour make a short chain, make 1 dc in top of heart 2ch 1dc in other side of heart, 4 ch 1 dc in next heart and repeat to end.



## Pompoms

Cut a length of yarn about 6" long and make a slip knot in the middle. .

Take another length of yarn in the same colour and wind round three fingers 20 times and cut. Put the loops through the slip knot and pull it tight trapping the loops and tie another knot to hold it. Use the ends of the yarn as a handle and cut through the loops. Trim the ends into a neat pompom. Use the tails to stitch a pompom between each heart.



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