

# Bebe Beanie

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A preemie crochet beanie pattern by @5chubbyfingers for Little Hats Big Hearts 2020

For the littlest of humans- the Bebe beanie is a simple preemie crochet beanie that will work for both boys and girls. Crocheting with the third loop at the back only creates an added striped texture to your basic beanie. This is a free pattern for Cebu Crochet Group's annual Little Hats Big Hearts project, and dedicated to my mama who is the "baby" in her family.

**Materials:** 6ply cotton yarn (sport weight) & 4mm crochet hook

**Measurements:** 4" height, 11-12" circumference

**Abbreviations (US Terms):**

hdc- half double crochet

inc- 2 hdc in 1 st

3blo- the third loop at the back only

rep- repeat

**Notes:** You may work in a spiral and use a stitch marker. Or chain up using whatever method you prefer.

**2 Stripes Pattern**

R1: 10 hdc in magic circle (10)

R2: inc in every st (20)

R3: \*1 hdc, inc \*rep (30)

R4: \*2 hdc, inc \*rep (40)

R5: \*3 hdc, inc \*rep (50)

R6-9: hdc in 3blo in every st (4 rounds total-50)

R10-13: hdc in every st (Be sure to insert both loops this time: 4 rounds total-50)

R14-16: hdc in 3blo in every st (3 rounds total- 50)

Fasten off and weave ends.

**3 Stripes Pattern**

R1: 10 hdc in magic circle (10)

R2: inc in every st (20)

R3: \*1 hdc, inc \*rep (30)

R4: \*2 hdc, inc \*rep (40)

R5: \*3 hdc, inc \*rep (50)

R6-8: hdc in 3blo in every st (3 rounds total-50)

R9-10: hdc in every st (Be sure to insert both front loops this time: 2 rounds total-50)

R11-13: hdc in 3blo in every st (3 rounds total- 50)

R14-15: hdc in every st (Be sure to insert both front loops this time: 2 rounds total-50)

R16-17: hdc in 3blo in every st (2 rounds total- 50)

Fasten off and weave ends.