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**„PIXIE THE BIRTHDAY PARTY PLANNER“**

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### SIZE

Approx. 15 cm (6 in) in height  
Body: 6 x 6 cm (2¼ x 2¼ in)  
Arm: 4 x 1 cm (1½ x ½ in)  
Head: 5 x 5 cm (2 x 2 in)  
Ear: 2 cm (¾ in)  
Present: 3 x 2.5 cm (1 x ¾ in)  
Cake: 4.5 x 5 cm (1¾ x 2 in)

### TOOLS AND MATERIALS

Rico Ricorumi dk  
Shade 056 (brown) 25 g  
Shade 017 (purple) 3 g  
Shade 005 (yellow) 3 g  
Shade 007 (pink) 3 g  
Shade 033 (light blue) 3 g  
Shade 001 (white) 1 g  
Shade 060 (black) yarn remnant  
Rico crochet hook 2.5 mm  
Rico embroidery needle / Rico tapestry needle  
Rico synthetic stuffing / Rico stitch marker

### TENSION

26 sts and 26 rows over dc  
using 2.5 mm hook = 10 x 10 cm (4 x 4 in).

### ABBREVIATIONS (UK-TERMS (US-TERMS))

approx	approximately
beg	beginning
BLO	back loop only
ch	chain
cont	continue
dc (sc)	double crochet
dc2tog (sc2tog)	work 2 double crochet sts together to decrease
FLO	front loop only
htr (hdc)	half treble crochet
in	inch
rem	remaining
rnd	round
sl st	slip stitch
st(s)	stitch(es)
t-ch	turning chain
tr (dc)	treble crochet

### SPECIAL STITCHES

Bubble Stitch (htr4tog in 1 st)  
Picot Stitch (make 1 ch + 2 t-ch, turn, 1 sl st into 3rd ch from hook)  
Crab stitch double crochet (dc):  
Worked from left to right: insert hook front to back in next st on the right, yo and draw yarn through st, yo and draw yarn through 2 loops on hook. Rep steps for each st.

### NOTE

All individual parts must be sewn on securely. Small parts may be swallowed. If the gift is not sewn on, it is a small part that could be swallowed.

### HEAD AND BODY (MADE IN ONE PIECE)

Fill with stuffing as you go along.

**Rnd 1:** In brown, working into a yarn loop (magic ring), 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [1 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [3 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 6:** 2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st, [4 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 5 times, 2 dc (sc). 36 sts.

**Rnds 7 – 13:** 36 dc (sc).

**Rnd 14:** 2 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts, [4 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 5 times, 2 dc (sc). 30 sts.

**Rnd 15:** [3 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 16:** [2 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 17:** [1 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 18:** [1 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 19:** 18 dc (sc).

**Rnd 20:** [2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 21:** 24 dc (sc).

**Rnd 22:** [3 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 23:** 2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st, [4 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 5 times, 2 dc (sc). 36 sts.

**Rnd 24:** [5 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 42 sts.

**Rnds 25 – 30:** 42 dc (sc).

**Rnd 31:** [5 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 36 sts.

**Rnd 32:** 2 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts, [4 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 5 times, 2 dc (sc). 30 sts.

**Rnd 33:** [3 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 34:** [2 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 35:** [1 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 36:** [Dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 6 sts.

Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Cut yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail.

With a tapestry needle, thread tail through FLO of rem 6 sts, pull tight to close opening and weave in end. Using black and white thread, embroider 2 surprised eyes, as illustrated, over Rnds 9 and 10, either side of snout, 6 sts apart. Finally embroider 2 diagonal lines over each eye as eyebrows.

### LEGS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** In brown, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** BLO, 12 dc (sc).

**Rnd 4:** 12 dc (sc).

**Rnd 5:** [dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 3 times, 6 dc (sc). 9 sts.

**Rnds 6 – 9:** 9 dc (sc).

Close rnd with a sl st in next st. Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail. Use end tail to sew legs to sides of Body, over rnds 30 and 31.

### ARMS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** In brown, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnds 2 – 9:** 12 dc (sc).

Do not fill with stuffing. Fold flat, close opening with 3 dc (sc) through both layers. 1 sl st in next st. Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail, (approx. 20 cm – 8 in).

Use end tails to sew Arms to sides of Body, over rnds 20 and 21.

### EARS (MAKE 2)

**Rnd 1:** In brown, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** 12 dc (sc).

Close rnd with a sl st in next st. Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail (approx. 20 cm – 8 in). Use end tails to sew Ears to Head over rnds 7 and 8, over 2 sts.

### SNOUT

**Rnd 1:** In brown, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** 12 dc (sc).

Close rnd with a sl st in next st. Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail (approx. 20 cm – 8 in). Sew to centre of face over rnds 11 – 14, filling lightly with stuffing.

Use black yarn remnant to embroider a T- shape on the Snout.



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### TAIL

**Rnd 1:** In brown, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** 12 dc (sc).

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog)] 3 times. 9 sts.  
Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail (approx. 20 cm – 8 in).

Using end tail sew to back of Bear over rnds 31 – 32, filling lightly with stuffing.

### COLLAR

Work in rows. In blue, make 16 ch + 1 t-ch, turn.

**Row 1:** Starting with 2nd ch from hook, [2 dc (sc) in next st] 16 times, turn. 32 sts.

**Row 2:** 1 ch, [2 dc (sc) in next st] 32 times, turn. 64 sts.

**Row 3:** 1 ch, 64 dc (sc).

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail (approx. 20 cm – 8 in).

Place round neck.

Using end tail, sew ends together at the back.

### HAT

**Rnd 1:** In purple, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [1 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 9 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [3 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 15 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [4 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 6:** 18 dc (sc).

**Rnd 7:** [5 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 21 sts.

**Rnd 8:** 21 dc (sc).

**Rnd 9:** [6 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 24 sts.

Change to yellow. Work 1 rnd of crab stitches. Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail.

Using tail, sew to Head between Ears, fill lightly with stuffing.

### POMPON

**Rnd 1:** In blue, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

Rnds 2 – 3: 6 dc (sc).

Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail. Using a tapestry needle, thread tail through FLO of rem 6 sts. Weave in end.

### CAKE (OUTSIDE)

**Rnd 1:** In pink, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [1 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [3 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 30 sts.

**Rnd 6:** BLO 30 sts.

**Rnds 7 – 10:** 30 dc (sc).

Change to yellow.

**Rnd 11:** [1 bubble st, 1 sl st] 15 times.

Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, weave in end.

### CAKE (INSIDE)

**Rnd 1:** In purple, working into a magic ring, 6 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 6 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 3:** [1 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 4:** [2 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 6 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 5:** [7 dc (sc), 2 dc (sc) in next st] 3 times. 27 sts.

**Rnd 6:** BLO 27 sts.

**Rnd 7:** 27 dc (sc).

**Rnd 8:** [7 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 3 times. 24 sts.

**Rnd 9:** [2 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 18 sts.

**Rnd 10:** [1 dc (sc), dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 12 sts.

**Rnd 11:** [dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 6 times. 6 sts.

Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail. Using a tapestry needle, thread tail through FLO of rem 6 sts. Weave in end. Sew to inside of base with a few sts.

### CANDLE

**Rnd 1:** In blue, working into a magic ring, 5 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 5 sts.

**Rnd 2:** BLO 5 dc (sc).

**Rnd 3:** 5 dc (sc).

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail, (approx. 30 cm, 12 in), for sewing.

Sew last rnd to inside of Cake.

### FLAME

In yellow, working into a magic ring, 1 dc (sc), 1 htr (hdc), 1 tr, 1 picot, 1 tr, 1 htr (hdc), 1 dc (sc). 6 sts.

Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail, (approx. 30 cm, 12 in), for sewing.

Sew Flame to centre of magic ring of Candle.

### PRESENT

**Rnd 1:** In blue, working into a magic ring, 8 dc (sc). Cont working in a spiral in continuous rnds. 8 sts.

**Rnd 2:** [2 dc (sc) in next st] 8 times. 16 sts.

**Rnd 3:** BLO, 16 dc (sc).

**Rnds 4 – 8:** 12 dc (sc).

Rnd 9: BLO, [dc2tog (sc2tog) over next 2 sts] 8 times. 8 sts.

Close rnd with a sl st in next st.

Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail.

Using a tapestry needle, thread tail through FLO of rem 8 sts. Weave in end.

### RIBBON

Make 48 ch, and wind chain round Present as illustrated, attach at top and bottom with a few sts.

### BOW

**Rnd 1:** In pink, working into a magic ring, [3 ch, 2 tr, 3 ch, 1 sl st] 2 times.

Close to a rnd with a sl st in next st. Break yarn and fasten off, leaving a long tail, (approx. 30 cm, 12 in).

Close magic ring tightly. Wind end tail round centre of Bow. Sew Bow to top of Present.

