



Free Craft Pattern

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SESAME FRIENDS PATCHWORK AFGHAN

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SKILL LEVEL – BEGINNER

SIZES

About 42 x 42 in. (106.5 x 106.5 cm))

MATERIALS

- **LION BRAND® SESAME STREET™ OFF THE HOOK® MAGIC** (Art. #517)
 - #500 *Big Bird Eyes* 1 ball (A)
 - #501 *Elmo Eyes* 1 ball (B)
 - #502 *Oscar Eyes* 1 ball (C)
 - #503 *Grover Eyes* 1 ball (D)
- **LION BRAND® OFF THE HOOK®** (Art. #516)
 - #152 *Smokey Sky* 5 balls (E)
- **LION BRAND®** large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

A few yards (meters) of smooth yarn

NOTES

You'll be making 9 squares for this project – one square with each of the 9 balls of yarn. Just make one square at a time, then sew all the squares together to make the Afghan!

FIRST SQUARE

Set up

Pull out one end of yarn A and count out 27 loops. You'll be working on just 21 loops. This length of 21 loops will be the beginning of your square, the other 6 loops are the beginning yarn tail and will be secured later.

Lay this length of 27 loops onto a flat surface, with the end of the yarn on your left hand side.

Check to be sure that all loops are facing upwards and that the loops aren't twisted.

Make your Square

Now you'll be working in rows across the length of loops.

Tip

This yarn is designed so that the loops stay in place – you can set the square down at any point and the loops won't come undone!

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The yarn that's coming from the yarn ball is called the working yarn.

Hold the working yarn behind the length of loops.

With your thumb and index finger, reach through the first loop (27th loop from the end) on the beginning of your square.

Pull the next loop from the working yarn through the first loop.

Working across the length of loops, continue to pull the next loop of working yarn through the next loop on the length of loops until you have pulled up 21 loops – and have 6 loops remaining for the yarn end.

You'll work the second row in the same way as the first row, but working from left to right to pull up a loop of working yarn in each of the 21 loops on the square.

For the third row, continue pulling up loops of the working yarn, this time working from right to left.

Continue to pull up loops back and forth in rows across 21 loops until your piece measures about 14 in. (35.5 cm) AND you're at the end of a row.

Finish the Square

Now you'll need to finish off your loops. Drop the working yarn.

Working in the same direction as the last row you made, pull the second loop through the first; pull the third loop through the second; pull the fourth through the third – and so on across to the end of the row.

Now you're back at the side with working yarn. Carefully snip the remaining loops off the working yarn tail. Pull working yarn through the last loop and knot.

Carefully snip the remaining loops from each yarn tail. Just snip the loops off, don't cut through the yarn! Pull each of the trimmed tails through the loops of the square to secure them.

In the same way you made the First Square, make 1 square each with yarns B, C, D and make 5 squares with yarn E.

ASSEMBLY

Lay your finished 9 squares out onto a flat surface in 3 rows of 3 squares each.

With a length of smooth yarn threaded into the blunt needle, sew the squares together.

Tip: The easiest way to do this is to sew the 3 squares in each row together to make 3 strips, then sew the 3 strips together.

Weave in any yarn ends.

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