Academia Throw

Pattern #-
M23125 HT

Yarn-

Lion Brand® Hometown®

SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZES

About 48 x 58 in. (122 x 147.5 cm)

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® HOMETOWN® (Art. #135)

  #116 Athens Blue Sky 11 balls (A)

  #100 New York White 4 balls (B)

  #113 Cincinnati Red 3 balls (C)

- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Crochet hook size N/P-15 (10 mm)

GAUGE

1 shell = about 3 in. (7.5 cm) wide; 4 rows = about 4 in. (4 cm).

EXACT GAUGE IS NOT ESSENTIAL FOR THIS PROJECT.

STITCH EXPLANATION

shell Work 5 dc in indicated st.

NOTES

1. Throw is worked back and forth in rows of a shell pattern.
2. Yarn color is changed following a Stripe Sequence. To change yarn color, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete st. Proceed with new color. Fasten off old color.

STRIPE SEQUENCE

Work 7 rows with A, 2 rows with B, 4 rows with C, 2 rows with B, 26 rows with A, 2 rows with B, 4 rows with C, 2 rows with B, 6 rows with A for a total of 55 rows in Stripe Sequence.

THROW

With A, ch 98.

Row 1: With A, ch 1, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – you will have 97 sc in this row.

Row 2 (RS): With A, ch 1, turn, sc in first st, * sk next 2 sts, shell in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st; rep from * across – 17 sc and 16 shells.

Row 3: With A, ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, 2 dc in first st (half shell made), * sk next 2 sts, sc in next st (center dc of shell), sk next 2 sts, shell in next sc (sc between shells); rep from * to last 6 sts, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st (center dc of last shell), sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last sc (half shell made) – 16 sc, 15 shells and a half shell at beg and end of row.

Rows 4-7: With A, rep Rows 2 and 3 twice; change to B in last st of Row 7.

Rows 8 and 9: With B, rep Rows 2 and 3; change to C in last st of Row 9.

Rows 10-55: Rep Rows 2 and 3 and continue to change yarn color following Stripe Sequence until all 55 rows of Stripe Sequence have been completed.

Do not fasten off and do not change yarn color in last st of last row.

Last Row: With A, ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sts, * hdc in next st, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next 3 sts; rep from * to last 5 sts, hdc in next st, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in last 2 sts – 97 sts.

Do not fasten off.

Edging Rnd

With A, ch 1, do not turn, work 2 sc in end of each row along side edge, ch 2 a corner; working along opposite side of foundation ch, sc in ch at base of each st across, ch 2 at corner; 2 sc in end of each row along next side edge, ch 2 at corner; working in sts of Row 56, sc in each st across, ch 2 at corner; join with sl st in first sc – 418 sc.

Fasten off.

Top Edging

From RS, draw up a loop of C in corner ch-2 sp so that you are ready to work across top edge of Throw.

Row 1 (RS): With C, ch 1, sc in same corner ch-2 sp, sc in each st to next corner ch-2 sp, sc in corner ch-2 sp – 99 sc.

Row 2: With C, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across; change to B in last st.

Rows 3 and 4: With B, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Top Ribbing

Row 5: With B, turn, ch 5, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 3 ch, sl st in next 2 sts of Row 4 – 4 sc.

Row 6: Ch 1, turn, sk the 2 sl sts; working in back loops only, sc in next 4 sts.

Row 7: Ch 1, turn, working in back loops only, sc in first 4 sc, sl st in next 2 sts of Row 4.

Rep Rows 6 and 7 until all sts of Row 4 have been worked into. Note: You will only work 1 sl st into the last st of Row 4 at the end of the last repeat of Row 7.

Fasten off

Rep Top Edging and Top Ribbing along lower edge of Throw.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)

ch = chain

dc = double crochet

hdc = half double crochet

rep = repeat

RS = right side

sc = single crochet

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)