Amigurumi Bird Crochet Pattern

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A round little amigurumi bird in sky blue: a round, slightly egg-shaped body, a white round belly, a small yellow beak, two flat wings and a little pointed tail. The body is a simple ball with a few extra rounds in the middle, and everything else is tiny.

It is about 2 in / 5 cm tall in DK cotton, sweet as a hanging ornament or on a branch in a vase. Every round has its stitch count.



The little bird in sky blue.

Pattern at a glance

- **Skill level:** easy (sc in the round, small flat pieces)
- **Finished size:** about 2 in / 5 cm tall
- **Yarn:** DK cotton, about 30 yd / 28 m in total
- **Hook:** 2.5 mm (US B/1–C/2)
- **Time:** about 1.5 hours

Materials

- DK cotton in sky blue (A) for the body and wings, about 28 yd / 25 m
- DK cotton in white (B) for the belly, a small amount
- DK cotton in yellow (C) for the beak, a small amount
- 2.5 mm (US B/1–C/2) hook
- two 6 mm black safety eyes
- fiberfill and a tapestry needle

Abbreviations (US terms)

- **MR** magic ring · **sc** single crochet · **inc** 2 sc in one stitch · **dec** invisible decrease · **FO** fasten off
- **blo / flo** back loop only / front loop only · **ch** chain · **sl st** slip stitch · **hdc / dc** half double / double crochet

Before you start

- Make the bird in any colors: red with a grey belly for a robin, yellow for a canary.
- For an ornament, pull a loop of yarn through the top of the head before you close it.

The pattern

Body

Color: start with A (sky blue).

Start at the top of the head.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Inc ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** (sc, inc) ×6. (18)
- [ ] **Rnd 4:** Sc, inc, (2 sc, inc) ×5, sc. (24)
- [ ] **Rnd 5:** (3 sc, inc) ×6. (30)
- [ ] **Rnds 6–13:** Sc around. (30)
- [ ] **Rnd 14:** (3 sc, dec) ×6. (24)
- [ ] **Rnd 15:** Sc, dec, (2 sc, dec) ×5, sc. (18)
- [ ] **Rnd 16:** (sc, dec) ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 17:** Dec ×6. (6)

Placement: Eyes: 6 mm safety eyes between R6 and R7, 8 sts apart.

Placement: Beak: between the eyes, at the same height.

Placement: Belly: round white patch on the front from R9 to R15.

Placement: Tail: at the back on R11-R12, pointing out and a little up.

Finish: Stuff firmly, FO and close.

Belly

Color: start with B (white).

A small flat circle.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** Inc ×6. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** (sc, inc) ×6. (18)

Finish: Sl st and FO; sew flat on the front.



All the pieces before sewing.

Beak

Color: start with C (yellow).

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 4 sc in MR. (4)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** (sc, inc) ×2. (6)

Finish: Sew on point forward.

Wing (make 2)

Color: start with A (sky blue).

Make two.

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 6 sc in a magic ring. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** (sc, inc) ×3. (9)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** (2 sc, inc) ×3. (12)
- [ ] **Rnds 4–5:** Sc around. (12)
- [ ] **Rnd 6:** (2 sc, dec) ×3. (9)

Finish: FO, flatten and sew at the sides, tips pointing back.

Tail

Color: start with A (sky blue).

- [ ] **Rnd 1:** 4 sc in MR. (4)
- [ ] **Rnd 2:** (sc, inc) ×2. (6)
- [ ] **Rnd 3:** Sc around. (6)

Finish: Do not stuff; flatten, FO and sew on at the back by the open end, point out.

Assembly

1. Sew the round belly flat on the front, under the beak.
2. Sew the beak between the eyes, point forward.
3. Sew the wings at the sides, tips pointing back, and the tail at the back on rounds 11 to 12, pointing out.

FAQ

Can I make a bird garland?

Yes: make five or six in different colors, sew a loop on each and thread them on a length of yarn.

More small animals: the bumble bee, the sitting frog and mini amigurumi.