



CRAFTS BY AP

LARGE AMIGURUMI KUROMI DOLL



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Materials:

Size US-F/3.75mm Crochet Hook

Lion Brand Pound of Love - White

Bernat Super Saver - Black

5 - 1/2" Pink PomPoms

2 - 1" Black PomPoms

Pink Embroidery Floss

Black Embroidery Floss

2 - 15mm Safety Eyes

Aleene's Tacky Glue

Polyester Fiberfill

Blunt darning needle

Small Amount of Pink Felt

Abbreviations:

SC = Single Crochet

Ch = Chain

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

Beg = Beginning

St(s) = Stitch(es)

2tog = Crochet 2 stitches together (decrease)

* = Repeat stitches from * to end of *

HDC = Half Double Crochet

DC = Double Crochet

TRC = Treble Crochet

SL ST = Slip Stitch

Pattern Notes:

- This pattern is worked in continuous rounds; do not join and do not turn.
Use stitch marker to indicate beginning of rounds.
- May not be safe for small children.
- **Yarns listed is what I used - size may vary with other yarns.**

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Head:

Ch 2

Rnd 1: Work 5 sc in second ch from hook = 5 sc

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in each sc = 10 sc

Rnd 3: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in second sc*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 4: *Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 5: *Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 25 sc

Rnd 6: *Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 30 sc

Rnd 7: *Sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 35 sc

Rnd 8: *Sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 40 sc

Rnd 9: *Sc in next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 45 sc

Rnd 10: *Sc in next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 50 sc

Rnds 11-19 - Sc around

Rnd 20: *Sc in next 8 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 45 sc

Rnd 21: *Sc in next 7 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 40 sc

Rnd 22: *Sc in next 6 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 35 sc

Rnd 23: *Sc in next 5 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 30 sc

Rnd 24: *Sc in next 4 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 25 sc

Rnd 25: *Sc in next 3 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 26: *Sc in next 2 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Fasten off leaving a long tail for sewing. Position and insert Safety Eyes; stuff head firmly.

Hoodie:

With Black Yarn, Ch 2

Rnd 1: Work 5 sc in second ch from hook = 5 sc

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in each sc = 10 sc

Rnd 3: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in second sc*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 4: *Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 5: *Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 25 sc

Rnd 6: *Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 30 sc

Rnd 7: *Sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 35 sc

Rnd 8: *Sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 40 sc

Rnd 9: *Sc in next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 45 sc

Rnd 10: *Sc in next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 50 sc

Rnds 11-16 - Sc around

Rnd 17: Sl st in next sc, work 2 HDC in next st, 2 DC in next st, 2 TRC in next st, 2 DC in next st, 2 HDC in next st, sl st in next st. (This will make

the point on the hoodie). Now sc around where you started the first HDC. Fasten off; leave a long tail for sewing hoodie on head.

Ears: (Make 2)

With Black Yarn, ch 2

Rnd 1. Work 5 sc in sec ch from hook = 5 sc

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in ea sc around = 10 sc

Rnd 3: Sc around

Rnd 4: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 5: *Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 6: *Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 25 sc

Rnd 7-17: Sc around

Rnd 18: *Sc in next 3 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 19: *Sc in next 2 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 20: *Sc in first sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 10 sc

Rnd 21-22: Sc around

Fasten off, leave a long tail for sewing.

To shape tip of ears, gently push the end of your crochet hook into ear to give the tip a slight point. Be careful not to poke a hole through the tip of the ear.

At this point, you will insert the head into the hoodie. Position ears on each side of hoodie. Make sure the point of the hoodie is on the front of the head. Sew hoodie and ears on head. Weave in yarn. Glue the 1" black pompoms on the tip of each ear - set aside and allow to dry.

TIP: Any time I work with gluing a small piece or spot, I always use a toothpick to apply the glue. This gives more control on the amount of glue you apply.

Now we work on the body.

Body:

With White Yarn, Ch 2

Rnd 1: Work 5 sc in second ch from hook = 5 sc

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in each sc = 10 sc

Rnd 3: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in second sc*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 4: *Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 5: *Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 25 sc

Rnd 6: *Sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 30 sc

Rnd 7: *Sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 35 sc

Rnd 8: *Sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 40 sc

Rnd 9: *Sc in next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc*, repeat from * around = 45 sc

Rnds 10-19: Sc in each sc around

Rnd 20: *Sc in next 7 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 40 sc

Rnd 21: *Sc in next 6 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 35 sc

Rnd 22: *Sc in next 5 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 30 sc

Rnd 23: *Sc in next 4 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 25 sc

Rnd 24: *Sc in next 3 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 20 sc

Rnd 25: *Sc in next 2 sc, sc 2tog*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Fasten off - stuff body. Sew opening closed. Weave in yarn. Shape bottom base so body can stand.

Now we will work on the collar.

Collar:

With Black Yarn -

Rnd 1: Insert crochet hook on top of body - pull yarn and make a loop. Sl St loop to secure.



Rnd 2: Insert hook through each st on top of body and sc around = approximately 7 sc around



Rnd 3: Work 2 sc in each sc around = 14 sc

Rnd 4: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc*,
repeat from * around = 21 sc

Rnd 5: *Sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc*,
repeat from * around = 28 sc

Rnd 6-7: Sc in ea sc around

Rnd 8: *Sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc*,
repeat from * around = 35 sc

Rnd 9: Sc around



Now you will make the little points on the collar for the pompoms.

Rnd 10: *Sl st next 5 sc, work 1 HDC, 1
DC, 1 TRC, 1 DC, 1 HDC in next sc, sl st
next 5 sc*, repeat from * around (You will
have a total of 5 points).

Fasten off, leave a long tail for sewing.

(You will be using this piece of yarn to sew
the head on to the body).

Now you will glue the 5 - 1/2" pompoms on
each point. Apply a small drop of glue on
to the tip of each crocheted point on the
collar. Attach the pompom. Set aside and
allow to dry.



TIP: To control the amount of glue applied to each tip, use a toothpick.
Apply the glue to the toothpick, then place the glue on the tip of each point
on the collar.

NOTE: When you attach the head, position the head so you have two of the collar points in front, one over each arm, and one on the back. That balances the collar perfectly.

You will cut out a small skull out of pink felt. My skull measured 1" across and 1-1/4 " long. Make the skull proportionate to the size of the dolls head. Apply a small amount of glue to the back of the skull (use a toothpick to spread the glue) and attach to the front of the cap. Set aside and allow to dry.



Skull Pattern



We will now work on the arms and the legs.

Arms: (Make 2)

With White Yarn, Ch 2

Rnd 1: Work 5 sc in second ch from hook = 5 sc

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in ea sc around = 10 sc

Rnd 3: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in second sc*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 4-16: Sc around

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff arms lightly. Do not stuff all the way to the top - you will need a flat surface to sew the arms on to the body to avoid a bulky appearance.

Legs: (make 2)

With White Yarn, Ch 2

Rnd 1: Work 5 sc in second ch from hook = 5 sc

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in ea sc around = 10 sc

Rnd 3: *Sc in first sc, 2 sc in second sc*, repeat from * around = 15 sc

Rnd 4-9: Sc around

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing. Stuff legs lightly.

To Assemble:

1. Attach head to body.
2. Attach arms under the collar.
3. Attach legs.
4. With black embroidery floss, sew eyelashes (stitch just above the safety eye to give your Kuromi a "bad" look)
5. With pink embroidery floss sew nose.

Your Large Amigurumi Kuromi Doll is complete!

Doll measures 7" tall from bottom of base to top of head (not including ears).

Happy Crocheting!

Package of PomPoms by Darice. Available at most craft stores. Available in multi color packs and single color packs.



