GRANNY SQUARE MONTH

Day 12

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Abbreviations (UK terms)

Double crochet (dc) Treble Crochet (Tr) Half Treble (Htr) Chain (ch) Slst (slip stitch) Treble Front Post (Trfp) - Yarn over, insert hook from the front and around the post of the Tr stitch from the previous row, yarn over, pull up loop, yarn over and draw through two loops, yarn over and draw through remaining loops. Picot (3Pic) - Chain 3 hook back down into the first chain, yarn over and pull through the stitch.

What you will need:

 Knitcraft Cotton Blend in Bright Blue (yarn A), Black (yarn B) and White (yarn C)

- 5mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Scissors





With yarn A, begin by chaining 34 Row 1: In the 7th ch from hook 2tr (Ch 1, Skip 2 chs, 1tr, Ch1, skip 2 chs,2tr) 4 times, Ch 1, miss 2ch, 1tr into the last chain, turn.

(3Pic) - Chain 3 hook back down ne first chain, yarn over and prough the stitch





Row 2: Ch1, 1dc into the 1tr from row 1, *5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row (working downward the treble stitch), 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row (working upward the treble stitch), Slst in the 1tr in previous row, rep from * 4 times. Finish with a slst at the top of the chain, turn. (5 scaled worked in total)



Row 3: Ch 4, 1tr into the slst from previous row, ch1, *1tr into the middle of the scale from previous row, ch1, 2tr into the Sl st from previous row, Ch1, Rep from * 4 times, end with a 1tr into the middle of the scale from previous row, ch1, 2tr into the top of the ch from row 1, sl st into first st of base



Row 4: Ch1, 1dc into the top of first tr, *5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, sl st in the 1tr in previous row, rep from * 5 times, finish with a sl st into the middle of the scale just made, turn.

Row 5: Ch4, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, ch1, * 1tr into the middle of the scale from previous row, ch1, 2tr into the 1tr from previous row, ch1, rep from *, finish with 1tr in middle of last scale, turn.







Row 6: As row 2



Row 7: As row 3



Row 8: As row 4









Row 9: As row 5



Row 10: As row 2



Row 11: As row 3









Row 12: As row 4



We're going to be using 2 colours in this row, carrying the colour we aren't using.

Row 13: With yarn A, ch4, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, ch1, 1tr in between scale. Attach yarn B and carry yarn A

Ch1, (1htr, 2tr, 3pic, 2tr and 1htr) all into 1tr from previous row,

Drop yarn B, pick up yarn A and Carry yarn B

Ch1, 1tr in between scale, Ch1, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, Ch1, 1tr in between scale,

Drop yarn A, pick up yarn B and Carry yarn A

Ch1, (1htr, 2tr, 3pic, 2tr and 1htr) all into 1tr from previous row,

Cut yarn B, pick up yarn A

ch1, 1tr in between scale, ch1, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, ch1, 1tr in between scale, turn.





We're going to be using 2 colours again in this row, carrying colour we aren't using. Row 14: Ch1, 1dc into the 1tr from row 1, 5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, Sl st in the 1tr in previous row , *In the back loops only change into yarn C, ch1, 1tr into 1tr from previous row (the black of the monster pupil), 2tr into the next, then 1htr into the next, 1dc into the picot then 1htr, 2tr in next st and 1tr, pick up yarn A, Carry yarn C,

5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, sl st in the 1tr in previous row, repeat from* to end of the row, sl st in top of ch.



Now back to yarn A.

Row 15: Ch3 turn 1tr back into base of same stitch, ch1, 1tr in between scale, ch1, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, ch1, *1dc into the next 3 stitches (these are the whites of the eyes) Skip 3 stitches, ch1, 1dc into the next 3 stitches, ch1, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, ch1, 1tr in between scale, ch1, 2tr into the top of the 1tr from previous row, ch1, rep from * to the end of row, turn.





Row 16: Ch1, 1dc into the 1tr from previous row, *5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, sl st in the 1tr in previous row, 5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, sl st in ch-1sp from previous row, repeat from * 1 more time, 5Trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 1st of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, 5trfp around the 2nd of 2tr in the previous row, finish with a slst into the middle of the scale, turn.



Row 17: As row 5



Row 18: As row 2





Row 19: As row 3





Row 20: As row 4



Border

To make the border we are going to be doing a mix of Dcs and foundation chains to hide behind the scales using yarn A.

Rnd 1: (1dc, ch2, 1dc) in same stitch creates the first corner, down left side of the square, ch3, 1dc into the top of ch, *2dc into the ch,ch3, 1dc into the top of chain, rep from * to corner, 2dc into the chain, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) all into the bottom of the scale making a second corner.

Along the bottom of the square work *2dc into the ch, 1dc into the bottom of tr, 2dc into the ch, 1dc into the bottom of scale, rep from * to corner, (1dc, ch2, 1dc) into third corner.

Up the second side work **2dc into the ch, 1dc into bottom of scale, ch3, 2dc into the ch, 1dc into the bottom of scale, rep from ** to corner, (1dc, ch 2, 1dc) third corner.

Along the top work ***ch2, 1dc into the 1tr from row below, ch1, 1dc into the top of the scale, rep from *** Join to the first dc of the first corner.









Rnd 2: In ch2 corners (1dc, ch2, 1 dc), on all sides either 2dc into the 3ch, 1dc into each of the 1dc from previous round, or 1dc into the ch1 from previous round



Change to yarn C Rnd 3: Work 1dc into each st, in ch2 corners (1dc, ch2, 1dc)



Teeth

Using yarn C, ch25

Row 1: In 2nd ch from hook sl st, 1dc, 1htr, 1tr, Skip 2 chs, sl st into the next 2chs (Ch5, sl st, dc, htr, tr, Skip 2 chs, slst into the next 2 chs) repeat 3 times more. Cut leaving a long tail, to sew the teeth onto the monster.







Now all you need to do is sew the teeth onto your granny square. Sew your teeth, from the bottom, in between the 3rd and 4th row of scales.

