

# Granny Square Poncho

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## DIRECTIONS

Beginner

## SIZE

Girls' sizes 6-6X (8-10, 12-14)  
Length from top neckline ribbing to corner of granny square is 21 (23, 25) inches

## MATERIALS

- Worsted weight yarn: 5 (6, 7) oz light celery green, 4 (5, 6) oz medium sage green, 5 (6, 8) oz windsor blue and 5 (5, 6) oz variegated greens and blue
- Size H/8 crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

## GAUGE

Granny square = 4¼ inches;  
4 rnds dc = 2 inches  
Check gauge to save time.

## PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Sl st to join each rnd in top of beg st.

Choose desired 4 yarn colors that complement one another.

Poncho is designed in 3 sizes. If only 1 number appears in pattern, it applies to all 3 sizes.

## GRANNY SQUARES (make 24, 28, 32)

**Rnd 1:** With light celery green, ch 4, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, [ch 2, 3 dc in same 4th ch from hook] 3 times, ch 2, join in top of beg ch-4, fasten off. (12 dc; 4 ch-2 sps)

**Rnd 2:** Attach medium sage green in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as first dc throughout), [2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in same ch sp, ch 1, [[3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in next ch-2 sp, ch 1] 3 times, join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

**Rnd 3:** Attach windsor blue in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, [2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in same corner ch-2 sp, \*ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1 \*\*, [3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in next corner ch-2 sp, rep from \* around, ending last rep at \*\*, join in

top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

**Rnd 4:** Attach variegated green in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, [2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in same corner ch-2 sp, \*[ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] twice, ch 1 \*\*, [3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in next corner ch-2 sp, rep from \* around, ending last rep at \*\*, join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

## NECKLINE RIBBING

**Rnd 1:** With larger hook and variegated green, ch 68, sl st to join in beg ch to form a ring, ch 3, working in back ridge of ch, dc in each ch around, join in top of beg ch-3. (68 dc)

**Rnd 2:** Ch 2 (counts as first dc for ribbing only), fpdc around next dc, [bpdc around next st, fpdc around next dc] rep around, join in top of beg ch-2.

**Rnds 3-5:** Ch 2, [fpdc around each fpdc, bpdc around each bpdc] rep around, join in top of beg ch-2.

## BODY

**Rnd 6:** Ch 3, 2 dc in same st, [ch 1, sk next 3 sts, 3 dc in next st] twice, \*ch 2, 3 dc in next st, [ch 1, sk next 3 sts, 3 dc in next st] 4 times, rep from \* twice, ch 2, 3 dc in next st, ch 1, sk



*Oh how easy it is to crochet this creative pullover girl's poncho, edged with ruffled granny squares.*

next 3 sts, 3 dc in next st, ch 1, join in top of beg ch-3. (5 groups of 3-dc between each corner ch-2 sp)

**Rnds 7-9 (7-10, 7-11):** Sl st in dc sts and into next ch-1 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, \*[3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] rep across to corner ch-2 sp, [3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, rep from \* around, join in top of beg ch-3.

At the end of last rep, fasten off, attach light celery in last ch-1 sp.

**Rnds 10-13 (11-15, 12-17):** Ch 3, 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, \*[3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] rep across to corner ch-2 sp, [3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc] in corner ch-2

sp, ch 1, rep from \* around, join in top of beg ch-3, sl st into next ch-1 sp.

At the end of last rep, fasten off, attach medium sage green in last ch-1 sp.

**Rnds 14-17 (16-20, 18-23):** Rep Rnds 10-13 (11-15, 12-17).

At the end of last rep, fasten off, attach windsor blue in last ch-1 sp.

**Rnds 18-21 (21-25, 24-29):** Rep Rnds 10-13 (11-15, 12-17).

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

#### **ASSEMBLY**

Working through back lps only, place 2 squares tog, sew across 1 side

of squares. Rep sewing squares tog until 2 strips of 5 (6, 7) squares are sewn tog. In same manner, sew 2 strips tog of 7 (8, 9) squares. Stitch the 2 shorter strips of squares to opposite ends of poncho body along bottom edge. Stitch the rem 2 strips of squares to the rem side of poncho bottom.

#### **RUFFLED TRIM**

**Rnd 1 (RS):** Working in back lps only, attach light celery green at bottom edge of poncho in edge of any square, ch 1, sc in same st, ch 5, [sc in next st, ch 5] rep around, join in beg sc, fasten off. ☼

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