



# Minnesconsin Bandana



## Instructions

Work 70 Fsc. Sl st to join in the round. Chain 2. Work a hdc in each fsc, slip stitch to top of chain 2. Throughout the remaining stitches work a Puff st when you get to a color burst.

Work a hdc in each hdc. Slip st to top of chain 2. Work round one more time. Place locking marker at sl st.

**Set up row:** Sl sts in each of the next 5 hdc. Hdc in next 2 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 hdc. Hdc in each hdc until 9 sts before locking marker. Hdc2tog over next 2 hdc, hdc in next 2 hdc, chain 2, turn. (2 sts dec)

**Row 1:** (ws) Working in the back 2 loops of the hdc. Hdc in next 2 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 hdc. Hdc in each hdc until 4 sts to end of row. Hdc2tog over next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, chain 2, turn. (2 sts dec)

**Row 2:** (rs) Working in the Front 2 loops of the hdc. Hdc in next 2 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 hdc. Hdc in each hdc until 4 sts to end of row. Hdc2tog over next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, chain 2, turn. (2 sts dec)

Work previous 2 rows until 6sts remain these last 2 rows.

Working in the Front 2 loops of the hdc. Hdc in next 2 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, chain 2, turn.

Working in the back 2 loops of the hdc. Hdc in next 1 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 hdc. Hdc2tog over next 2 sts, hdc. Pull yarn through last st and weave in ends. (2 sts dec). Block. Attach tag with MN or WI showing and go visit a State Park!

## Notes

This bandana is worked up with puff stitches when you get to the color bursts. The turning chain 2s do not count as sts.

Our MN Yarn Shop Hop 2022 colorway is inspired by the landscape paintings of local artist, Emily Anderson.

## Materials

**Yarn:** 1 skein Hazel Knits *Lively DK*; 275 yds/130g.

Colorway: Interstate Park MN Yarn Shop Hop 2022

**Hook:** H

**Notions:** Locking stitch marker, tapestry needle, leather tag

## Size & Gauge

13 sts x 12 rows = 4" on a H Hook  
10" neck edge to point & 23" circumference

## Abbreviations

**Dec**=Decrease

**Fsc**=Foundation single crochet chain

**Hdc**=Half double crochet

**Hdc2tog**=Half double crochet the next 2 stitches together

**Rs**=Right-side

**Sl st**=slip stitch

**St(s)**=Stitch(s)

**Ws**=Wrong side

**Puff**=Puff stitch work as follows when you get to the color burst: Yarn over, insert hook in stitch, yarn over, pull up a loop and draw it up to just past the height of surrounding stitches (yarn over, insert hook in same stitch, yarn over, pull up a loop and draw it up to just past the height of surrounding stitches) repeat through the color burst (you will have 7, 9 or 11 loops on your hook), yarn over, pull through all loops.



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