

Granny Square Coin Purse



Materials

- 5 colors: medium weight yarn, #4 (you only need 1 skein of each color)
- Hook 4.5mm
- Scissors
- Yarn Needle
- Velcro
- Hot glue gun

Abbreviations

- Chain (ch)
- Stitches (sts)
- Slip Stitch (sl st)
- Skip (sk)
- Fasten Off (FO) = slip stitch, cut the yarn and pull it through the loop making a tight knot

- Single Crochet (SC)
- Double Crochet (DC)

PATTERN

Measurement: 5" W x 3" H

Body

I used a different color for each round and the handle, but you can also crochet it in just one color.

Make your coin purse from one of the three Granny Square videos in the blog if you haven't already. Once your granny square is complete, you can add a handle and rim to your purse by following the instructions below.

Rim & Handle

Take your square and turn it so the wrong side is facing you. Fold it in half so the right side of the square is on the inside. Starting at the top of one edge, use your hook and yarn to sl st down the side sewing it closed.

Repeat for the other side. Make sure you DO NOT sl st across the top of the folded square. Turn the square right side out.

R1: with the front of the purse facing you, sl st in the corner st of the top row, SC in the same st, SC 39 in the rest of the sts. Sl st in the 1st st joining the round. (40 sts)

R2: ch 1, SC in the same st as the ch, SC 4, ch 12, sk 12, SC 8, ch 12, sk 12, SC 4, sl st in the 1st st joining the round. *(the 12 sts you skipped creates the loops for the handle)* (40 sts)

R3: SC 40, sl st in the 1st st joining the round.

R4: *SC, sk 1, 3DC in the same st, sk 1* 10 times, sl st in the 1st SC joining the round & FO. (10 shell sts)

****Finishing:** Weave in all your loose yarn tails. Measure a velcro strip 4" long and hot glue it $\frac{1}{2}$ " from the top of the purse's edge.