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Practically seamless (which means no sewing), these children's bathrobes are fairly easy to make.



Touch of Style

Boy's & Girl's Bathrobes

By Sharon Volkman

BOY'S KIMONO ROBE

DIRECTIONS

Intermediate

SIZE

Small: 32 (medium: 35, large: 38) inches

Chest: 24–25 (26–27, 28–30) inches

MATERIALS

- 4-ply yarn*:
20½ (25¼-30½) oz No 381 light blue (MC)
3½ (4-4½) oz No 384 skipper blue (CC)
- Crochet hook size H/8
- Yarn needle

*Red Heart Super Saver yarn was used in the sample project.

GAUGE

10 dc = 2½ inches; 6 dc rows = 2½ inches

PATTERN NOTE

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

RIGHT FRONT YOKE

Row 1: With MC, ch 21 (23-25), dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (19-21-23)

Note: Beg ch 2 counts as first dc.

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

Row 3: Rep Row 2.

Row 4: Ch 2, dc across to within last dc, 2 dc in last dc, turn. (20-22-24)

Row 5: Ch 2, dc in same dc as beg ch-2, dc in each rem dc across, turn. (21-23-25)

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Row 7: Rep Row 5. (22-24-26)

Row 8: Rep Row 4. (23-25-27)

Row 9: Rep Row 2.

Rows 10–17 (19, 21): Rep Rows

4–9.
(29-32-35)

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

UPPER BACK

Row 1: With MC, ch 21 (23-25), dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across to within last ch, 2 dc in last ch, ch 21 (23-25), with wrong side of Row 1 of right front yoke facing, working across opposite side of foundation ch, 2 dc in first ch, dc in each rem foundation ch across, turn. (40 dc and 21 chs, 44 dc and 23 chs, 48 dc and 25 chs)

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in each dc and each ch across, turn. (61-67-73)

Rows 3–16 (18-20): Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

LEFT FRONT YOKE

Row 1: Attach MC to wrong side of foundation ch of left back, ch 2, dc in next 18 (20-22) chs, turn. (19-21-23)

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Rep Row 2.

Row 4: Ch 2, dc in same st as beg ch-2, dc in each rem st across, turn. (20-22-24)

Row 5: Ch 2, dc in each dc across to within last dc, 2 dc in last dc, turn. (21-23-25)

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Row 7: Rep Row 5.

Row 8: Rep Row 4.

Row 9: Rep Row 2.

Rows 10–17 (19-21): Rep Rows 4–9. (29-32-35)

At the end of last rep, turn.

Row 18 (Size small only): Ch 2, dc across each st of left yoke, back and right yoke, turn. (119)

Row 19 (Size small only): Ch 2, dc in same st as beg ch-2, dc in each st across to within last st, 2 dc in last st, turn. (121)

Row 20 (22) (Sizes medium & large only): Ch 2, dc in same st as beg ch-2, dc in each st across left yoke, back and right yoke to within last st, 2 dc in last st, turn. (133-145)

Rows 20–64 (21–70, 23–76) (All sizes): Ch 2, dc in each st across, turn.

FRONT & NECK TRIM

Row 1: Ch 1, working along ends of rows, sc 3 sts per 2 rows along right front, 1 sc in each foundation ch of back neck and 3 sc per 2 rows along left front, fasten off, turn.

Row 2: Attach CC, ch 1, sc in each sc of Row 1, turn.

Rows 3–7: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of Row 7, fasten off.

LEFT SLEEVE

Rnd 1: Attach MC to side of Row 18 (20-22) of left front yoke, ch 2, dc across ends of rows, working 3 dc per 2 rows to Row 17 (19-21) of left back, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn. (52-58-64)

Rnds 2–21 (25-29): Ch 2, dc in each st around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

RIGHT SLEEVE

Rnd 1: Attach MC to side of Row 17 (19-21) of right back, ch 2, dc across ends of rows, working 3 dc per 2 rows to Row 18 (20-22) of right front yoke, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn. (52-58-64)

Rnds 2–21 (25-29): Ch 2, dc in each st around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

SLEEVE CUFFS

Row 1: With wrong side facing, attach CC to joining st of last rnd of sleeve, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each rem st around sleeve, do not join, turn. (52-58-64)

Rows 2–6: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of Row 6, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, sew cuff seam closed.

POCKETS (make 2)

Row 1: With MC, ch 22 (24-26), dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (20-22-24)

Rows 2-8 (9-10): Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Row 9 (10-11): With wrong side facing, attach CC, ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 10-14 (11-15, 12-16): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Sew 1 pocket to each side of front at desired locations.

BELT

Row 1: With CC, ch 7, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (6)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rep Row 2 until length is 4 (4½-5) feet long.

At the end of desired length, fasten off.

BELT LOOPS (make 2)

Working with double strands of MC, leaving a length at beg, ch 9, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Sew ends of belt loops across 3 rows at each side of robe at desired level of waist. Weave belt through belt loops.

GIRL'S LACY ROBE

DIRECTIONS

Intermediate

SIZE

Small: 32 (medium: 35, large: 38) inches

Chest: 24-25 (26-27, 28-30) inches

MATERIALS

- 4-ply yarn:
23 (27½-32½) oz No 373 petal pink (MC)
3 (¾-3½) oz No 311 white (CC)
- Crochet hooks sizes H/8 and K/10½
- 3 white ¾-inch shank buttons
- Sewing needle and thread
- Yarn needle

*Red Heart Super Saver yarn was used in the sample project.

GAUGE

With crochet hook size H, 10 dc = 2½ inches; 6 dc rows = 2½ inches

Shell pattern: 2 dc and 2 shells = 2½ inches; 4 shell rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Work with crochet hook size H unless otherwise indicated.

Shell (sh): 2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc in indicated st.

RIGHT FRONT YOKE

Row 1: With MC, ch 21 (23-25), dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn.

Note: Beg ch 2 counts as first dc.

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

Row 3: Rep Row 2.

Row 4: Ch 2, dc in each dc across to within last dc, 2 dc in last dc, turn. (20-22-24)

Row 5: Ch 2, dc in same st as beg ch-2, dc in each rem dc across, turn. (21-23-25)

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Row 7: Rep Row 5. (22-24-26)

Row 8: Rep Row 4. (23-25-27)

Row 9: Rep Row 2.

Rows 10-16 (18-19): Rep Rows 4-9. (28-31-34)

Row(s) 17 (19) (20 & 21): Rep Row 2.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

UPPER BACK

Row 1: With MC, ch 21 (23-25), dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across to within last ch, 2 dc in last ch, ch 21 (23-25), with wrong side of Row 1 of right front yoke facing, work 2 dc in opposite side of first foundation ch, dc across rem chs, turn. (40 dc and 21 chs, 44 dc and 23 chs, 48 dc and 25 chs)

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in each dc and each ch across, turn. (61-67-73)

Rows 3-16 (18-20): Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

LEFT FRONT YOKE

Row 1: Attach MC to wrong side of opposite side of foundation ch of left

back, ch 2, dc in next 18 (20-22) chs, turn. (19-21-23)

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

Row 3: Rep Row 2.

Row 4: Ch 2, dc in same st as beg ch-2, dc in each rem dc across, turn. (20-22-24)

Row 5: Ch 2, dc in each dc across to within last dc, 2 dc in last dc, turn. (21-23-25)

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Row 7: Rep Row 5. (22-24-26)

Row 8: Rep Row 4. (23-25-27)

Row 9: Rep Row 2.

Rows 10-16 (18-19): Rep Rows 4-9. (28-31-34)

Row(s) 17 (19) (20 & 21): Rep Row 2.

Row 18 (20-22): Ch 2, dc in each dc across left front yoke, back and right front yoke, turn. (117-129-141)

Rows 19-23 (21-25, 23-27): Ch 2, dc in each dc across, turn.

Row 24 (26-28): Ch 2, sk next dc, sh in next st, sk next st, dc in next st, [sk next st, sh in next st, sk next st, dc in next st] rep across, turn.

Rows 25-64 (27-68, 29-72): Ch 2, [sh in ch-1 sp of sh, dc in single dc] rep across, turn.

At the end of last rep, turn to work along ends of rows.

FRONT & NECKLINE TRIM

Row 1: Ch 1, working along ends of rows, work 2 sc in side of each sh row, 3 sc per 2 rows of plain dc and 1 sc in each foundation ch of back neck, sc along left front to correspond to right front, fasten off, turn.

Row 2: Attach CC, ch 1, sc in each sc, turn.

Rows 3 & 4: Rep Row 2.

Note: Mark 2 sts for top buttonhole near Row 18 (20-22) of right front yoke, working down front, [sk next 14 sts, mark next 2 sts] twice.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc to within 2 marked sts, ch 2, sk 2 sts, [sc in next 14 sts, ch 2, sk 2 sts] twice, sc in rem sc sts, turn. (3 buttonholes)

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each sc, working 2 sc over each ch-2 sp, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, [3 dc in next sc, sk next sc, sl st in next sc, sk next sc] rep

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Rnd 3: Sl st into ch-3 lp, [ch 5, 4-tr cl in ch-3 lp, ch 5, sl st in same ch-5 lp, sl st in next ch-3 lp] 8 times, fasten off. (8 petals)

Trim

Rnd 4 (Right side): With wrong side of flower facing, attach new ecru in top of any petal, ch 1, sc, ch 3, sc in same st as beg ch-1, ch 5, [sc, ch 3, sc in top of next petal, ch 5] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 5: Sl st into ch-3 lp, ch 1, [sc, ch 3, sc in ch-3 lp, ch 3, sc, ch 3, sc in next ch-5 lp, ch 3] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 6: Sl st into ch-3 lp, ch 3 (first dc), 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc in same ch-3 lp, ch 2, sk ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-3 lp, ch 2, sk ch-3 sp, [shell of 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc in next ch-3 lp, ch 2, sk ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-3 lp, ch 2, sk ch-3 sp] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rep Rnds 1–6 for each motif, except when joining working motif to previous motif. Join to adjacent motifs at the ch-2 sp of shells, on working motif work the 3 dc, ch 1, sl st into ch-2 sp of previous motif, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch sp to complete shell. Two shell sps are joined to previous motif. Join motifs in rows 3 x 7. At each end join 2 motifs across end, joining each of the 2 shell sps of working motif centered to 1 shell sp of 2 motifs.

BORDER

Notes: With 2 end motifs to the left, counting to the right on next motif, attach new ecru in 3rd ch-2 sp of shell to the right.

Remember, if you're left-handed, simply reverse so that the 2 end motifs are to the right and count left on next motif.

Rnd 1: (Right side): Ch 1, [sc, ch 3, sc in ch-2 sp of shell, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4] 3 times, **sc, ch 3, sc in joining of motifs, [ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in next sc, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] 4 times, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in joining of motifs, [ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] 4 times, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in joining of motifs, [ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] 3 times,

ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc **, *ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in joining of motifs, [ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] twice, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in next sc *, rep from * to * 5 more times, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in ch-2 sp of sh, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, rep from ** to ** once, rep from * to * 5 times, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in joining of motifs, ch 4, sc, ch 3, sc in sc, ch 4, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 2: Sl st into ch-3 sp, ch 1,

*[sc, ch 2] 3 times and sc in each ch-3 sp, sc in ch-4 sp *, rep from * to * around, except at each inner ch-3 sp worked at joining of motifs, draw up a lp in ch-4 sp before inner ch-3 sp, draw up a lp in inner ch-3 sp, draw up a lp in next ch-4 sp, yo, draw through all 4 lps on hook, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

With wrong side facing, starch and press. >∞

Boy's & Girl's Bathrobes

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across sts of Row 6, adjusting as necessary to end with sl st in last st, fasten off.

Sew buttons opposite button-holes.

LEFT SLEEVE

Rnd 1: Attach MC to side of Row 18 (20-22) of left front yoke, ch 2, dc across ends of rows, working 3 dc per 2 rows to Row 17 (19-21) of left back, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn. (52-58-64)

Rnds 2–21 (25-29): Ch 2, dc in each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

RIGHT SLEEVE

Rnd 1: Attach MC to Row 17 (19-21) of right back, ch 2, dc across ends of rows, working 3 dc per 2 rows to Row 18 (20-22) of right front yoke, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, turn. (52-58-64)

Rnds 2–21 (25-29): Rep Rnds 2–21 (25-29) of left sleeve.

SLEEVE CUFFS

Row 1: With wrong side facing, attach CC to joining st of last rnd of sleeve, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each rem st around, do not join, turn. (52-58-64)

Rows 2–5: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sk 1 st, [3 dc in next st, sk next st, sl st in next st, sk next st] rep across, ending with sl st to join in beg ch-1, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, sew cuff seam closed.

BELT LOOPS (make 2)

With 2 strands of MC yarn held tog, leaving a length at beg, ch 5, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Sew ends to side of robe across last row of plain dc and first shell pattern row.

Belt

With crochet hook size K, holding 4 strands of CC yarn tog, crochet a chain until length is 5 (5½-6) feet long, fasten off.

Weave belt through belt loops. >∞

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