



## Week 5: Half-diamond Part 2



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*The belief that we are defined by our compassion and kindness towards others.*

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If you need help with any of the stitches or techniques, you can find photo tutorials here: <http://www.lookatwhati-made.net/crafts/yarn/crochet/ubuntu/ubuntu-cal-2018-information/>



Esther from It's all in a Nutshell has created video tutorials for the Ubuntu CAL. You can find the videos on her Youtube channel:

Right-handed video: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yCa98v1j\\_1U](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yCa98v1j_1U)

Left-handed video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ckQlzAexuE8>

## Pattern

Before continuing with the half-diamond, we will make a Flower in the non-pointy corner. The Flower consists of three rows (Flower Rows 1, 2 and 3).

### Flower Row 1 (CC5)

With **RS** facing: join CC5 yarn by making a sl st in the second to last htr before the Flower from Round 8. **Ch 3. (3-tr Bobble, ch 3) twice** in each of the next three ch-4 sps. Sl st in the second htr after the next ch-1 sp. Fasten off and work away your ends.

**Stitch Count:** 6 3-tr Bobbles and 7 ch-3 sps



### Flower Row 2 (CC6)

**This row will need a bit of concentration!**

With **RS** facing: join CC6 yarn by making a sl st in the htr from Round 8 before the htr that contains the beg sl st from Flower Row 1. **Ch 4. FPdc** around the next Bobble from Flower Row 1, ch 3, ttr in the ch-4 sp from Round 8, working **between** the two Bobbles from Flower Row 1 and **in front of** the ch-3 sp from Flower Row 1. *You might need to squish your Bobbles apart a little bit.* Ch 3, **FPdc** around the next Bobble from Flower Row 1.

(Ch 3, **FPttr** around the next Petal from Round 8, ch 3. **FPdc** around the next Bobble from Flower Row 1, ch 3, ttr in the ch-4 sp from Round 8, working between the two Bobbles from Flower Row 1 and in front of the ch-3 sp from Flower Row 1. Ch 3, **FPdc** around the next Bobble from Flower Row 1) **twice**. Ch 4 and sl st in the st from Round 8 directly after the one that contains the sl st from Flower Row 1. Fasten off and work away your ends.

**Stitch Count:** 6 FPdc, 3 ttr, 2 FPttr, 10 ch-3 sps, and 2 ch-4 sps

### Flower Row 3 (CC3)

With **RS** facing: join CC3 yarn by making a standing **FPdc** around the first 'Petal' from Round 8, ch 3. (**FPdc** around the next FPdc from Flower Row 2, skip the next ch-3 sp, [3 tr, ch 1, 3 tr] in the next st, skip the next ch-3 sp) **5 times**. **FPdc** around the last FPdc from Flower Row 2. Ch 3 and make a **FPdc** around the last Petal from Round 8. Fasten off and work away your ends.

**Stitch Count:** 8 FPdc, 5 Petals (each containing 6 tr and 1 ch-1 sp) and 2 ch-3 sps

**Your flower is now complete. You will 'catch' the Petals from Flower Row 3 in Rounds 12 and 13. We will now continue making the half-diamond.**

### Round 9 (MC)

**RS** facing: join MC yarn by making a sl st in the sp from Round 8 that contains the **SM**. **Remove SM**. Ch 4, (tr, 2 htr) in the same sp. Htr in the next 17 sts. Make 2 **FPttr** around the FPtr from Round 7 and skip the next 3 sts of Round 8, *the first two of which will already contain a sl st*. Ch 5, dc in the ch-3 sp from Flower Row 1 directly behind the second Petal from Flower Row 3.



Ch 6, dc in the ch-3 sp from Flower Row 1 directly behind the fourth Petal from Flower Row 3. Ch 5 and make 2 **FPttr** around the FPtr from Round 7. Skip the next 3 sts from Round 8, *the last two of which will already contain a s/st*. Htr in the next 17 sts. (2 htr, tr, dtr) between the last st and the beg ch-4 from the previous round. Sl st in the sp between the last 2 sts made. **Turn.**

**Stitch Count Per Side:** 1 dc, 19 htr, 1 tr, 1 dtr, 2 FPttr, and 1 ch-5 sp, *not including central ch-6 corner sp*

### Round 10 (MC)

**WS** facing: ch 4, (tr, 2 htr) in the same sp. Htr in the next 22 sts. Make 7 htr in the next ch-5 sp. (3 htr, ch 1, 3 htr) in the next ch-6 sp. Make 7 htr in the next ch-5 sp. Htr in the next 22 sts. (2 htr, tr, dtr) between the last st and the beg ch-4 from the previous round. Sl st in the sp between the last 2 sts made. **Turn.**

**Stitch Count Per Side:** 34 htr, 1 tr, and 1 dtr, *not including central ch-1 corner sp*

### Round 11 (MC)

**RS** facing: ch 4, make 2 tr in the same sp. Tr in the next 35 sts. (Tr, ch 1, tr) in the ch-1 corner sp. Tr in the next 35 sts. (2 tr, dtr) between the last st and the beg ch-4 from the previous round. Sl st in the sp between the last 2 sts made. **Turn.**

**Stitch Count Per Side:** 38 tr and 1 dtr, *not including central ch-1 corner sp*

### Round 12 (MC)

**WS** facing: ch 4, tr in the same sp. Tr in the next 28 sts. Tr in the next st **AND** the ch-1 sp of the first Petal from Flower Row 3. You will have to twist your work towards you so that you can see the Petal. Htr in the next 9 sts. (Htr, ch 1, htr) in the ch-1 corner sp **AND** the ch-1 sp of the third Petal from Flower Row 3. Htr in the next 9 sts. Tr in the next st **AND** the ch-1 sp of the last Petal from Flower Row 3. Tr in the next 28 sts. (Tr, dtr) between the last st and the beg ch-4 from the previous round. Sl st in the sp between the last 2 sts made. **Turn.**

**Stitch Count Per Side:** 10 htr, 30 tr and 1 dtr, *not including central ch-1 corner sp*

### Round 13 (MC)

**RS** facing: ch 4, (dtr, 2 tr) in the same sp. Tr in the next 6 sts. Htr in the next 28 sts. Htr in the ch-1 sp of the second Petal from Flower Row 3 **AND** the next st. Htr in the next 5 sts. (Htr, ch 1, htr) in the ch-1 corner sp. Htr in the next 5 sts. Htr in the ch-1 sp of the fourth Petal from Flower Row 3 **AND** the next st. Htr in the next 28 sts. Tr in the next 6 sts. (2 tr, 2 dtr) between the last st and the beg ch-4 from the previous round. Sl st in the sp between the last 2 sts made. **Turn.**

**Stitch Count Per Side:** 35 htr, 8 tr and 2 dtr, *not including central ch-1 corner sp*

### Round 14 (MC)

**WS** facing: ch 4, make 2 tr in the same sp. Tr in the next 5 sts. Htr in the next 39 sts. (Htr, ch 1, htr) in the ch-1 corner sp. Htr in the next 39 sts. Tr in the next 5 sts. (2 tr, dtr) between the last st and the beg ch-4 from the previous round. **Place a SM between the last 2 sts made.** Fasten off and **turn.**

**Stitch Count Per Side:** 40 htr, 7 tr and 1 dtr, *not including central ch-1 corner sp*

