

Free Crochet Poppy Pattern:

Pattern and video tutorial also available at <https://spinayarncrochet.com/poppy-free-crochet-pattern/>



- 2.75mm hook (I use **THESE** hooks!);
- Patons Astra in Black;
- Patons Astra in Cardinal;
- Tapestry needle.

Terms and Stitches:

MR – Magic Ring

Ch – Chain

Slst – Slip stitch

Sc – Single crochet

Hdc – Half double crochet

Dc – Double crochet

Center:

The black center of the flower is worked in joined rounds and then the petals are worked individually in turned rows (i.e., work petal one first, then work petal two, etc.).

Start in black. Chains do not count as a stitch.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc into a MR (6 sts), pull tight, join, ch 1 (magic ring not necessary if the starting chain is pulled tight enough to minimize appearance of hole in the center when slip-stitching 6th chain into starting chain).

Rnd 2: Starting in the same st, (2 sc) in each st around (12 sts), join with red yarn, ch 2

Petals:

The rest of the pattern is worked in red yarn (feel free to cut your black yarn now). You will work the first petal by working in the next 3 sts only before turning and chaining.

Row 1: Starting in the same st, (2 dc) in each of the next 3 sts (6 sts), ch 2, turn

Row 2: (2 hdc) in each st across (12 sts), ch 1, turn

Row 3: Slst in each st across (12 sts), ch 1, work 3 slsts down the side of the petal.

Start the next petal by repeating Rows 1-3 of the petal in the next 3 sts and so on for the last 2 petals. At the end of the fourth petal, slst to the joining st of round 2 of the black center. Tie off and weave in yarn tails.

Position the petals such that petals 1 and 3 are to the front, overlapping on top of petals 2 and 4 (i.e., opposite petals to the front).

To make the poppy into a lapel pin, sew the brooch-style pin on back (can be purchased online or at craft stores).



That's it!