

The Raven

Pin Loom Weaving Pattern



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Creating a raven/crow is as easy as weaving 1, 2, 3 different pin loom shapes! For this cute bird, you will need (2) 6" squares, (1) 2" x 6" rectangle, and (1) 2" square. Sewing the 6" squares together in two different directions is what makes it three dimensional.

Skill Level: Easy ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
Size: 5 ½" length x 6 ½" width x 4 ½" height



Supplies:

Pin Looms: Squares - 2" and 6"
 Rectangle 2" x 6"

Yarn: Red Heart Soft, 100% acrylic, medium worsted weight (4)

Needle: 6" needle for weaving and yarn needle for sewing

Stuffing

Safety Eyes: 14mm - (2) per bird

PATTERN NOTES

- Review entire pattern before you begin to familiarize yourself with the techniques presented.
- Some step-by-step photos may use squares of different colors. They are for reference only. All squares for the Raven will be black.

VIDEOS

- Video for assembling the woven bird on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/zHGBbkA9LN8>
- Video snippets for the crochet version of these Birds of a Feather on Youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OAOB8tdiGP4&list=PL5SnkkcTcuUoUEkGcZ0IRcTqLyKpaiGvO>



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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Plain weave (2) 6" squares, (1) 2" square, and (1) 2" x 6" rectangle.



2. Place the 6" squares together with right sides facing and sew along three sides. Turn right side out. Weave in ends.

3. Chose a corner where two sides are sewn. Insert a safety eye on each 6" square about 1" from the top seam and 1" from the front seam. Place the safety backing on the post on the inside.
4. Stuff the bird with a good amount, but not overstuffed.



5. Fold the opening closed in the opposite direction (perpendicular) of the other seams. The top seam and bottom seam should meet in the middle. Whip stitch closed. Weave in ends.



6. If you have a long yarn tail on the 2" x 6" rectangle, use that to sew a running stitch through all the loops on the 6" edge it is next to. If there is no yarn tail, use a strand of like colored yarn to sew a running stitch through all the loops. Hold the strand and push the rectangle down the yarn to cause it to bunch up, kind of like pleating, until it is 4" long. Place this on the back of the bird with the pleated end along the bottom edge of the bird right sides facing so the wrong side is up. Center the tail and whip stitch to the back of the bird.



Use black. Cream tail above illustrates one 6" side of a 2" x 6" cinched and attached to form tail.

7. **BEAK** (use black though steps are shown in red)



8. Fold the 2" square in half diagonally wrong sides facing. Sew closed along one edge.
9. Turn right side out.
10. Stuff lightly.
11. Fold the other point down so the two sides meet and sew closed.



For a slightly shorter beak: fold the point down into the beak about 1/2". Fold the two sides in and stitch closed.

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12. Sew beak to face. See photo for placement. I like to use straight pins to hold it in place so it doesn't shift as I'm sewing. For most birds, the top of the beak should be about 1 1/2" from the corner or approximately aligned to the bottom of the eye.



ROUNDED HEAD AND BREAST

13. Push the corner point inward, push in the corner a little on each side to create a rounded shape. Use black yarn to whipstitch the sides closed. Weave in tails.



Photos illustrate rounding breast on Robin. Use black yarn for your raven.



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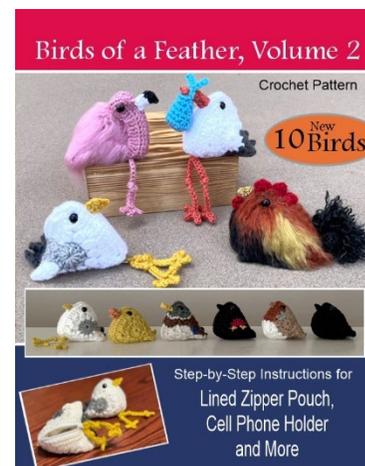
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