

Class Title: Orange Hook It Up - Crochet

Teacher Name: Jennfer Brodowska

Class Day: Friday

Class Size: 12

Class Cost: \$130

Class Fee: \$96

Ages or color group served: Orange

What level is this class: Level 3

Prerequisites: Basic reading and comprehension.

Be able to follow directions.

Graduation Requirements: Complete all the class projects.

Homework Requirements: There will be weekly homework. A few hours each week to learn and practice the stitches.

Class Description:

Ready to get hooked?

Whether you're a total beginner or already know your way around a skein of yarn, this is the perfect class to learn the art of crochet. You'll master the basics—like chains, single and double crochets—and work your way up to creating cool projects like beanies, granny squares, and more.

Week 1:

Introduction to Crochet

Topics:

History of crochet

Holding the hook & yarn

Slip knot and chain stitch (foundation chain)

Project: Practice chains + make a friendship bracelet

Goal: Comfort with hook and yarn handling

Week 2:

Single Crochet (sc)

Topics:

How to single crochet (US terms)

Turning your work

Counting stitches

Project: Bookmark

Goal: Learn tension control and stitch consistency

Week 3:

Half Double Crochet (hdc)

Topics:

New stitch: Half double crochet

Understanding stitch height

Project: Coaster set (2–3 coasters)

Week 4:

Double Crochet (dc) + Color Changes

Topics:

Double crochet

Changing yarn colors mid-project

Project: Striped mug cozy

Goal: Build confidence with new techniques

Week 5:

Granny Squares

Topics:

Working in the round

Intro to granny squares

Project: First granny square

Goal: Begin modular projects

Week 6:

Continue Granny Squares

Week 7:

Stitch Sampler & Pattern Reading

Topics:

Reading written patterns and charts

Combining stitches (sc, hdc, dc in rows)

Project: Stitch sampler mini scarf

Goal: Independent pattern reading and variation

Week 8:

Continue Sampler

Week 9:

Creative Design Week

Topics:

Students choose their own small project (keychain, pouch, plushie, etc.)

Planning and sketching ideas

Project: Start of custom project

Goal: Apply skills to personal design

Week 10:

Continue Project

Week 11:

Project Completion + Troubleshooting

Topics:

Help session

Fixing common mistakes

Finishing techniques (weaving ends, blocking)

Project: Complete custom project

Goal: Final polish and presentation prep

Week 12:

Showcase & Celebration

Activities:

Student project showcase

Certificate of completion

Group reflection & feedback

Optional: Parents invited to a short presentation

Goal: Celebrate progress, build pride and confidence