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## INSTRUCTIONS

**Note:** Templates shown on page 3.

### Tail Pompom

1. Print out Tail Pompom Template for each disc (make 2 discs). Glue to cardboard. Allow to dry, then cut out along solid and dashed lines.
2. Wrap yarn around cardboard template approximately (approx) 100 times.
3. Pull a separate strand of yarn approx 10" [20.5 cm] long between the 2 discs and tie very tightly in center.
4. Slip scissors between the 2 discs and cut the wrapped yarn all around the circle, leaving the strand used to tie off Tail Pompom intact. Fluff and trim pompom into smooth round shape.

### Head Pompom

1. Print out Head Pompom Template for each disc (make 2 discs). Glue to cardboard. Allow to dry, then cut out along solid and dashed lines.
2. Wrap yarn around cardboard template approx 150 times.

3. Pull a separate strand of yarn approx 12" [30.5 cm] long between the 2 discs and tie very tightly in center.
4. Slip scissors between the 2 discs and cut the wrapped yarn all around the circle, leaving the strand used to tie off Head Pompom intact. Fluff and trim pompom into smooth round shape.

### Body Pompom

1. Print out Body Pompom Template for each disc (make 2 discs). Glue to cardboard. Allow to dry, then cut out along solid and dashed lines.
2. Wrap yarn around cardboard template approx 200 times.
3. Pull a separate strand of yarn approx 14" [35.5 cm] long between the 2 discs and tie very tightly in center.
4. Slip scissors between the 2 discs and cut the wrapped yarn all around the circle, leaving the strand used to tie off Body Pompom intact. Fluff and trim pompom into smooth round shape.



## MATERIALS

**Caron® Simply Soft®** (6 oz /170.1 g; 315 yds/288 m)  
White (39701) **or** Soft Pink (39719) **1 ball**

Tapestry needle. White and pink 12" [30.5 cm] felt squares.

## ABBREVIATIONS: [yarnspirations.com/abbreviations](http://yarnspirations.com/abbreviations)

**Approx** =  
Approximate(ly)

**Rep** = Repeat  
**Tog** = Together



#### Ears (make 2)

1. Print out Inner and Outer Ear templates.
2. Trace templates on felt, and cut around traced lines. If using White yarn, trace Outer Ear on white felt, and Inner Ear on pink felt. If using Soft Pink yarn, trace Outer Ear on Pink Felt and Inner Ear on white.
3. Overlay Inner Ear on Outer Ear, ensuring that pieces are centered, and bottom edges are aligned.
4. Fold ear in half so point A of Outer Ear meets B. Using tapestry needle and approx 10" [20.5 cm] of yarn, sew a stitch to secure fold, and tie strands together (tog).

#### Assembly

1. Using tie-off strands, tie Body and Head Pompoms tog tightly.
2. Position Ear on Head Pompom as pictured. Using tapestry needle, run tie-off strands from Ear through center of Head Pompom. Repeat for 2nd ear. Tie strands tog tightly, and trim.
3. Position Tail Pompom on Body Pompom as pictured. Using tapestry needle, run tie-off strands from Tail Pompom through center of Head Pompom. Tie strands from Tail Pompom to strands from Body and Head Pompoms tog tightly, and trim.



