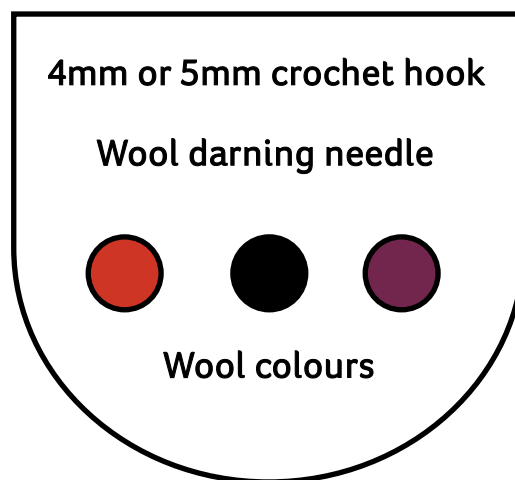# Northamptonshire age UK

Crochet a frilly edged poppy

With black wool make a 'magic ring' with 6 single crochet stitches (*this will give you a closed circle with no hole in the middle*) – bind off leaving a small tail of wool. *Examples of how to make a magic ring can be found on You Tube. Please have a look and select the version that suits you best.*

Change to red (or purple) wool. (Purple to commemorate animals).

Work 2 double crochet into each of the 6 stitches in the circle (12 stitches).

Join the circle.

Chain 2

Work 2 double crochet into each of the 12 stitches in the circle (24 stitches)
Join the circle.

Chain 3

Work alternate 2 or 3 treble crochet into each of the 24 stitches – you will see the edge of the poppy frill as you work. *Don't worry if you miss a stitch or lose count as you work around the poppy. As in nature everyone and everything is unique.*

Bind off leaving a small tail.

Thread excess wool onto a darning / wool needle and thread into the poppy. Trim excess wool to finish.

Thank you!

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