



ARE SCRUNCHIES BACK!

And these are
anything but your
mom's scrunchies!
Check out our fresh
take on this trend!



scrunchie style

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BEADINGHEART

Purple, Fuchsia, and Gem-Cut Beads You can jazz up a sold-by-the-pack hair tie with a sassy yarn combo and a handful of fancy beads. And it's easy—you start by crocheting around the elastic band:

1. Choose your first color, and make a slip knot. Then insert your hook through the circle of elastic and yarn over.
2. Pull the hook back through the circle. Yarn over and pull the yarn through both loops on the hook.
3. Single crochet into the circle. And keep going—single crochet your way around the band until the whole thing is covered.
4. Join the first and last stitches with a slip stitch. Then tie-off and tuck in the tails.
5. Choose your second color, and make a slip stitch to join it to one of the single crochets you made in step three.
6. Chain twenty-two stitches, and then make a slip stitch into the next single crochet on the band. Chain twenty-two again.
7. Repeat step six until you've made your way around the entire band.
8. Tie off, and tuck in the tails.
9. With a needle and coordinating embroidery floss, stitch beads to the yarn as desired.





» **LOOP LOVIN'** The finished scrunchie is a kaleidoscope-style collection of loops that bunch and curl and go a little cuckoo when they're wrapped a couple of times around a ponytail. Can you believe all that color came from the same skein? Yep, variegated is really that good!



Multicolor Neon You've seen those fun, color-change skeins. And though the name's a little funky—*variegated* sounds like something that describes industrial machinery—they're a great way to work a riot of color into your project without changing yarns. To make this scrunchie:

1. Make a slip knot, and insert your hook through the circle of elastic. Yarn over, and pull the hook back through the circle. Now yarn over again, and pull the yarn through both loops on the hook.
2. Chain six and yarn over. Then place your hook under the circle of elastic and yarn over again.
3. Work one double crochet.
4. Chain three and yarn over. Then place your hook under the circle of elastic and yarn over again.
5. Repeat steps three and four until the entire band is covered.
6. Tie off, and tuck in the tails.

VERYVARIEGATED

CUFFME

Multicolor Neon and

Rhinestone Button We dialed down the crazy (but only a little) with this easy, un-scrunchie design. It looks great in a solid—think work, church and dinner dates—but you’ve just gotta do one with some kooky variegated yarn too. Here’s how:

1. Make a slip knot with the yarn of your choice—we vote variegated.
2. Chain twenty-five.
3. Work twenty-five single crochet stitches, and turn your work. To begin the next row, hook through the top loop of the last full stitch. Yarn over and pull the yarn through both loops, leaving one loop on the hook.
4. Repeat steps two and three until you’ve made six complete rows.
5. Tie off, and weave-in the tails.
6. With a needle and coordinating embroidery thread, stitch the button to one end of the cuff. And the yarn is loose enough that you won’t even need a buttonhole.



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PARTY ACTIVITIES
AND USING UP
LEFTOVER YARN!

Blue Neon, Fuchsia Neon, White Crochet Flower, Flower Button

Freshen up your ponytail with this garden-worthy, layered scrunchie. All you have to do is single crochet around the elastic band and add two pre-made flowers to one you crochet yourself:

1. This look starts off just like the Beading Heart scrunchie (page 2), so begin by following steps one through four of those instructions.
2. Work six single crochet, using the magic circle method.
3. Pull the tail to close the circle.

The next 4 steps will make the flower.

4. Chain three.
5. Work two treble crochet, chain three, and then single crochet.
6. Repeat steps four and five to form the other petals.
7. Make a slip stitch to finish.
8. Thread the needle with yarn, and sew the flower button onto the pre-made white flower. Then sew the white flower onto the flower you crocheted. Wrap the yarn around the elastic a few times, and knot to secure.

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