

TRANSCRIPT

Celandine Button Loop

Stella Egidi's new pattern, Celandine, uses this really unique technique called the yarn button loop. And I'm going to show you how she says to do that.

So you're gonna take your yarn, and thread it on a tapestry needle, and we're gonna come in and we're gonna work on the bind-off edge. So from back to front, and come in through that bind-off edge. Pull it through. You're gonna wanna give yourself a lot of extra yarn here. And then go down. I'm gonna go two stitches over here. Gonna go down, back through the bind-off loop. And we're gonna use our finger to create a loop that's a little bit smaller than your actual button. You wanna make sure that it grabs it without being too big where it slips off, but not too small where you can't get it over the button. And we're going to wanna wrap it around, probably a triple stranded, so that we have some stability in there. So I'm gonna go back through that bind-off edge, or excuse me. We're gonna go back through that bind-off edge, keeping our finger wrapped here so that we have the loop. And then I'm gonna come back through this side. Making sure that we have our three strands there.

Now from here, I like to just use my finger and a thumb, just to keep things steady. And all you're gonna do is you're gonna come up through the main loop, use your thumb to hold the yarn, and then go down, back through that strand. And we're going to pull it down here, creating a little knot around the three strands. And we're going to just keep repeating that all the way around. So up through the main loop, down through the thumb loop. Up through the finger strands, down. And keep snugging those little knots back until they bump into the other one. Up. And down. Snug it back. Up through the finger, down through the thumb, and snug it back. We're gonna keep doing that all the way around.

And once you've filled it all up, nice and snug through there, you're just going to come in, go through the back, and weave in your ends like normal. But make sure you fill it up a little bit more than I did. And that's how you get those yarn button loops.