

# Larksfoot Stitch Ideas

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Hello there! Today I'm on a mission to inspire you, because we truly should make the most of our time during lockdown. Don't let yourself to become a couch potato, unless you have a crochet hook in your hand!

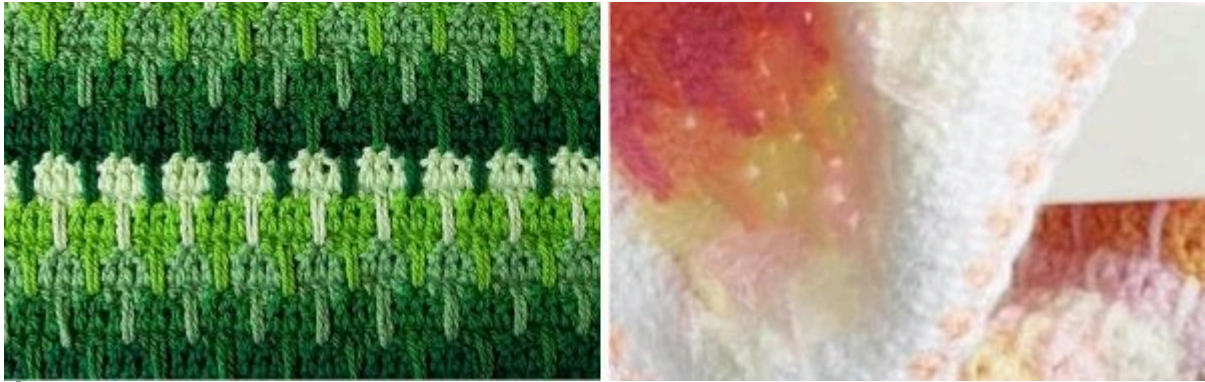


Lark's foot is a very popular (and very simple) knot, and you can see it immediately in this pattern. Once you get it, you can go on with your eyes closed.

Ready? Grab your favorite yarns and [crochet hook](#)!







**GOOD vibes are here**

Although it may not look like it, this stitch is actually quite easy, as it uses [basic stitches](#). The only trick here is working one of the [double crochet stitches](#) much lower than the other. This way you can create this characteristic “spike”. It’s perfect for baby blankets.

## Materials

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Author of this tutorial used Lion Brand Color Made Easy Yarn, which is 100% acrylic, in three fantastic colors – Huckleberry, Turmeric and Alabaster.

*PSST! If you want to know more about yarn ball types, [check out my article!](#)*  
She chose 6.5 mm [crochet hook](#) for this yarn, but you can use any yarn and corresponding hook size.









We start with [slip knot](#) and [foundation chain](#) of multiples of 4 + 1. Next you proceed with [double crochet stitches](#) and [chain stitches](#) to make a “gap”. To create cool larksfoot pattern, you need to work one of your double crochet strategically two rows below. It’s not hard to do, but requires some practice in keeping the right tension, so you take a look at my article on [how to work with crochet hook](#).  
<https://crochetpedia.com/slip-knot/>  
 See the full video by B.Hooked Crochet [here](#). If you prefer written instructions, you can find them [here](#).

| talking about stitches...

Our growing website and [library of free crochet patterns](#) has some projects that might interest you, too. If you want to know more about crochet, read my articles on different topics, for example – what are **Crochet Swatches**?

→ [Yes! Take me to this article!](#) ←



or...

Try out my **free crochet pattern** for the amazing **Spike Stitch Baby Blanket!**

→ [Yes! Take me to this free pattern!](#) ←



**crochet roundup!**

As always, crochet roundup is one my favorite sections to research, because there are so many beautiful creations. Today's designs show how many different color combinations you can employ for this cool stitch. Which one you like the most? Let me know in the comments!

Read carefully for **free crochet patterns** and tutorials.



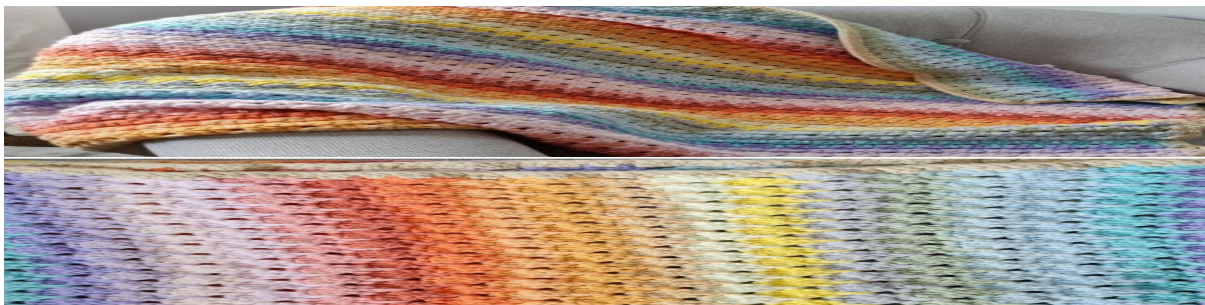
## Pastel Beauties

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### Pastel Rainbow Larksfoot Blanket by Minnymork Creative

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Delicate lines of pastel rainbow always make me smile, because it's one of the loveliest palettes ever! Amanda's blanket features larksfoot stitch in soft cotton yarn, but it would look great in wool as well. One of the most important things is to learn how to choose colors, and it seems like Amanda did her homework. Take a look below, because it's simply stunning!



photos by [@minnymork.creative](#) on Instagram: [source](#)

To make similar blanket, try using **free crochet pattern** for Larksfoot Blanket by Bernat Design Studio, available on [yarnspirations.com](#), or on [ravelry.com](#).



### Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Poppyseed and Pom

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Strategically placed stripes of color can turn a simple blanket into a stunning piece of art! Caroline from Poppyseed and Pom went for bands of colors alternating with wide white stripes, and it looks amazing! The choice of colors for the panels is spot on, because warm tones of yellow and orange are broken up by lilacs and blue.





photos by [@poppyseedandpom](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

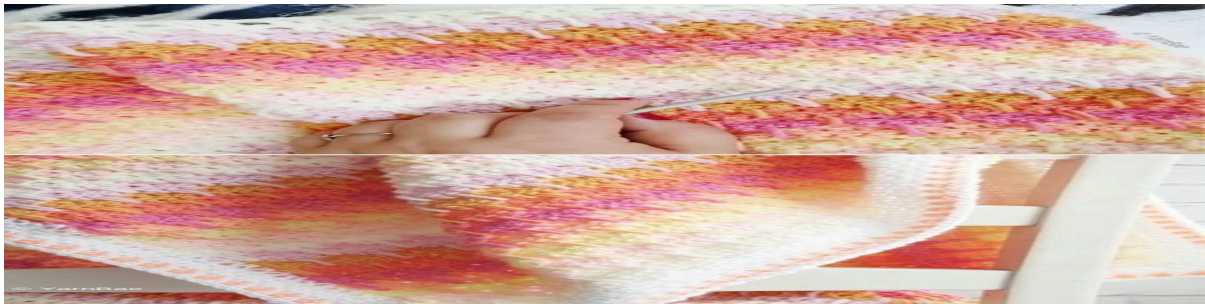
To make similar blanket, try using **free crochet pattern** for Simple Larksfoot Stitch Pattern by Devon Tremblay, available on [ravelry.com](#).



## Weeping Rainbows Blanket Version by YarnBae

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Isn't this sherbet blanket the sweetest? Combination of white, yellows, peach and pinks is light and reminds me of summer. The overall effect is even sweeter thanks to very simple, but cleverly made edging. You can see more of this project [here](#).



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photos by YarnBae ([@yarnbae](#))

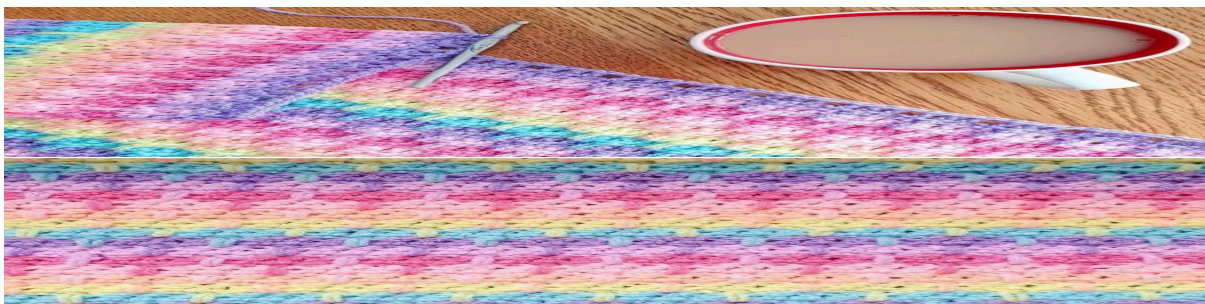
This particular project is based on paid pattern for [Weeping Rainbows Blanket by Little Cosy Things](#), but you can use any free tutorial (for example the one I linked earlier!) to make similar blanket.



## Melting Rainbows Blanket Version by Crochet Shaz

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Classic pastels work great in baby blankets, so this amazing version by Crochet Shaz is no exception. Take a look at the photos below and see delicate color changes between each module, and how nicely they interlock. Looks like a perfect project for a lazy afternoon, huh? Grab your hook and get to work!



photos by [@crochetshaz](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

This project is based on paid pattern called [Melting Rainbows Blanket by Kerry Jayne Designs](#), which you can purchase on Etsy.



## Larksfoot Stitch Baby Blanket by orgu\_hazinesi\_42

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Gee, I can almost feel the squishiness and softness of this blanket, but it's not the only thing I'm drooling over – just look at this color palette! Crocheter behind Instagram account [orgu\\_hazinesi\\_42](#) is a true master, because their feed is full of fantastic designs like the one you see below. If you are looking for a girly, sweet color scheme, this one is the cutest.



photos by [@orgu\\_hazinesi\\_42](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)



## Elegant and Feminine Colorways

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### Double Strand Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Hooked Yarn Crochet

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I'm a big fan of marled and washed out effects on yarn, so I was naturally drawn to this blanket. It uses two strands of yarn, one of which is always cream. If you want to "lighten up" the colors, or make them less vivid, it's definitely a way to go. As you can see in the photo, stripes are still colorful, but the whole blanket has this cute vintage feel.



photos by [@hooked\\_yarn\\_crochet](#) on Instagram: [source](#)

To make similar blanket, try using **free crochet pattern** for The Larksfoot Blanket by Hannah Cross, available on [ravelry.com](#).

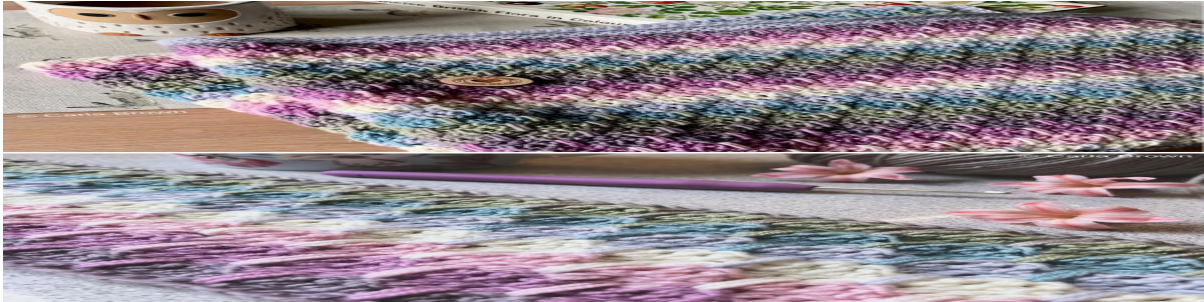




## Weeping Rainbows Blanket Version by Carla Brown

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Do you like lilacs? Me too! This beautiful color palette is a bit subdued, calm, but very refined. Baby blanket like this will look amazing in any interior, introducing very delicate style. It fits both boys and girls, so go for it if you're stuck with your baby shower gift ideas!



*photo by Carla Brown ([@c.brown685](#))*

This project is based on paid pattern for [Weeping Rainbows Blanket by Little Cosy Things](#), but you can easily try **free crochet pattern** for [Larksfoot Blanket by Allison Murray](#).



## Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Toyah Radbourne

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If you are looking for something more mysterious, try using lilacs, blues and mint together. This color combo creates a petrol-like visual effect, which will be perfect for mermaid-loving girls or adult that's into crystals and magic.



*photos by Toyah Radbourne ([@penelope\\_and\\_the\\_squish](#))*



## Tales of Blue and Green

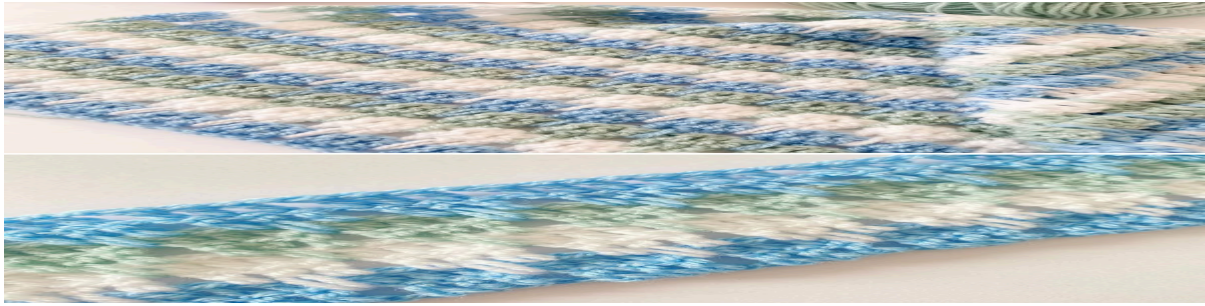
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### Blue Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Kasia Nowak

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Delicate tones like these will suit both boys and girls, so it's a great choice if you don't know the baby's sex yet. Kasia's blanket features quite simple combination of colors, but its strength lays in the dusty mint woven into blue and white. As you can see, it makes this

color palette much more sophisticated and refined.



photos by [@woolthrive](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

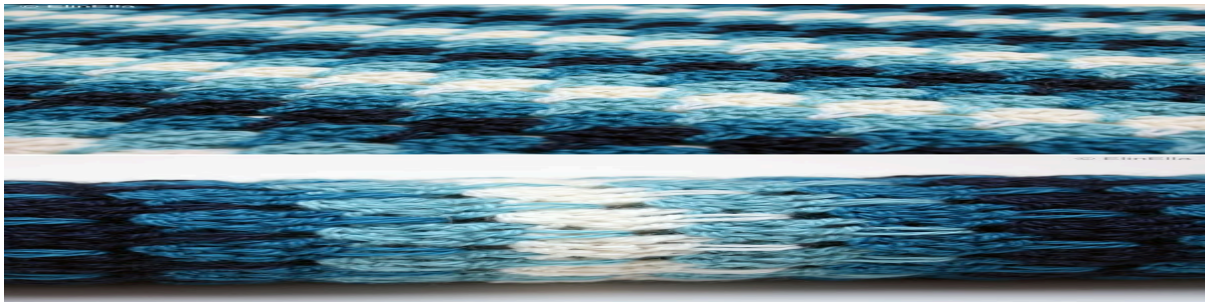
To make similar blanket, try using **free crochet pattern** for Larksfoot Blanket by Bernat Design Studio, available on [yarnspirations.com](#), or on [ravelry.com](#).



## Larksfoot Stitch Afghan by ElinElla

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If you are not a fan of colorful blankets, and you are looking for something calmer, go for this sophisticated palette. Shades of blue and white accent reminds me of a deep ocean. It's a great idea for those of you, who consider using larksfoot stitch for a bedspread.



photos by ElinElla ([Ravelry](#))

Start by using **free pattern** for [Larksfoot Blanket \(Aran\)](#) by Bernat Design Studio.

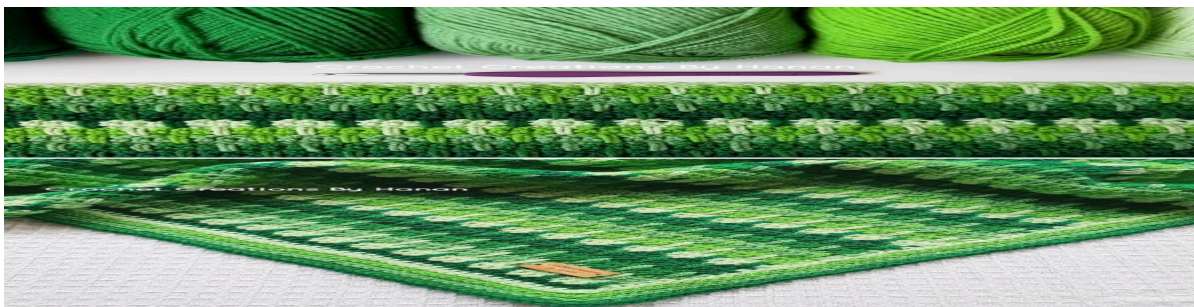


## Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Crochet Creations by Hanan

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Neat and even stitches are an effect of months and months of practice, and this beautiful baby blanket is a fantastic example. Moreover, this tension is impeccable! Juicy greens cannot be more springy, right?





photos by Hanan ([@crochetcreationsbyhanan](https://www.instagram.com/crochetcreationsbyhanan))

Want to try something different? Maybe make it in bulky yarn? If you would like to try, check out this **free pattern** for [Larksfoot Blanket \(Super Bulky\)](#) by [Bernat Design Studio](#).



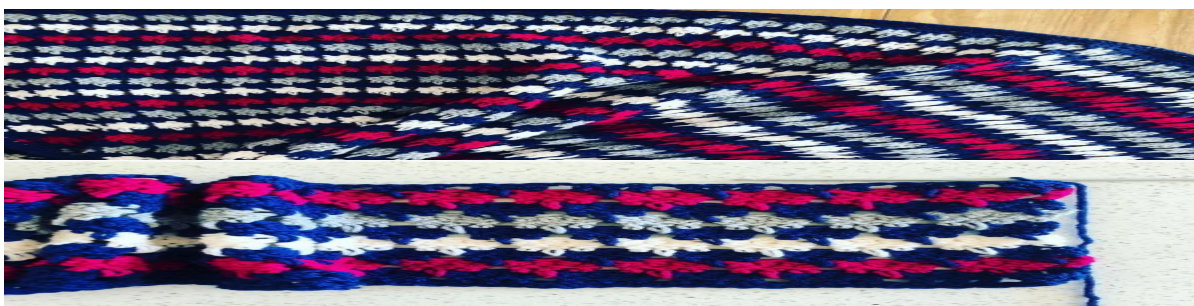
## All about the contrasts

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### Contrasting Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Cherry

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Now this is interesting, don't you think? Cherry's blanket is all about the contrasts, and it's done really well. Take a look at the picture, because there you'll see that dark navy works like a background to red, grey and white. Why is that? Simple! Lighter colors pop when in contact with darks, so that you don't even read navy as larksfoot. Clever, huh?



photos by [@brightredcherries](https://www.instagram.com/brightredcherries) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

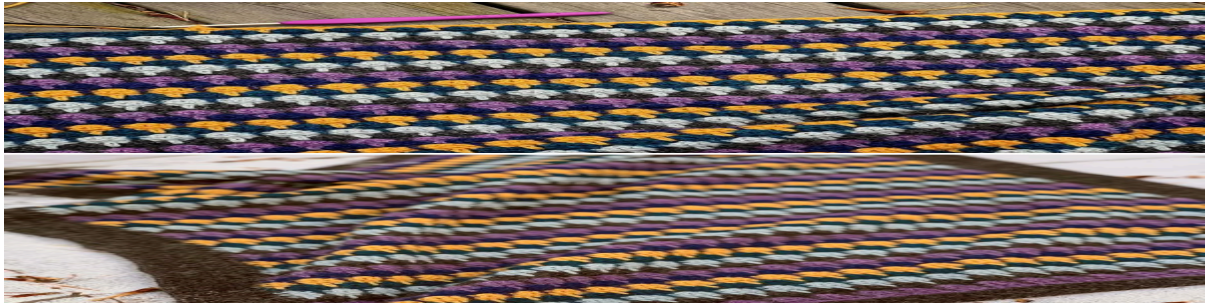
To make similar blanket, try using **free crochet pattern** for The Larksfoot Blanket by Hannah Cross, available on [ravelry.com](https://www.ravelry.com).



### Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Kamali Crochet

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Mixing and matching dark tones and vivid ones results in nicely visible larksfoot stripes. That's the magic of color! When you put bright yellow next to dark navy, it pops out, turning the dark tones into the background. Take a look at Kamali Crochet's photos and study it, because it's a great way to play with patterns and stitches!



photos by [@kamalicrochet](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

To learn the stitch use **free crochet pattern** for Larksfoot Dish Cloth by Sara Sach, available on [poshpoochdesignsdogclothes.blogspot.com](http://poshpoochdesignsdogclothes.blogspot.com), or on [ravelry.com](http://ravelry.com).



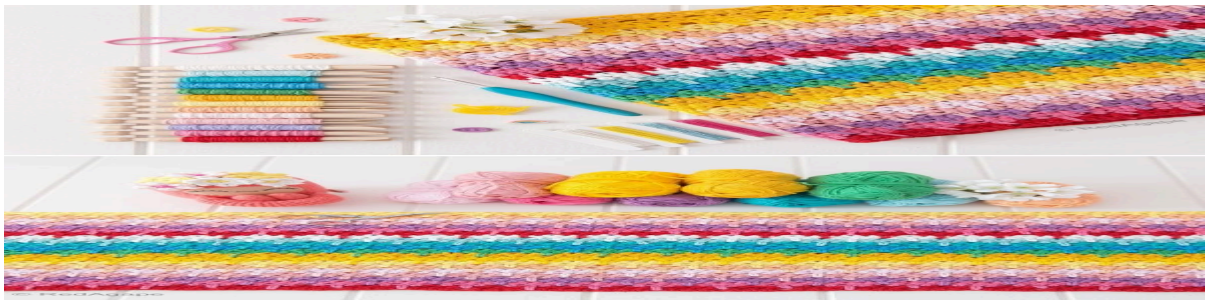
## Cheerful Rainbow Blankets

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### Weeping Rainbows Blanket Version by RedAgape (Mandy O’Sullivan)

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Need a cheerful project? Go for this one! I absolutely adore this combination of colors, because it’s using many colors, but not in a straightforward rainbow-y way. You just can’t not smile when you see it, right?



photos by RedAgape (Mandy O’Sullivan) ([@crochetbyredagape](#))

This project is also based on paid pattern for [Weeping Rainbows Blanket by Little Cosy Things](#), but if you need a **free pattern**, use [The Larksfoot Blanket by Hannah Cross](#).

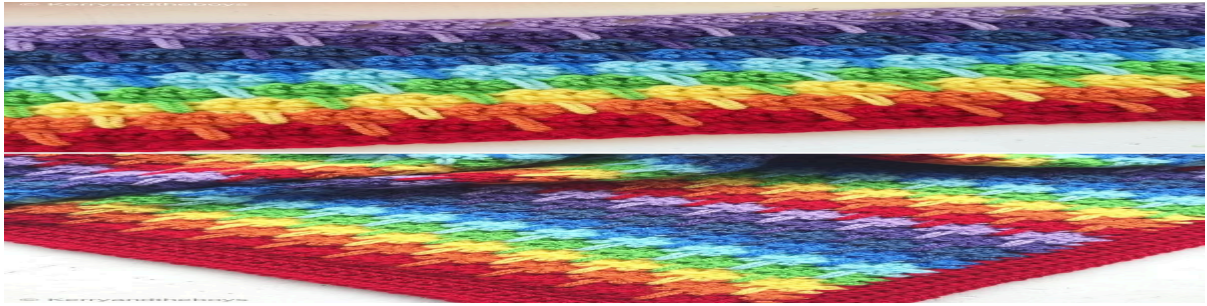


### Rainbow Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Kerryandtheboys

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Rainbow queen Kerry tried larksfoot stitch as well, among many many other projects. It’s a stunning piece, don’t you agree? Addition of a very simple border in bold color is a lovely finishing touch on this baby blanket.





photos by Kerry ([@kerryandtheboys](#))

Need a **free pattern**? Try this one – [Simple Larksfoot Stitch Pattern by Devon Tremblay](#).



## Rainbow Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by Rainbows\_and\_I

Until we can see the array of colorful flowers on the meadows, crochet blankets can bring a little bit of spring to our home! Just look at these juicy colors! They will work fantastically in kids' room.



photos by Sabine ([@rainbows\\_and\\_i](#))

Don't need a baby blanket? No worries. Try using **free crochet pattern** for [Big Larksfoot Rainbow Blanket by Kirsten Ballering](#) to make a similar piece in bigger size!



## Little Larksfoot Rainbow Blanket by Kirsten Ballering

The kind of yarn you choose heavily affects the final product of your crochet endeavors, so educate yourself in this matter. In this amazing blanket made with Scheepjes Stone Washed, the 'washed' effect is clearly visible. It gives a lot of character, so try it!



photos by Kirsten Ballering ([haakmaarraak.nl](http://haakmaarraak.nl))

This project is available as a **free crochet pattern** – [Little Larksfoot Rainbow Blanket by Kirsten Ballering](#).



## Weeping Rainbows Blanket Version by Kate Rowell

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I must admit that Kate is one of my favorite crocheters, and the blanket you can see in the photos below is among her most eye-catching projects! This lovely rich color scheme has such nice flow, that it's almost hard to see the larksfoot pattern – the spikes play the main role, definitely! This colorway makes the project interesting and unusual.



photos by [@jellybean\\_junction](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

This project is also based on paid pattern for [Weeping Rainbows Blanket by Little Cosy Things](#).



## Weeping Rainbows Blanket Version by stitchedupcraft

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This section is all about clever and unique ideas for larksfoot stitch, and this version is definitely fitting here! Crocheter behind stitchedupcraft decided to make her rainbow a little bit more interesting. As you can see in the photos, she introduced white in between rainbow stripes, creating eye-catching contrasting pattern. Clever!



photos by [@stitchedupcraft](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)





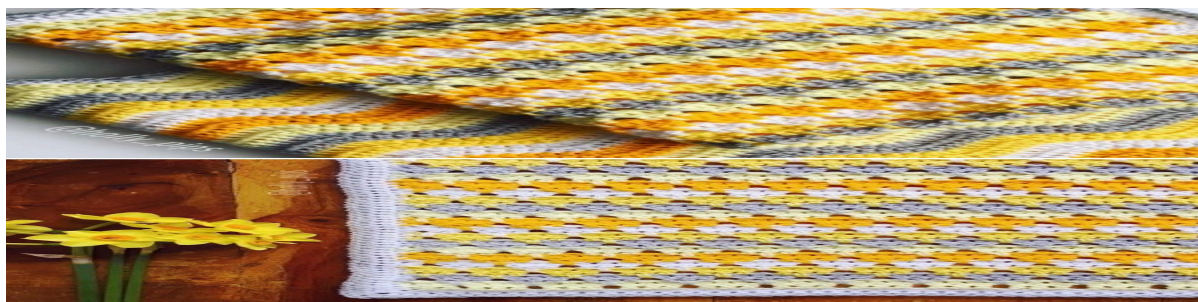
## Unexpected Colorways and Ideas

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### Larksfoot Stitch Blanket by holly\_pips

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I've said it many times, but I will say it again – yellow and grey is the perfect combo! It just never goes out of style, so go for it whenever you need! It fits girls, as well as boys, so don't worry about any faux pas here.



*photo by holly\_pips ([@holly\\_pips](#))*



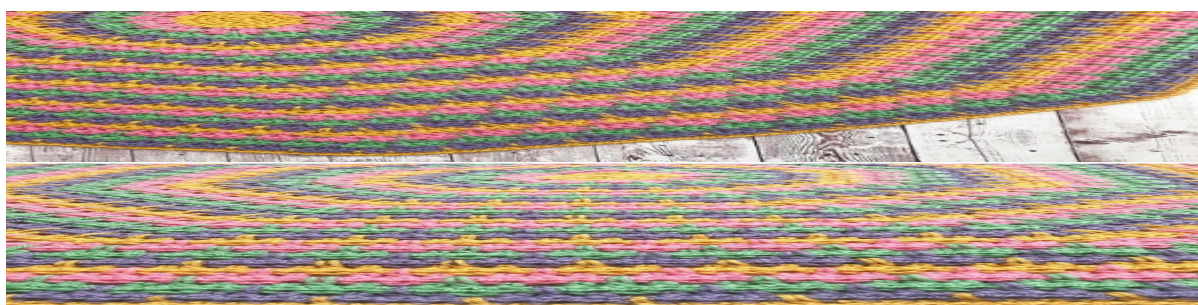
## Unusual Larksfoot Patterns

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### Larking Around Blanket by Sew Hooky

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Now that's a real treat to all larksfoot stitch lovers! Crocheter behind Sew Hooky came up with original idea of working this lovely stitch in the round, and it came out great! In the photos you can see that it's not really a circle, because this techniques requires some straight lines. Just work these rounds and make it as big as you like!



*photos by [@sewhooky](#) on Instagram: [source](#)*

You can purchase this pattern through [etsy.com](#).



### Jagged Waves Blanket by Eleri Schofield

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Now this one is a real treat, so... larksfoot [chevron](#), anyone? Eleri came up with a brilliant idea to make the spikes go up and down in zig-zags, and it looks amazing! Just take a look at the photos below to see how clever and easy it is, but be sure to choose the right

colorway before you start. This stitch variation is a great alternative to classic [granny ripple](#)!



photos by [@mycrochetplace](#) on Instagram: [top](#), [bottom](#)

Below you can see a different colorway by Eleri, but could you ever choose which one is your favorite? Rich and bold colors look nice together, so don't be afraid to use them.



photos by [@mycrochetplace](#) on Instagram: [source](#)

You can purchase this pattern on Ravelry here – it's called [Jagged Waves Blanket by Eleri Schofield](#).



That's all for today, but I'll be back with much more inspiring projects and [free patterns](#). Like, share and subscribe if you like what you see. Stay tuned!















