

# MONKEY DOODLE DOLL PATTERN

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## *Monkey*

Materials Required:

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"AUNT LYDIA'S" HEAVY RUG YARN, Article 235

4 skeins Bronze Gold

4 yds. medium wire

1 metal coat hanger

1 styrofoam ball

1/8 yd. Red Felt, Small section of Black Felt

Casein glue

**HEAD:** Cover 1 side of styrofoam ball with casein glue and starting in center of ball, wind yarn round and round to pasted side taking care to wind strands even. Cover other side of ball with paste and wind yarn in same manner. Cut mouth and nose from Red felt, eyes from Black felt and paste in place. Form a hook on one end of 6 inch length of medium wire, insert at neck of styrofoam ball and glue wire in place.

**HAT:** Cut a circle of Red felt 3 inches in diameter. Cut a strip of Red felt 1 1/4 inches wide and 10 inches long. Seam end then sew to circle of felt.

**EARS:** Wind yarn 30 times over a 2 inch cardboard, tie one end, slip from cardboard. With "STAR" MERCERIZED SEWING THREAD secure all loops together and sew ear in place. Work other ear to correspond.

Cut remainder of yarn into 2 inch lengths. Cut medium wire into an 18 inch length for tail, a 45 inch length for body, a 27 inch length for arms and a 34 inch length for legs. Thread the 2 inch lengths of yarn through center onto wires as specified above.

**BODY:** Cut metal coat hanger in half removing hook at the same time. Using only 1/2 of hanger form a 1/2 inch hook on each end. Overlap hooks and bind together forming approximately a 7 1/2 inch x 2 inch oval. Pull free end of medium wire of head through hooks leaving about 1/2 inch for neck, bind wires in place. Bind 45 inch length of yarn covered body wire at shoulder and wrap the body covered wire around and around coat hanger frame binding at each side at each spiral with rug yarn until metal frame is completely covered. Bind at base, then bind arm, leg and tail wires in position.

