YARN STASH TIDY

CHECKLIST

A SIMPLE, STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO HELP YOU ORGANISE YOUR YARN AND ENJOY CALMER CROCHET.

Step 1- Gather it all

- [ ] Pull yarn from cupboards, baskets, bags &WIPs
- [ ] Include partial balls & left over skeins
- [ ] Clear one surface to work on

Step 2: Sort First (Before Buying Storage)

LAY EVERYTHING OUT & DECIDE ON YOUR STORAGE METHOD. REMEMBER YOU JUST NEED A SYSTEM THAT WORKS FOR HOW YOU ACTUALLY CROCHET.

- [ ] Colour lovers - store by colour family
- [ ] Patterns designers store by weight
- [ ] Gift crocheters - store by type (baby/blankets/toys etc)

Step 3: Check Labels & Quantities

- [ ] Keep yarn labels where possible
- [ ] Group partial balls together
- [ ] Make a note of yarn without labels

Step 4: Decide what stays!

- [ ] Yarn I love and will use
- [ ] Yarn for planned projects
- [ ] Yarn to donate or gift

A tidy stash makes space for creativity.

Step 5: Choose simple storage

- ☐ Use clear boxes or open baskets so yarn is visible
- ☐ Store natural fibres in breathable containers
- ☐ Keep current projects in their own bag or basket

Step 6: Create a Yarn-In / Yarn-Out Habit

- ☐ Check your stash before buying new yarn
- ☐ Assign new yarn to a project
- ☐ Finish or frog before starting too many WIPs

Step7: Mini Maintenance Reset

- ☐ Do a seasonal tidy (10–20 minutes)
- ☐ Revisit unused yarn
- ☐ Plan a stash-busting project

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