Candy Twist

This sweet little piece of candy features a fun weave pattern.

Difficulty: Intermediate

Number of Squares: 1

Finished Size: 3" w x 1-1/2" h


Loom: Zoom Loom, 6" weaving needle

Notions: Matching sewing thread, sewing needle and tapestry needle, fleece or fiberfill.

Weaving: Wind the first and second layers with white and the third layer with red. Wind the red around the loom 3 times and begin the weaving with the first pick of red. Measure a length of white yarn 3 times around the loom, and thread a darning or tapestry needle. Weave the second pick with white, then continue weaving, alternating red and white.

Finishing: Remove the square from the loom. Using the Gold Rush, whip stitch along two opposite sides [1].

Using sewing thread, sew the square into a tube, with the Gold Rush on the ends [2]. Stuff with fleece and use the sewing thread to make a large running stitch around the tube 3/4" from each end. Pull tight and secure with a square knot.

Wrap around the cinched stitches two times with 24" of the Gold Rush doubled. Secure with a square knot and repeat on the other side [4].

Decorate with beads or sequins if desired. Display in a group or individually.