Recycled Bottle Purse Crochet Pattern
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For this project I used:

One empty Sauvitel Bottle (clean and dried)
Assorted colored yarn in bright colors
Pony Beads in bright colors
Matching ribbons
Hole puncher
Size H Crochet Hook
Colored Paper
Mod Podge

Cut the plastic bottle evenly just under the handle to create a base for the purse. If you cannot remove the label, add a coat of Mod Podge and cover with pretty paper.

Use a hole puncher to punch holes evenly around the top of the container. Make your holes approximately 1/4" apart.

Crochet Pattern:

1st rnd: With white yarn, make 2 dc in each hole around the bottle. Join with a Sl St.

2nd rnd: Join dark blue yarn, Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * Skip 1 sp; 2 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

3rd rnd: With pink yarn, string pony beads onto the yarn before beginning. Count how many holes you have in the bottle and string that many beads.   Join Pink yarn. Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * Move a bead into place, 2 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

4th rnd: Join green yarn, Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * 2 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

5th rnd: Join orange yarn. ch 2, *work 1 dc into next dc of 3rd rnd (pink row), 1 sc into top of next cluster; rep from * around omitting sc at end, sl st to first sc.

6th rnd: Continue with orange yarn. ch 2, dc in each st, Join with Sl St to top of first dc.

7th rnd: Join yellow yarn, Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * Skip 1 sp; 2 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

8th rnd: Join blue yarn. ch 2, *work 1 dc into next dc of 6th rnd (orange row), 1 sc into top of next cluster; rep from * around omitting sc at end, sl st to first sc.

9th rnd: Continue with blue yarn. ch 2, dc in each st, Join with Sl St to top of first dc.

10th rnd: With white yarn, string pony beads onto the yarn before beginning. Join white yarn. Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * Move a bead into place, Skip 1 sp; 2 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

11th rnd: (Decrease rnd) Join green yarn, Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * 2 dc in next sp; 1 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

12th rnd: Continue with green yarn. ch 2, dc in each st, Join with Sl St to top of first dc.

13th rnd: Join orange yarn. Ch 2, 1 dc in first sp. * Skip 1 sp; 2 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

14th rnd: Join pink yarn. ch 2, *work 1 dc into next dc of 12th rnd (green row), 1 sc into top of next cluster; rep from * around omitting sc at end, sl st to first sc.

15th rnd: Continue with pink yarn. ch 2, dc in each st, Join with Sl St to top of first dc.

16th rnd: Join blue yarn.   ch 2, trc in each st, Join with Sl St to top of first dc.

17th rnd: (Trim) Join white yarn, Ch 2, 1 dc, 1 sc in first sp. * Skip 2 sp; 1 dc, 1 sc, 1 dc in next sp. Repeat from * around. Join with Sl St to top of first shell.

Optional: run a pretty ribbon through any of the rows for another nice detail.

Finish by running a 24" long x 1" wide ribbon through the blue trc stitches at the top. Gather and tie.