

Knit Beginner 1 - Pompom Hat



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Pompom Hat for all Ages

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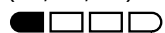
Stitches Used:

Knit stitch

Size:

Directions are for Baby; changes for sizes Small, Medium, and Large are in parentheses.

Hat circumference at bottom edge: 14 (17, 20, 22)" [35.5 (43, 51, 56) cm]



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Supplies:

- 1 ball - Red Heart® Soft Essentials™ Peony
- 1 Size US 10.5 (6.5mm) knitting needles
- 1 - Yarn needle
- 1 - Pompom maker (optional)



Special terms/Techniques to be taught:

Cast on, Knit stitch, Decreasing, Bind off, Sew side seams, Weave in ends, How to make and attach a Pompom (optional), Reading a pattern, Abbreviations

Gauge:

14 sts = 4" [10 cm]. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

Abbreviations:

cm = centimeters;

k = knit;

k2tog = knit 2 sts together;

mm = millimeters;

st(s) = stitch(es);

tog = together;

[] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

Notes:

Hat is knit flat and seamed.

Special Abbreviations:

K2tog (1 st decrease): Knit 2 sts together.

HAT

Cast on 50 (60, 70, 80) sts.

Row 1: Knit.

Repeat Row 1 until piece measures 5 (6, 6, 7)" [12.5 (15, 15, 18) cm from beginning.

Shape Crown

Row 1: [K3 (4, 5, 6), k2tog] 10 times – 40 (50, 60, 70) sts remain.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: [K2 (3, 4, 5), k2tog] 10 times – 30 (40, 50, 60) sts remain.

Row 4: Knit.

Row 5: [K1 (2, 3, 4), k2tog] 10 times – 20 (30, 40, 50) sts remain.

Row 6: Knit.

For Small, Medium and Large only

Row 7: [K (1, 2, 3), k2tog] 10 times – (20, 30, 40) sts remain.

Row 8: Knit.

For Medium and Large only

Row 9: [K (1, 2), k2tog] 10 times – (20, 30) sts remain.

Row 10: Knit.

For Large only

Row 11: [K1, k2tog] 10 times – (20) sts remain.

Row 12: Knit.

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For all sizes

Last Row: [K2tog] 10 times – 10 sts remain.

Cut yarn leaving a tail long enough to sew back seam.

Thread tail through remaining sts and pull to gather. Use remaining tail to sew back seam closed.

Finishing:

Weave in ends. Using pompom maker, make a 3" [7.5 cm] diameter pompom. Sew to top of Hat.

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