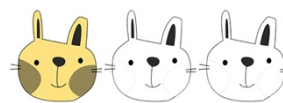

KIM COWL

KNITTING PATTERN



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Skill level: easy

Sizes: baby/toddler/child

MATERIALS

Aran (8 wpi; 10 ply; no 4: Medium) weight yarn such as Drops Nepal about 50-75g that is 80-120 yards

Few yards or grams contrast color yarn

Double pointed knitting needle size US 8 (5 mm) or to obtain gauge 4"x 4" (10 x 10 cm) = 17 sts x 22 rows (in stockinette stitch)

Crochet hook to match your yarn

Abbreviations

St(s) – stitches

RS and WS – right and wrong side

K – knit

P – purl

K2tog – knit two stitches together

M1 – make one stitch

Ch – chain

Sc – single crochet

Sl st – slip stitch

Dc3tog – double crochet 3 stitches together

PATTERN NOTES

The cowl is worked in the round top down, the front and back are identical.

Before you start, check your gauge

Crochet terms are US

THE COWL

Cast on 56; 60; 64 sts (choose depending on the size baby; toddler; child and follow the given number throughout the pattern) with your main yarn and join working in the round making sure there is no twist.

Round 1: *k1, p1* all around

Work Round 1 until the collar measures 4"; 4 ½"; 5" (10; 12; 13 cm).

You continue working the cowl flat with knitting the front and back separately, next Row work first 28; 30; 32 sts and slip the remaining to a spare needle or keep at the back of your needle unworked. You can switch to straight or circular needles now.

Cowl Row 1 (RS): *k1, p1* all across, (28; 30; 32 sts)

Cowl Row 2 (WS): work each stitch in the opposite manner as it faces to you that is knit the purl and purl the knit stitches

Cowl Row 3: *k1, p1* all across, cast on 4 sts (32; 34; 36 sts)

Cowl Row 4: work each stitch in the opposite manner as it faces to you that is knit the purl and purl the knit stitches, cast on 4 sts (36; 38; 40 sts)

Repeat Cowl Row 1 for 4; 8; 12 times more.

Continue repeating Cowl Row 1 but in the beginning of each next row bind off the first stitch. Repeat until you have 15 sts left, bind off the remaining sts. Cut the yarn, fasten off.

Join yarn to the remaining sts, repeat all starting from Cowl Row 1 for the second piece.

DECORATING

Crochet around the bottom edge of the cowl with your crochet hook and contrast color yarn. Join yarn with a sl st to which will be the back piece and single crochet around the edge. Cut the yarn and fasten off.

Flower (make 3)

With contrast color yarn ch 4, sl st to form a ring.

Round 1: (2 ch, dc3tog, 2 ch, sl st into the ring) 4 times.

Cut the yarn and. Fasten off.

Attach the 3 flowers to the front of the cowl, you can decorate them with beads.

