

Knit hats for everyone

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FREE Project Sheet!

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★ Suitable for Beginners

YARN QUALITY*		KNITTING NEEDLES	GAUGE in St st ON LARGER NEEDLES
A	Fingering Weight	2.75mm [US 2] & 3.5mm [US 4]	26 sts = 4"; 35 rows = 4"
B	Light Sport Weight	3.5mm [US 4] & 4mm [US 6]	22 sts = 4"; 30 rows = 4"
C	Sport Weight	3.5mm [US 4] & 4mm [US 6]	20 sts = 4"; 27 rows = 4"
D	Light Worsted Weight	4mm [US 6] & 5mm [US 8]	18 sts = 4"; 24 rows = 4"
E	Worsted Weight	4mm [US 6] & 5mm [US 8]	17 sts = 4"; 23 rows = 4"
F	Chunky Weight	5mm [US 8] & 6mm [US 10]	15 sts = 4"; 20 rows = 4"
G	Bulky Weight	6.5mm [US 10.5] & 9mm [US 13]	9 sts = 4"; 13 rows = 4"

Amount: One skein each of 2 colors of any yarn quality will make one or more hats.

SIZE	1	2	3	4	5	6
TO FIT	Preemie	Baby	Toddler	Child	Women	Men
CIRCUMFERENCE	12"	14"	16"	18"	20"	22"

NOTE: Circle the numbers appropriate to the hat size and yarn quality you are making to help keep track of the pattern.

HAT-Cuff: With smaller needles and first color, cast on

A	77	93	105	-	-	-
B	65	77	89	97	109	121
C	61	69	81	89	101	109
D	53	61	73	81	89	97
E	49	57	69	77	85	93
F	-	53	61	69	77	81
G	-	33	37	41	45	49

sts. Work in ribbing as follows: **Row 1 (Right Side):** * K2, P2; rep from * to last st; K1. **Row 2:** P1, * K2, P2; rep from * across. Rep Rows 1 and 2 for

A-G	2½	3	4	5	6	6
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inches, end Row 1. **Crown:** Change to larger needles and second color and work in plain St st or stripes, beg K row, until

A-G	5	6	7	9	10	10
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inches from beg, end P row. **Shape Top:** [K2tog, K

A	15	19	22	-	-	-
B	12	15	18	20	23	26
C	11	13	16	18	21	23
D	9	11	14	16	18	20
E	8	10	13	15	17	19
F	-	9	11	13	15	16
G	-	4	5	6	7	8

sts, sl 1, K1, pssso, place marker on needle] 4 times, K1. **Next Row:** P. **Next Row:** [K2tog, K to 2 sts before marker, sl 1, K1, pssso] 4 times, K1. Rep the last 2 rows until the row "[K2tog, K1 OR K2, sl 1, K1, pssso] 4 times, K1" has been worked and 13 OR 17 sts rem. Cut yarn, leaving a long end; weave through rem sts, draw up tightly and fasten securely. Sew seam, reversing for cuff turnback. Fold cuff in half to the right side. **Optional:** Make a pom pom and fasten to top of hat.

***Yarn Quality:** A = RED HEART® Baby Fingering Traditional and Pompadour. B = RED HEART® Soft Baby; TLC® Baby. C = RED HEART® Sport; Baby Sport Econo. D = RED HEART® Soft; Kids; Baby Teri; Tweed; TLC® Lustre; Heathers. E = RED HEART® Super Saver; Classic; Fiesta; Pounder; Classic Plus; TLC® Essentials. F = RED HEART® Misty. G = RED HEART® Light & Lofty; Baby Clouds.

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = beginning; K = knit; P = purl; pssso = pass the slipped stitch over; rem = remain(ing); rep = repeat; sl = slip; st = stitch; St st = Stockinette stitch (K1 row; P1 row); tog = together; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated; [] = work directions given in brackets the number of times specified.

