

Happy Hat

Cherub Aran

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Knitting Pattern A209 - Intermediate

Size:

Child 18" / Small Adult 20" approx.

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns® Cherub Aran: 55% Nylon / 45% Acrylic 100 g (3.5 oz) 240 yds (220 m); 1 skein color # 25 Ruby
- US 7 & 8 - 16" Circular Knitting Needles
- US 8 DPN Knitting Needles
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers

Gauge:

18 sts = 4"

Note:

The hat is worked in the round from the ribbing to the crown.

Begin pattern:

Hat:

With size 7 circular needles, c/o 90 (100) sts.

Join being careful not to twist stitches. PM.

Work in K1, P1 ribbing for 2 ½".

Change to size 8 circulars needles and begin pattern:

Rnd 1: *P1, K4*; rep bet *'s around, sm.

Rnd 2: *P2, K3*; rep bet *'s around, sm.

Rnd 3: *P3, K2*; rep bet *'s around, sm.

Rnd 4: *P4, K1*; rep bet *'s around, sm.

Repeat rounds 1 - 4 for pattern until hat measures 7" (8") from cast on edge.



Abbreviations:

K = knit

P = purl

St = stitch

PM = place marker

Rep = repeat

Bet = between

Beg = beginning

Est = established

c/o = cast on

Pat = pattern

b/o = bind off

Sm = slip marker

K2tog = knit 2 together

Rnd = round



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Crown:

The following 4 rounds are for the larger size only.

Rnd 1: *K8, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around (90 sts)

Rnds 2 & 4: Knit.

Rnd 3: *K7, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (80 sts)

The following rounds apply to both sizes.

Rnd 1: *K6, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (77 (70) sts)

Rnd 2 & all even Rnds: Knit

Rnd 3: *K5, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (66 (60) sts)

Rnd 5: *K4, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (55 (50) sts)

Rnd 7: *K3, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (44 (40) sts)

Rnd 9: *K2, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (33 (30) sts)

Rnd 11: *K1, K2tog*; rep bet *'s around. (22 (20) sts)

Rnd 13: K2tog around. (11 (10) sts)

Cut yarn, leaving a tail for sewing and with yarn needle run through remaining sts. Pull up snugly and secure.

Weave in all ends.

