

STASH' s Cute Candy Cane Hat

Perky, sweet, and fresh, STASH's Candy Cane Hat pattern is the perfect way to make *Sea Turtle Fiber's* limited edition Christmas colourway really shine. Featuring a pointed top and a looped i-cord to mimic an actual candy cane, this lil' hat is so sweet that it will make your teeth ache!



One size: Newborn to 12 months. (fits 12.5 inch to 16 inch circumference head)

Gauge: : 26 sts = 10 cm in stockinette stitch

Materials!

1 skein or less of Sock Yarn - we used *Sea Turtle Fibers* in "Candy Cane"

3.25mm double point needles

Darning needle to weave in ends.

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Pattern!

Cast on 88 sts on to dpns. Divide sts 32 - 28 - 28 over 3 needles.

Work in a K2, P2 rib every round until your work measures 4 cm from cast on edge.

Switch to stockinette stitch and knit until your work measures 10 cm from the cast on edge.

Decrease time!

When decreasing, there will be occasions where the stitches will need to be redistributed to different needles in order to better manage your decreases! Be sure not to twist stitches when moving them to other needles.

*K9, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 1 round.

*K8, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 1 round.

*K7, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 1 round.

*K6, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 2 rounds.

*K5, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 2 rounds.

*K4, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 2 rounds.

*K3, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 2 rounds.

*K2, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 3 rounds.

*K1, K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 3 rounds.

*K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round.

Knit 4 rounds.

*K2tog" - repeat between ** to end of the round. (4 sts remain)

Redistribute 4 sts onto one dpn. Use these 4 sts to knit an i-cord that is 10 cm long.

Wet block the hat in COLD water and, once completely dry, tack the i-cord tip to its own base so that it mimics the curve of a candy cane! Find a cute baby and put it on their head.



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on i-cords?
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