

# **PATTERN COLLECTION: CHILDREN**



## Little Sailor Pullover

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## **SIZES**

To fit 1 (2, 4, 6, 8, 10) year old child

# FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Chest:** 21 (22, 23, 24½, 26, 28)"

**Length:** 11½ (13, 14½, 16, 17¼, 18¼)"

# **MATERIALS**

**Universal Yarn** *Cotton Supreme* (100% cotton; 100g/180 yds)

• 515 Blue (MC) – 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 4) hanks

Universal Yarn Cotton Supreme Batik (100% cotton; 100g/180 yds)

• 21 Thunderstorms (CC) − 1 hank, all sizes

**Needles:** US Size 8 (5 mm) straight needles and set of dpn *or size needed to obtain gauge* 

**Notions:** Removable markers, stitch markers, tapestry needle

#### **GAUGE**

17 sts x 23 rows = 4" in St st

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

#### **BACK**

With MC and straight ndls, cast on 42 (46, 50, 54, 58, 62) sts. Work in k2, p2 ribbing until work measures 1½" from cast on. Work even in St st until Back measures 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3½) from cast on , ending with WS row. With CC, work in St st for 6 rows. With MC, work in St st for 12 (12, 12, 14, 14, 16) rows. With CC, work in St st for 6 rows. Break CC. With MC, work even in St st until Back measures 7 (8, 9, 10, 11, 11½)" from cast on. Place removable markers on either side of piece to mark placement for sleeves. Continue to work even in St st until Back measures 4½ (5, 5½, 6, 6½, 7)" from marker placement.. Bind off all sts.

#### **FRONT**

Work as for back through marker placement. Continue to work even in St st until Front measures 2 (2½, 2½, 3, 3¼, 3¼)" from markers. **Shape Neck** 

K17 (17, 19, 20, 21, 24), attach new ball of yarn and bind off center 8 (12, 12, 14, 16, 14) sts, knit to end.

*Right Front only:* **Next row (WS):** Purl. **Dec row:** K1, k2tog, knit to end – 1 st dec'd. **Next row:** Purl. Rep last 2 rows, 5 (5, 6, 6, 6, 7) more times – 11 (11, 12, 13, 14, 16) sts rem. Work even in St st, if necessary, until Right Front measures  $4\frac{1}{2}$  (5,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ , 6,  $6\frac{1}{2}$ , 7)" from marker placement. Bind off all sts. *Left Front:* Work as for Right Front, reversing all shaping.

#### **SLEEVES**

With MC and straight ndls, cast on 30 (34, 38, 42, 44, 48) sts. Work in k2, p2 ribbing until work measures  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " from cast on. **Next row** (**RS**): K7 (9, 11, 13, 14, 16), place marker (pm), k17, pm, knit to end. Purl a WS row. **Inc row** (**RS**): K1, m1, knit to last st, m1, k1 – 2 sts inc'd. Work 3 (5, 5, 7, 5, 5) rows even in St st. Rep these 4 (6, 6, 8, 6, 6) rows, 3 (3, 3, 3, 4, 4) more times – 38 (42, 46, 50, 54, 48) sts. *At the same time*, when Sleeve measures 2 ( $2\frac{1}{2}$ , 3,  $3\frac{1}{2}$ , 4,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ )", begin Anchor chart as follows: Work to marker, sl m, work first row of Anchor

chart over 16 sts, sl m, work to end. Continue to inc and work star chart as instructed. After all incs are complete and Anchor chart is complete, work even in St st until Sleeve measures 4½ (5, 5½, 6, 6½, 7)" from cast on. Bind off all sts.

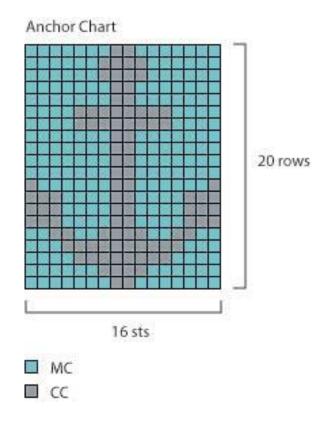
#### **FINISHING**

Sew shoulder seams. Sew side seams. Sew sleeve seams. Sew sleeves into armholes.

## **Neck Edging**

With MC and dpn, with RS facing, beg at right shoulder seam, pick up and knit 20 (24, 26, 28, 30, 30) sts across back neck, and 28 (32, 36, 38, 38, 42) sts arount front neck edge, pm and join to work in the rnd – 48 (56, 62, 66, 68, 72) sts. Work even in k2, p2 ribbing for 4 rnds. Bind off all sts loosely, in patt.

Weave in ends and block lightly.



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