## Pattern Collection: Children



What Does the Sweater Say
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## SIZES

1-2 (2-4, 4-6, 6-8, 8-10) year
FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Chest: 21 ( $23114,243 / 4,273 / 4,29$ )"

## MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Deluxe DK Tweed
Superwash (90\% superwash
wool, $7 \%$ acrylic, $3 \%$ viscose;
$100 \mathrm{~g} / 284 \mathrm{yds}$ )

- 406 Aegean (MC) - 1 (2, $2,2,2$ ) balls
- 412 Ebony (CC1) - 1 balls
- 410 Porcelain (CC2) - 1 balls
- 402 Tiger (CC3) - 1 balls

Needles: US Size 6 ( 4 mm ) 16"
circular, set of dpns or size needed to obtain gauge
US Size 4 ( 3.5 mm ) 16", circular, set of dpns
Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, stitch holders

## GAUGE

22 sts $\times 26$ rows $=4$ " in stranded
knitting using larger needle
22 sts $\times 30$ rows $=4$ " in St st using smaller ndl
Save time, check your gauge

## Rnit, Relax. Smile, Repeat!

## PATTERN NOTES

This sweater is knit seamlessly from the top down. Color changes are achieved by using the stranded method of knitting.

Work begins on a $16^{\prime \prime}$ circular. When there are too many stitches to fit comfortably on this needle, switch to a longer circular.

## STITCH GUIDE

1x1 Ribbing
Rnd 1: * K1, p1; rep from * to end.
Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

## COLLAR

With MC, cast on $72(74,78,82,86)$ sts. Work in 1x1 Ribbing for 2".
Yoke
Switch to larger ndl. Knit 1 rnd.
Inc rnd 1: Knit, inc'ing $28(34,38,42,46)$ sts evenly around - 100 ( $108,116,124,132$ ) sts.
Work Rnds 1-6 of Chart 1, changing colors as indicated. With MC, knit 1 rnd
Inc rnd 2: With MC, knit, inc'ing $35(45,46,47,48)$
sts evenly around - $135(153,162,171,180)$ sts.
With MC, knit 4 more rnds.
Work Rnds 1-9 of Chart 2. With MC, knit 1 rnd.
Inc rnd 3: With MC, knit, inc'ing $27(36,36,45,45)$
sts evenly around - $162(189,198,216,225)$ sts.
Work Rnds 1-9 of Chart 2. Break all CCs, cont in
MC only. With MC, knit 1 rnd.
Inc rnd 4: Knit, inc'ing $30(23,26,32,35)$ sts evenly around - $192(212,224,248,260)$ sts.
Work even in St st until Yoke meas $5(51 / 4,51 / 2,6$, $61 / 2)^{\prime \prime}$.

## Separate Body and Sleeves

Rnd 1: K 27 ( $30,32,36,38$ ), place next 42 ( 46,48 , 52,54 ) sts on holder for sleeve, cast on 4 sts, k 54 $(60,64,72,76)$ front sts, place next $42(46,48,52$, 54) sts on holder for sleeve, cast on 4 sts, k27 (30, $32,36,38)-116(128,136,152,160)$ sts Work even in St st until piece meas 5 ( $6,7,8,9$ )" from underarm, or 5 " less than desired length from underarm. Work Rnds 1-21 of Chart 3. Break all colors except MC. Knit 1 rnd. With smaller ndl, work in $1 \times 1$ Ribbing until piece meas $10(11,12$, $13,14)^{\prime \prime}$ from underarm. Bind off all sts loosely.

## Sleeves

Place held sleeve sts on larger dpns. Use MC only.
Rnd 1: Beg at center of underarm, pick up and knit 2 sts, knit across held sleeve sts, pick up and knit 2 sts from other side of underarm, join to work in the rnd $46(50,52,56,58)$ sts. Work in St st for $1^{\prime \prime}$.
Dec rnd: K1, k2tog, knit to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 - 2 sts dec'd. Rep Dec rnd every $6(8,10,10,12)$ rnds, $1(1,5$, $3,5)$ more times, then rep Dec rnd every $4(6,-, 8,10)$ rnds, $5(5,-, 4,1)$ time(s) $-32(36,40,40,44)$ sts rem. Work even in St st until sleeve meas $51 / 2(71 / 2,91 / 2,11$, $\left.12^{1 / 2}\right)^{\prime \prime}$ from underarm, or $2 \frac{1}{2} /{ }^{\prime \prime}$ less than desired length. Work Rnds 11-21 of Chart 3. Break all colors except MC. With MC, knit 1 rnd. Switch to smaller dpns. Work in $1 \times 1$ Ribbing until sleeve meas 9 " from underarm. Bind off all sts loosely.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and block.

## Abbreviations

| cont | continue <br> dec('d) <br> inc('d) |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{k}$ | decrease(d) <br> increase(d) |
| k2tog | knit |
| meas | knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd) |
| ndl | measures |
| patt | needle |
| p | pattern |
| rep | purl <br> repeat |
| RS | right side <br> ssk |
|  | slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, <br> slip them back to left needle in this <br> position, knit them together through <br> the back loops (1 st dec'd) |
|  | stitch(es) |
| st(s) | together |
| tog |  |

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