

Pattern Collection: Children



What Does the Sweater Say Designed by Amy Gunderson

SIZES 1-2 (2-4, 4-6, 6-8, 8-10) year

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS Chest: 21 (23¼, 24¾, 27¾, 29)"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Deluxe DK Tweed Superwash (90% superwash wool, 7% acrylic, 3% viscose; 100g/284 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 x 26 rows = 4" in stranded knitting using larger needle 22 sts x 30 rows = 4" in St st using smaller ndl Save time, check your gauge

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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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" 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 (5¼, 5½, 6, 6½)".

Separate Body and Sleeves

Rnd 1: K27 (30, 32, 36, 38), place next 42 (46, 48, 52, 54) sts on holder for sleeve, cast on 4 sts, k54 (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 1x1 Ribbing until piece meas 10 (11, 12, 13, 14)" 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". **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 5½ (7½, 9½, 11, 12½)" from underarm, or 2½" 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 1x1 Ribbing until sleeve meas 9" from underarm. Bind off all sts loosely.

FINISHING

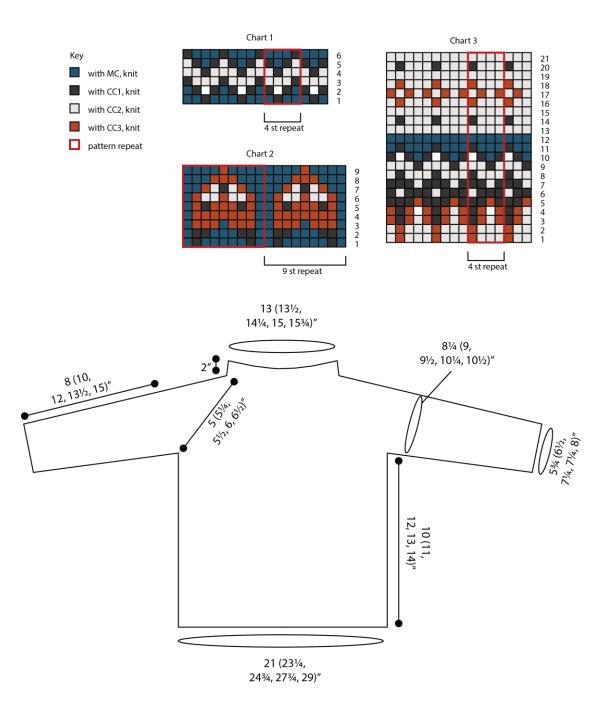
Weave in ends and block.

Abbreviations

cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
meas	measures
ndl	needle
patt	pattern
р	purl
rep	repeat
RS	right side
ssk	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise,
	slip them back to left needle in this
	position, knit them together through
	the back loops (1 st dec'd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together

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