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Koala Mat

<u>EASY</u> KNIT

Make your very own Koala Bear with this snuggly floor mat. Knit a circle shape for the Koala head using a wrap-and-turn technique, and the same technique again for semi-circles for the Koala ears. Nose, eyes and ear parts are cut out of felt, using the templates on page 4 and 5, and stuck down with glue to the Koala. This is a simple pattern that will grow quickly with our Thicck and Chunky yarn and big needles.

MEASUREMENTS

Diameter - Head	100cm
Width of Ears	35cm

YARN REQUIRED

Makr THICCK and CHUNKY Yarn 500g balls

NOTE: This pattern is written in British English. All measurements in charts and instructions are in cm. For conversion from centimetres to inches please divide by 2.5cm. Please be aware that there are different terms for crocheting and knitting in American and British English, if in doubt, we've included a list of common abbreviations.

Please use only the yarn specified. Another yarn is likely to yield different results. Quantities are approximate as knitting styles may vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

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NEEDLES AND EQUIPMENT:

25mm knitting needles Sullivans Felt Pieces - Colours Charcoal x 2, Pink x 1 Scissors Fabric Glue

TENSION:

25mm: 9sts x 12rows = 10cm x 10cm stst.

KNITTING ABBREVIATION:

K:	knit
W&T:	wrap and turn knitting technique
St(s):	stitch(es)

W&T - WRAP & TURN TECHNIQUE

Yf, spw, yb, sl st back onto the left hand needle, yf, turn.

Bring yarn to the front of the knitting, slip st purl wise, take yarn to the back of the left hand needle, bring yarn to front, tun knitting to work on the next row.

KOALA MAT PATTERN

KOALA HEAD

25mm needles.				
Cast on 15 sts.				
1.	K14, w&t, k14			
2.	K12, w&t, k12			
3.	K10, w&t, k10			
4.	K8, w&t, k8			
5.	K6, w&t, k6			
6.	K4, w&t, k4			
7.	K2, w&t, k2			
8.	K4, w&t, k4			
9.	K6, w&t, k6			
10.	K8, w&t, k8			
11.	K10, w&t, k10			
12.	K12, w&t, k12			

Repeat Rows 1-13, 5 times. Cast off.

KOALA EARS

Cast on 5 sts.

1.	K4, w&t, k4
2	K2 w&t k2

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3. K4, w&t, k4

Repeat rows 1-3, 4 times. Cast off.

TO FINISH

Join ends of circle (head) to close it, trim loose threads using fingers to weave into knitting to neaten. Cut out Nose, Eyes, Eye Slits, and Ear Muffs from Felt Pieces using Templates on Page 4 and 5. Place following the picture on page 3, and glue down.





MAKR THICCK AND CHUNKY KNITTED YARN: COLOUR SEUDE BROWN



SULLIVAN'S FELT PIECES: PINK AND CHARCOAL



