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MAKR
CHUNKY WOOL

Dinosaur Hat

EASY KNIT

This adorably cute dinosaur knitted hat pattern for toddlers is made in our super soft Chunky Wool and suitable for beginner knitters. The pattern starts off with the braided ties made with an i-cord technique, followed by shaped ear muffs and a shaped crown. It is made in 2 pieces and joined in the middle where the horns are knitted-in to finish.

MEASUREMENTS

ONE SIZE

Circumference	44cm
Length	20cm

YARN REQUIRED

Makr CHUNKY WOOL Yarn 100g balls

Main Colour MC: Rainforest	2
Contrast Colour: CC SugarSwizzle	1

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.

DIFFICULTY ●●●

NEEDLES AND EQUIPMENT:

15mm knitting needles
Wool needle for sewing in ends.

KNITTING ABBREVIATION:

C:	colour
K2tog:	knit two stitches together for a decrease action
K:	knit
Kfb:	knit into the front and back of a stitch for an increase action
P:	purl
Rs:	right side of knitting (the knit stitch side)
St(s):	stitch(es)
Stst:	stocking stitch (alternatively knit 1 row, purl 1 row)
Ws:	wrong side of knitting (the purl stitch side)

NOTES

Knit-Up technique:

Is a method of picking up stitches from the edge of the knitting. You will be picking up stitches along a vertical edge, working from right to left, inserting the needle through the centre of each stitch. Leaving a tail for weaving in later, wrap the working yarn around the needle (just like a knit stitch) and pull through to create a stitch on the needle. Repeat these steps until you've picked up the required number of stitches, making them evenly spaced.

I-Cord technique:

Is a little tube of knitting worked with 2 stitches. When you get to the end of the row, instead of turning the knitting, slide the stitches back onto the left hand needle; the thread will be on the left side edge of the knitting - draw it towards the right hand side to keep knitting from the start of the row on the right hand side. Repeat this action.

HAT PATTERN

Make 2 SIDES the same:

TIES

Working with MC, knit icord by casting on 2sts.

First row: *K row,

Next row: Slide sts onto right hand needle, and knit*

Continue *to* for 20 rows, finishing off with a slide.

EAR MUFF

Kfb of next 2 sts.

Next row. k1, p2, k1

Next row. k1, kfb of next 2 sts, k1 (6 sts)

Next row. k1, p4, k1.

Next row. k1, kfb, k2, kfb, k1. (8sts)

Next row. k1, p6, k1

HEAD SHAPING

Cast on 4sts, k to end. (12 sts)

Next row. pcast-on 4sts, p to end (16 sts)

Work 6 more rows of stst.

CROWN SHAPING

Next row: K6, k2tog, k2tog, k6 (14sts)

Next row: P5, p2tog, p2tog, p5 (12sts)

Next row: K4, k2tog, k2tog, k4 (10sts)

Next row: p3, p2tog, p2tog, p3 (8st)

Next row: k2, k2tog, k2tog, k2 (6sts)

Next row: p1, p2tog, p2tog, p1 (4sts)

Cast off.

HORNS

You will be working on the centre seams of the beanie, working on each side separately; then you will be joining the 2 sides so the horns are made up of 2 layers of knitted fabric.

Working in CC:

Side 1.

Knit up 16 sts from the centre edge.

WS: p row.

Make First Horn:

Next row: *k2tog, k2tog. Turn.

Next row: P 2 sts.

Next row: K2tog.

Pull thread through last st and cut. (leave a 15-20cm thread to darn with later)*

Join thread to rest of row to make the next Horn:

Repeat from * to * .

Repeat the above to make the rest of the Horns.

Side 2.

Work the other side the same as Side 1 Horns.

TO MAKE UP

With right sides facing sew the two sides of the beanie together in the middle seams, sewing the MC edge stitches together with MC yarn.

Sew the horns together with left over threads with CC yarn.

Darn in all loose threads to neaten.