

Easy Rib Cowl

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INTERMEDIATE

SHOPPING LIST

Yarn (Double Knitting)



Mary Maxim Ultra Mellowspun DK [1.75 ounces, 174 yards (50 grams, 159. meters) per ball]:

☐ Dark Grey (MC) 1 ball for child size, 2 balls for adult Size

Mary Maxim Prism [3.5 ounces, 290 yards (100 grams, 265 meters) per ball]:

☐ Rainbow (CC) 1 ball

Knitting Needle:

32" [80 cm] Circular Needle

☐ Size 4 (3.50 mm)

or size needed for gauge

SIZE INFORMATION

Finished: (unstretched and layed flat) Childrens: 4.25" [11 cm] wide by 47" [119 cm] in circumference.

Adult: 7" [18 cm] wide by 57" [147 cm] in circumference.

GAUGE INFORMATION

21 sts to 4" [10 cm] measured over rib pattern without stretching; 22 sts and 40 rnds to 4" [10 cm] measured over center of brioche pattern without stretching using **suggested** needle or any size needle which will give the correct gauge.

STITCH GUIDE

k knitp purl

sl 1P slip stitch 1 purwise

yo yarn over
k2tog knit 2 together
p2tog purl 2 together



st(s) stitch(es)cm centimetersmm millimeterrep repeatrnd(s) round(s)

Notes: This pattern is worked using the Brioche technique. Make sure to check out the corresponding blog posts regarding this pattern for a tutorial.

Brioche is a really fun knitting technique that creates a really beautiful ribbing effect. It's important to know that when you are working the Brioche Pattern, you are only working every other st in the round; therefore when measuring gauge, each round counts as two rounds over the Brioche Pattern.

It's also important to know that due to the amount of stretch in the pattern we'll often use a smaller size needle. If you find the smaller needle uncomfortable to work the ribbing on, use a larger needle if desired. Be sure to switch to a needle that meets the Brioche gauge before beginning the Brioche Pattern.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Using MC, cast on 250 sts for child size. (300 sts for Adult size)

Begin k1, p1 Ribbing

Rnd 1: (right side) *K1, p1; rep from * around. Make sure sts do not twist before you join. Place a stitch marker after last st to indicate end of rnd.

Repeat Rnd 1 of k1, p1 ribbing for 1/2" for child size (1" for Adult size)

Begin Brioche Pattern:

Note: Throughout the Brioche pattern the yo's are not counted as a separate stitch. When working the pattern the yo is always knit or purled tog with the sl st.

Set-Up Rnd 1: *K1, yo, sl 1P; rep from

* to end.

Note: We recomend that when changing colors, twist the yarns before beginning the next rnd in order to anchor the sts and prevent holes in your work.

Rnd 1: Using CC and pulling yarn from wrong side *yo, sl 1P, p2tog; rep from * to end.

Rnd 2: Using MC *k2tog, yo, sl 1P; rep from * to end.

Repeat Rnds 1 and 2 until cowl measures approximately 3.75" from cast-on edge for child size (5" for adult size), ending after a Round 2.

Begin k1, p1 Ribbing

Repeat Rnd 1 of k1, p1 ribbing for 1/2'' for child size (1" for adult size) using only MC.

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