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A woman with vibrant red curly hair is the central figure. She is wearing a dark navy blue textured cardigan over a white turtleneck sweater. A long, ribbed scarf in yellow and white is draped around her neck. She has a brown leather messenger bag slung over her shoulder. Her hands are tucked into the pockets of her cardigan. The background is a lush garden with green foliage and white flowers.

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Pom Pom visited the studio of **Emma Price** of In The Wool Shed to experiment with dip-dyeing with Rhubarb. With this pattern and our dip-dye tutorial you can knit and dye your own simple ombré rib scarf. The instructions for dip-dyeing can be found in Pom Pom Issue 18, The Natural Dyes Issue.

One size: 27.5 cm / 10¾” wide x 190 cm / 74¾”

Yarn: In The Wool Shed DK Bluefaced Leicester (DK/light worsted weight, 100% British wool, 224 m / 244 yds per 100 g skein)
Shade: Natural x 2 skeins, dip-dyed with Rhubarb.

Gauge: 19 sts & 25 rows = 10 cm / 4” over rib pattern on 5 mm needles after blocking.

Needles: 5 mm / US 8 knitting needles
Always use a needle size that will result in the correct gauge after blocking.

Notes: Do not spin, do not tumble dry, reshape whilst damp.

PATTERN BEGINS

Using the long-tail method, cast on 52 sts.

Row 1: K4, [p4, k4] to end.

Row 2: P4, [k4, p4] to end.

Rep rows 1-2 until work measures 190 cm (74¾”) from cast-on edge.

Cast off loosely knitwise and weave in ends.



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