

## Alpaca Yarns





## 2809A - Ribbed Beanie

Materials: 1 Ball Of Laja Alpaca 14 Ply Yarn

Needles: 6mm Needles

Darning Needle

Pattern: K2 P2 Rib for main body aligned

Tensions:  $2 \times 2 \text{ rib} = 10 \times 10 \text{cm rib}$  on 6mm needles

*Length 27cms – 44cms width* 

Cast on 66 sts and work 2 x 2 rib, beginning with K3 sts,

2 x 2 rib, then ending the row with 3P

Work until the ribbing measures 22mm or longer, depending on the amount of turn up required ending with a WS row.

Use complementing colours as required through the hat body and shaping to add interest, keeping the pattern stitch accurate at all times.

## **SHAPING FOR CROWN**

Row 1: K3, \*p2tog, K2, P2, K2\*, repeat from \* to \* until last 7 sts, P2tog, K2, P3 (58 sts)

Row 2: Knit all knit sts and purl all purls sts

Row 3: K3 \* P1, K2, P2tog, K2\*, repeat from \* to \* until last 6 sts P1, K2, P2tog, p1 (50sts)

Row 4: Knit all knit sts and purl all purl sts.

Row 5: K1, \*k2tog, P1, K2, P1\* repeat from \* to \* until last stitch P1 (42 sts)

Row 6: Knit all knit sts and purl all purl sts

Row 7: K2, \*P1, K2tog, P1, K1\*, repeat from \* to \* untils last 5 sts, P1, K2tog, P2 (34sts)

Row 8: Knit all knit sts and purl all purl sts.

Row 9: \*K2tog, repeat from \* to last 2 sts P2tog (17sts)

Row 10: purl all sts to last stitch, K1

Row 11: K2tog, repeat from \* to end P1, (9 sts)

Cut the yarn but leaving enough yarn to pull through the stitches on the needle and do the back