



### MATERIALS

**Bernat® Bundle Up™** (8.8 oz/250 g; 478 yds/437 m)

<b>Sizes</b>	<b>6/12</b>	<b>18/24</b>	<b>mos</b>
<b>Main Color (MC)</b> Misty Gray (44020)	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>ball</b>

**Bernat™ Sheepy™** (8.8 oz/250 g; 149 yds/136 m)

<b>Contrast A</b> Cotton Tail (43001)	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>ball</b>
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Sizes U.S. 8 (5 mm) and U.S. 11 (8 mm) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stuffing. Stitch holder. Yarn needle.



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

### ABBREVIATIONS

**Alt** = Alternate

**Beg** = Beginning

**Dec** = Decrease

**K** = Knit

**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches together

**Kfb** = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch

**Rem** = Remaining

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**Ssk** = Slip next 2 stitches knitwise one at a time. Pass them back onto left-hand needle, then knit through back loops together

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

### SIZES

To fit baby **6/12** (**18/24**) months.

### GAUGES

19 sts and 38 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Garter Stitch with smaller needles and MC.

9 sts and 10 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Stocking Stitch with larger needles and A.

### INSTRUCTIONS

*The instructions are written for the smaller size. If changes are necessary for larger size, then the instructions will be written thus ( ). When only one number is given, it applies to both sizes.*

### First Earflap

**\*\*With smaller needle and MC, cast on 6 (8) sts.**

**1st row:** (WS). Knit.

**2nd and 3rd rows:** Cast on 2 sts. Knit to end of row. **10 (12)** sts at end of 3rd row.

**4th row:** K1. Kfb. Knit to last 2 sts. Kfb. K1. **12 (14)** sts.

**5th to 7th row:** Knit.

**8th row:** K1. Kfb. Knit to last 2 sts. Kfb. K1. **14 (16)** sts.

Rep 5th to 8th rows twice more. **18 (20)** sts.

Work even in garter st (knit every row) until work from beg measures **2¼ (2½)" [5.5 (6) cm]**, ending on a WS row.\*\* Break yarn. Leave sts on a st holder.

**Second Earflap:** Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for First Earflap. Leave sts on needle. **Do not** break yarn.

**Join Earflaps: Next row:** (RS). With RS of Second Earflap facing, smaller needles and MC, cast on 5 sts. **K18 (20)** of Second Earflap. Cast on 26 sts. **K18 (20)** from First Earflap. Cast on 5 sts. **72 (76)** sts.

Work even in garter st (knit every row) until work from joining Earflaps measures **3¼ (4¼)" [8.5 (11) cm]**, ending on a WS (RS) row.

**Size 18/24 mos only: Next row:** (WS). \*K2tog. K17. Rep from \* to end of row. 72 sts.

**Both sizes:** Dec as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). \*K7. ssk. K2tog. K7. Rep from \* to end of row. 64 sts.

**2nd and WS rows:** Knit

**3rd row:** \*K6. ssk. K2tog. K6. Rep from \* to end of row. 56 sts.

**5th row:** \*K5. ssk. K2tog. K5. Rep from \* to end of row. 48 sts.

**7th row:** \*K4. ssk. K2tog. K4. Rep from \* to end of row. 40 sts.

**9th row:** \*K3. ssk. K2tog. K3. Rep from \* to end of row. 32 sts.

**11th row:** \*K2. ssk. K2tog. K2. Rep from \* to end of row. 24 sts.

**13th row:** \*K1. ssk. K2tog. K1. Rep from \* to end of row. 16 sts.

**14th row:** \*K2tog. Rep from \* to end of row. 8 sts.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts. Sew center back seam.

**Pompoms** (make 2).

With larger needles and A, cast on 9 sts.

Work even in garter st (knit every row) until work from beg measures 4" [10 cm]. Cast off, leaving a long end. Weave end through all 4 edges of work. Place small amount of stuffing in center and draw end to cinch into Pompom. Sew Pompoms securely to Hat as seen in photo.

