



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

### ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximate(ly)  
**Beg** = Begin(ning)  
**Cont** = Continue(ity)  
**K** = Knit  
**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches together  
**Rep** = Repeat  
**Rem** = Remain(ing)

**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  
**Yo** = Yarn over

### SIZES

#### To fit chest measurement

**6 mos**      **17" [43 cm]**  
**12 mos**    **18" [45.5 cm]**  
**18 mos**    **19" [48 cm]**  
**24 mos**    **20" [51 cm]**

#### Finished chest

**6 mos**      **19" [48 cm]**  
**12 mos**    **20" [51 cm]**  
**18 mos**    **21" [53.5 cm]**  
**24 mos**    **22" [56 cm]**

### GAUGE

18 sts and 36 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter stitch.

### INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for size **6 mos**. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written **6 (12-18-24)** mos. Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

### MATERIALS

**Bernat® Forever Fleece Finest™** (9.9 oz/280 g; 888 yds/812 m)

Sizes	6	12	18	24	mos
<b>Contrast A</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>ball</b>
Peach Heather (18006)	175/160	196/175	205/186	240/218	yds/m
<b>Contrast B</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>ball</b>
Aqua Heather (18001)	87/79	96/87	100/91	120/109	yds/m

Size U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) Susan Bates® knitting needle 24" [60 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge**. 6 buttons - 5/8" [16 mm]. Susan Bates® yarn needle.

## RIGHT FRONT

With B, cast on **43 (45-47-49)** sts. Knit 5 rows (garter stitch), noting 1st row is WS.

**Next row (buttonhole row):** (RS). K2. yo. K2tog. Knit to end of row. Rep buttonhole row every 8th row twice more. Knit 5 rows even.

**Shape Front: Next row:** (RS). K2. ssk. Knit to end of row.

**Next row:** Knit. Rep last 2 rows until work from beg measures approx **5½ (5¾-6-6¼)**" [**14 (14.5-15-16)** cm] ending on a RS row.

**Shape Sleeve: Next row:** (WS). Cast on **29 (32-36-38)** sts. Knit to end of row.

**Next row:** K2. ssk. Knit to end of row.

**Next row:** Knit. Rep last 2 rows until **43 (45-49-51)** sts rem.

Cont in garter st until work from beg measures **9½ (10-10½-11)**" [**24 (25.5-26.5-28)** cm], ending on a RS row. Cast off.

## LEFT FRONT

With A, work as for Right Front, reversing RS and WS.

## BACK

With A, cast on **43 (45-47-49)** sts. Proceed in garter stitch (knit every row), noting first row is WS, until work from beg measures approx **5½ (5¾-6-6¼)**" [**14 (14.5-15-16)** cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape Sleeves: Next 2 rows:** Cast on **29 (32-36-38)** sts. Knit to end of row. **101 (109-119-125)** sts. Cont in garter st until work from beg measures same lengths as Fronts to shoulder, ending on a RS row. Cast off.

## FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Sew underarm and side seams. Sew buttons to outer Left Front to correspond with buttonholes on Right Front. Sew buttons to inner Right Front to correspond with buttonholes on Left Front, being careful stitches **do not** show on RS.

