



Crochet Kid's Striped Pullover

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Directions are for size 2; changes for sizes 4 and 6 are in parentheses.

RED HEART® "Sport": 4 (4 1/2, 5) Ounces No. 846 Skipper Blue **CA**, 1 3/4 (2, 2 1/4) ounces No. 687 Paddy Green **CB**, 3/4 (1, 1) ounces No. 254 Pumpkin **CC**, and 1/2 (3/4, 3/4) ounces No. 12 Black **CD**.

Crochet Hooks: 5mm [US H-8], 5.5mm [US I-9].

Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4"; 16 rows = 4" with larger hook in Pat A. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

To Fit Chest: 22 (24, 26)".

Finished Chest: 26 (28 1/2, 30)".

To Change Color: Work last stitch until 2 loops remain on hook; drop color in use; draw next color through 2 loops and continue with this color.

BACK: With smaller hook and **CB**, ch 8.

RIBBING-Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each across; turn – 7 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in **back loop** of each sc across; turn. Rep Row 2 until 52 (56, 60) rows have been worked, changing to **CD** and larger hook in last sc.

BORDER-Row 1 (Right Side): With **CD**, ch 1, work 53 (57, 61) sc evenly across row ends of ribbing; turn – 53 (57, 61) sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, * tr in next st or sp, sc in next st or sp; rep from * across changing to **CA** in last sc; turn.

PAT A-Row 1: With **CA**, ch 1, sc in first sc, * ch 1, skip next st, sc in next sc; rep from * across; turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, * ch 1, skip ch-1 sp, sc in next sc; rep from * across; turn.

Rep Row 2 for Pat A 10 (12, 14) more times, end wrong side row, changing to **CD** in last st of last row; turn.

PAT B-Row 1: With **CD**, rep Pat A Row 2.

Row 2: Rep Border Row 2 changing to **CC** in last sc.

Row 3: With **CC**, sc in first sc, * ch 1, skip next st or sp, sc in next st or sp; rep from * across; turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first sc and in next ch-1 sp, * ch 1, skip next sc, sc in ch-1 sp; rep from * across to last sc; sc in last sc changing to **CB**; turn.

Row 5: With **CB** rep Row 3 changing to **CA**; turn.

Row 6: With **CA**, rep Row 4 changing to **CC**; turn.

Rows 7 and 8: Rep Rows 3 and 4 changing to **CD**; turn.

Row 9: With **CD**, rep Row 3.

Row 10: Rep Border Row 2 changing to **CB**; turn.

With **CB** rep Pat A Row 2 until 4 (4, 6) rows have been worked. Rep Pat B Rows 1-10 once more changing to **CA**. Work even in Pat A with **CA** until 12 1/2 (13 1/2, 14 1/2)" from beg, end wrong side row.

Divide for Neck and Shoulders: Row 1: Ch 1, sc in first



sc, [ch 1, skip sp, sc in next sc] 7 (8, 9) times, skip sp, hdc in next sc; turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, skip hdc, work in pat to end; turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, [ch 1, skip sp, sc in next sc] 6 (7, 8) times, skip sp, hdc in next sc; turn.

Row 4: Rep Row 2. Fasten off.

With right side facing, skip center 19 sts, attach yarn in next sc; ch 2, skip ch-1 sp, sc in next sc, work in pat to end; turn. Complete to correspond to first side.

FRONT: Work same as back until 11 (12, 13)" from beg. Work same as back for neck and shoulder shaping until same length to shoulders. Fasten off.

SLEEVES-Ribbing: With smaller hook, work ribbing same as back for 30 (32, 34) rows, changing to **CD** and larger hook in last sc. Work 31 (33, 35) sc evenly across row ends of ribbing; turn. Rep Row 2 of Border changing to **CA**. Work in Pat A, shaping sides by increasing 1 st each end of 3rd row, then every 3rd (4th, 5th) row until there are 45 (47, 49) sts, working added sts into pat. Work even until 9 (11, 12)" from beg. Fasten off.

FINISHING-Neckband: Sew shoulder seams. With right side facing and larger hook, attach **CA** at center back neck.

Rnd 1: With **CA**, ch 1, work 74 sc evenly around; join with a sl st in first sc changing to **CD**.

Rnd 2: With **CD**, ch 1, * sc in sc, ch 1, skip next sc; rep from * around; join changing to **CB**.

Rnd 3: With **CB**, ch 1, * sc in sc, ch 1, skip ch-1 sp; rep from * around; join; TURN.

Rnd 4: Rep Rnd 3 working on wrong side; join; TURN.

Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 3. Fasten off.

Mark back and front 5 1/2 (5 3/4, 6)" down from shoulder seams. Place center of sleeve tops at shoulder seams and sew in place between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams. Weave in ends.



RED HEART® "Sport", Art. E289 (2 1/2 ounce/172 yard skein).

ABBREVIATIONS: **beg** = beginning; **CA, CB, CC, CD** = colors A, B, C, D; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **lp** = loop; **mm** = millimeters; **pat** = pattern; **rep** = repeat; **rnd** = round; **sc** = single crochet; **sl** = slip; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **yo** = yarn over; **tr** = treble crochet; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.