



Knitted Hat

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Finished Circumference: 18 (20, 22)".

Directions are for size Small; changes for sizes Medium and Large in parentheses.

RED HEART® "Pomp-A-Doodle™": 1 Ball in 9940 Shoreline **A**.

RED HEART® "Kids™": 1 Ball in 2846 Cruise Blue **B**.

Knitting Needles: 5.5 mm [US 9] and 6.5 mm [US 10 1/2].
Yarn Needle.

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4"; 22 rows = 4" in Stockinette stitch with smaller needles and **B**. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the given gauge.**

Special Abbreviations:

K1-f/b: Knit 1 st in front and back of next st – 1 stitch increased.

Note: Knit 2 stitches in between pompoms. Do not pull pompoms through stitches.

HAT

With **A** and larger needles, cast on 54 (60, 66) sts.

Work in garter stitch for 4".

Cut **A**, leaving a long tail.

Next Row (Right Side): With smaller needles and **B**, [k2, k1-f/b] across – 72 (80, 88) sts. Work in St st until piece measures 8 1/2 (9, 9 1/2)" from beginning, end with a wrong side row.

Decrease Row 1: [K6, k2tog] across – 63 (70, 77) sts.
Purl 1 row.

Decrease Row 2: [K5, k2tog] across – 54 (60, 66) sts.
Purl 1 row.

Decrease Row 3: [K4, k2tog] across – 45 (50, 55) sts.
Purl 1 row.

Decrease Row 4: [K3, k2tog] across – 36 (40, 44) sts.
Purl 1 row.

Decrease Row 5: [K2, k2tog] across – 27 (30, 33) sts.
Purl 1 row.

Decrease Row 6: [K1, k2tog] across – 18 (20, 22) sts.
Purl 1 row.

Decrease Row 7: [K2tog] across – 9 (10, 11) sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a long tail. Thread tail through remaining sts and pull to close. Knot to secure.

FINISHING

Sew seam closed.

Weave in ends.

Pompom

Cut 10 lengths of **A**, each 4" long, with a pompom on each end. Lay pieces on top of each other and gather in center with a length of **B**

Fold lengths in half and tie at fold to form pompom.
Sew to top of Hat.



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RED HEART® “Pomp-A-Doodle™”,
Art. E765 available in 3.5 oz (100 g),
54 yd (50 m) balls.



RED HEART® “Kids™”, Art. E711
available in 5 oz (141 g), 290 yd
(265 m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: **A, B**, etc= color A, B, etc; **K** = knit;
K2tog = knit 2 sts together; **mm** = millimeters; **St st** =
Stockinette stitch; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **[]** = work directions
in brackets the number of times specified.