





KNIT SKILL LEVEL **EASY** 

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### What you will need:

RED HEART® Bear Hugs™: 2 balls 5340 Cloudy Day

Susan Bates® Knitting Needles: 6 mm [US 10] Yarn needle

**GAUGE:** 12 sts = 4" (10 cm) 20 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Garter st. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use** any size needles to obtain the gauge



RED HEART® Bear Hugs™, Art E806, available in 7 oz (200 g), 229 yd (209 m) balls



# Hooded Bear Scarf with Pockets

This fun kid's scarf has a hood to keep heads warm and pockets to keep hands warm! The soft fluffy yarn is way cozy and not at all scratchy. They'll love wearing it!

**SHOP KIT** 

Directions are for size 2-3 years. Changes for sizes 4-5 years are in parentheses. When one number is used, it applies to both sizes.

Scarf measures:  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " (14 cm) wide x 52 (56)" (132 (142) cm) long

Hood measures: before seaming 8 (9)" (20.25 (23) cm) wide x 22 (23)" (56 (58.5) cm) long

#### SPECIAL STITCH

M1 (make one) = Knit in back, then front of same stitch.

#### **SCARF**

Cast on 17 sts. Work in garter st until piece measures 62 (66)" (157.5 (167.5) cm). Bind off. Weave in ends.

#### HOOD

Cast on 24 (27) sts. Work in garter st until piece measures 22 (23)" (56 (58.5) cm). Bind off. Weave in ends.

# EAR (make 4)

Cast on 3 sts.

Row 1: M1, K, M1 - 5 sts.

**Row 2:** M1, K3, M1 - 7 sts.

Row 3: M1, K5, M1 - 9 sts.

Row 4: M1. K7. M1 - 11 sts.

Row 5: Knit.

Continue in Garter st until piece measures 3".

Bind off.

Weave in ends.

#### **FINISHING Ears**

Holding 2 pieces together, sew around entire outer edge. Repeat to make second ear.



#### Hood

Fold hood in half, matching cast-on and bound-off edges. Sew one side edge together (which will become center back of hood) leaving other side edge, cast-on edge and bound-off edge unsewn.

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# **Assembly**

Match hood's back seam to center of scarf and then sew cast-on and bound-off edges to scarf.
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#### **Pockets**

Fold up 5" (12.5 cm) at bottom of each scarf end. Sew along side edges to form pockets.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

cm = centimeters; k = knit; M1 (make
one) = Knit in back, then front of same
stitch; mm = millimeters;
st(s) = stitch(es).

