

#### SIZES

Child's size 2-4 (6-8)

### **FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

Length: 10½ (12½)"

### **MATERIALS**

Premier® Yarns Everyday® Baby (100% Antipilling Acrylic; 113gm/308 yds)

- #101-03 Pink (B) 1 ball
- #101-01 White (B) 1 ball

Needles: US Size 6 (4mm) circular needles 16" and 24" long or size needed to obtain gauge
Notions: Stitch markers, tapestry needle

#### GAUGE

22 sts x 30 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch Save time, check your gauge. STITCH GUIDE

**K2, P2 Rib in the round** – multiple of 4 sts **Rnd 1:** \* K2, p2; rep from \* to end. Rep Rnd 1 for pattern.

#### Stockinette Stitch in the round

Rnd 1: Knit. Rep Rnd 1 for pattern.

## **Stripe Sequence**

1 rnd B, 5 rnds A, 2 rnds B, 4 rnds A, 3 rnds B, 3 rnds A, 4 rnds B, 2 rnds A, 5 rnds B, 1 rnd A

#### **PONCHO**

With shorter needle, cast on 96 sts. Pm for beginning of rnd and join to work in the rnd, being careful not to twist.

Work in K2, P2 Rib until piece measures 2".

Rnd 1: \* K24, pm; rep from \* to end – 4 markers placed.

Rnd 2 – Increase Rnd: \* K1, m1, knit to 1 st before marker, m1, k1; rep from \* to end – 8 sts increased.

Rnd 3: Knit.

Rnds 4-8: Rep Rnds 2 and 3 two more times, then work Rnd 2 once more – 128 sts.

Rnd 9: Begin Stripe Sequence and Rep Rnd 3. Rnds 10 – 22: Continuing Stripe Sequence, Rep Rnds 2 and 3, 6 more times, then work Rnd 2 once more – 184 sts. Change to longer needle when there are enough sts to do so.

**Rnd 23:** Continuing Stripe Sequence, knit to first marker, remove marker, knit to third marker, remove marker, knit to end. 2 markers remain, including beginning of rnd marker.

Rnd 24 – Increase Rnd: Continuing Stripe Sequence, \* k1, m1, knit to 1 st before marker, m1, k1; rep from \* once more – 4 sts increased. Rnd 25: Knit.

Rnds 26 – 38: Continuing Stripe Sequence, Rep Rnds 24 and 25 six more times, then work Rnd 24 once more – 216 sts.

Stripe Sequence complete. Continue with B only.

Rnd 39: Knit.

Rnds 40 – 54: Rep Rnds 24 and 25 seven more times, then work Rnd 24 once more – 248 sts.

## Striped Poncho

Level: Intermediate

# Striped Poncho

project continued

Size 6-8 Only:

Rnd 55: Knit.

Rnds 56-70: Rep Rnds 24 and 25 seven more times, then work Rnd 24 once more – 280 sts.

All sizes – Lower Border:

**Rnd 1:** \* K1, m1, p2, (k2, p2) to 1 st before marker, m1, k1; rep from \* once more – 252 (284) sts.

**Rnd 2:** \* K2, (p2, k2) to marker; rep from \* once more.

**Rnd 3:** \* K1, m1, k1, p2, (k2, p2) to 2 sts before marker, k1, m1, k1; rep from \* once more – 256 (288) sts.

Rnd 4: \* K3, (p2, k2) to 1 st before marker, k1; rep from \* once more.

**Rnd 5:** \* K1, m1, (k2, p2) to 3 sts before marker, k2, m1, k1; rep from \* once more – 260 (292) sts.

Rnd 6: \* K1, p1, (k2, p2) to 4 sts before marker, k2, p1, k1; rep from \* once more.

**Rnd 7:** \* K1, m1, p1, (k2, p2) to 4 sts before marker, k2, p1, m1, k1; rep from \* once more – 264 (296) sts.

**Rnd 8:** \* K1, (p2, k2) to 3 sts before marker, p2, k1; rep from \* once more.

Bind off in established ribbing.

## **Finishing**

Weave in ends. Block gently.

#### **Abbreviations**

**k** knit

**k2tog** knit 2 stitches together

m1 make 1
p purl

**pm** place marker

rep repeat
rnd(s) round(s)
ssk slip, slip, knit
st(s) stitch(es)

