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HOPE BEANIE

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MATERIALS

NEEDLES:

US 15 / 10 mm 16" circular needle
Set of US 15 / 10 mm double pointed needles

YARN:

100 Yards Bulky Yarn
Handspun Hope Bulky & Freia Handpainted Bulky
used for samples

Note: Handspun Hope yarn is hand-spun and hand dyed by skilled craftspeople in Rwanda. Like all handspun yarn, yardage and thickness may vary slightly from skein to skein.

Gauge: 4 in. sq = 8 stitches x 14 rows in k1, p1 ribbing

Finished Hat: 9" brim to peak / Approx. 21" circumference at brim / Blocked

OTHER MATERIALS:

Stitch Marker
Scissors
Large needle for sewing up

Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

The HOPE Beanie is a beginner friendly approach to a stylish classic beanie that could not be easier to make! The HOPE Beanie features Handspun Hope Bulky Merino and is perfect for beginners.

ABBREVIATIONS

co – cast on (using long tail cast on method)

k – knit

p - purl

k2tog – knit 2 together decrease

st – stitch

sm – slip marker

PATTERN

CO 42, Place marker and join to work in the round, being careful not to twist sts.

Round 1: [k1,p1] to end

Repeat Round 1 - 1x1 rib until measures approx. 2” from CO

*** if you would like a wider brim, add rounds here. This may require more yarn.

Once you reach 2”, or desired brim height, begin body:

Round 1: k to end

Rounds 2 – 15: Repeat Round 1

*** if you would like a slouchier hat, add rounds here. This may require more yarn

Begin Decrease for crown - When there are too few sts to fit on the circular needle, switch to dpns.

Decrease Round 1: *K2tog, k2*; rep from * to * around, k last 2 sts, 32 sts remain

Decrease Round 2: *K2tog, k1*; rep from * to * around, k last 2 sts, 22 sts remain

Decrease Round 3: K2tog around, 11 sts remain

Decrease Round 4: K2tog around, k last st, 6 sts remain

Using needle, weave in tail through the remaining sts to close up hat peak and pull through like drawstring.

Finishing

Weave in ends and block.

