

Week #11 Earthy Tweed



This week's sweater is knit in earthy brown with green tweed knit throughout. It reminds me of the first days of spring when everything is sprouting.

Materials:

Size 2 Double pointed needles (set of 3)

Sport Weight, dk, lace or DMC #5 pearl cotton weight yarn. 30 yards of brown and 10 yards of green.

Miniature doll coat hanger or Large paper clip to make your own coat hanger.

large darning needle.

Abbreviations:

st= stitch

pm= place marker

sm = slip marker

inc.= increase. Increases are made by knitting in front and back of stitch.

dec = decrease. Decreases are made by k2 sts tog.

Cast on 32 stitches and divide onto 2 needles, 16 sts on first needle (front of sweater) , 16 sts on second needle (back of sweater)

Join, knitting in the round on 2 needles, using a 3rd needle to knit the stitches.

Rounds 1-2: p1, k1 across

Follow 6 row chart repeat for entire sweater (except ribbing)

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Rounds 3-13: k

Divide for sleeves, working on first 18 sts only, working back and forth

Row 14, 16, 18, 20 : K

Row 15, 17, 19, 21: Purl

Break Yarn and join yarn to back stitches and repeat Rows 14-21 knitting on back 18 sts.

Join Front to back again

Round 22: K

Round 23: *K2, K2 tog; rep from *across

Round 24: K

Round 25: *K2, K2 tog; rep from *across

Round 26 and 27 (ribbing): K1, P1 across

Bind off stitches in ribbing.

Sleeves

Pick up 16 sts around arm hole and divide onto 2 needles.

Knit 8 rounds

Next 2 rounds (ribbing): k1, p1 across

Bind off all stitches in ribbing and repeat for second sleeve.

Finishing:

Weave in all ends and stitch up any holes under the armhole.

Add miniature coat hanger and hang on tree.