

Week #16 Hoodie



This week's sweater is a hoodie sweater with a hand pocket. The sweater is knit all in one piece with no seaming. It is made using only 3 double pointed needles. . You knit in the round as you would with 4 or 5 needles but it is so much less awkward on such a tiny garment. Sweater is approx. 3" tall



Materials:

Size 2 Double pointed needles (set of 3)

Sport Weight, dk, lace or DMC #5 pearl cotton weight yarn. 20 yards of a variegated yarn and 10 yards of a solid contrast color. Variegated yarn used in sample is a hand dyed yarn from Evilenabler on Etsy and yellow is Lion Brand Bon Bons

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.

.st st = stockinette stitch (k1 row, pul 1 row)

Cast on 36 stitches and divide onto 2 needles, 18 sts on first needle (front of sweater) , 18 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: with Main color, p1, k1 across

Round 3: Knit

Rounds 4 and 5 with Contrast color, Knit

Rounds 6-11 with Main color, Knit

Rounds 12 and 13: with Contrast color, Knit

Round 14: with Main color, Knit

Divide for sleeves, work on first 18 sts only (front of sweater)

Rows: 15, 17, and 19: with Main Color, Knit

Rows: 16, 18 and 20: With Main color, Purl across 18 sts.

Row 21: With Contrast color, Knit

Row 22: With Contrast color, Purl, break yarn and begin working on the last 18 sts (back of sweater):

Repeat Rows 15-22 on the back 18 sts.

Join Front to back again.

Round 23: Main color, K2, K2 tog. Across, ending K2 tog.

Round 24 : K2, K2 tog, across, ending K3 (21 sts)

Hood

Row 1: With main color, Knit 3 sts, bind off 4 sts, Knit the rest of the round, placing a marker after the center stitch of the row. . From this point you will be knitting back and forth in st st. Do not join.

Row 2: . Purl across

Row 3: With Contrast color, Knit across to marker, M1 st, SM, M1 sts, knit the rest of the row.

Row 4: With Contrast color, Purl across

Row 5: With Main color, Knit across to marker, M1 st, SM, M1 sts, knit the rest of the row.

Row 6: Purl across

Row 7: Knit across

Row 8: Purl across

Row 9: K across

Row 10: Purl Across

Now divide stitches evenly onto 2 needles and hold parallel. with wrong sides together (so that ridge shows on the right side) With 3rd needle do a 3 needle bind off.

Sleeves

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

K 6 rounds with Main color

K 2 rounds with Contrast color

K 1 round with Main color

Next 2 rounds: k1, p1 across

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

Pocket:

Pick up center 14 sts above bottom ribbing on front of sweater.

Row 1: Purl

Row 2: K 1, K2 tog, K 8, K2 tog, K1

Row 3: Purl

Row 4: K1, K2 tog, K6, K2 tog., K1

Row 5: Purl

Row 6: K1, K2 tog, K3, K2 tog, K1

Row 7: Purl

Bind off all stitches and sew top of pocket to sweater.

Finishing:

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

Add miniature coat hanger and hang on tree.