

Crystal Palace Yarns
free knit baby hat & booties pattern



Puffin Baby Hat and Booties

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Sizes:

Fits babies to about 9 months

Gauge:

14 sts and 18 rows=4" in St st

Materials:

Size 11 (8 mm) CPY Bamboo Straight Needles or size needed to obtain gauge

Size 11 (8 mm) CPY Bamboo DP Needles for I-cord top knot on hat if desired

2 - 50 gr. balls **Crystal Palace Puffin** #0202 "dotty blues" poly-fleece yarn



Hat

CO 66 sts.

Work in k1, p1 ribbing 2½" as follows:

*k1, p1; rep from *

Rep this row.

Work in Blocks Pattern 4 more inches:

Row 1: k1, *k2, p2; rep from *, end k1

Row 2: p1, *k2, p2; rep from *, end p1

Row 3: k1, *p2, k2; rep from *, end k1

Row 4: p1, *p2, k2; rep from *, end p1

Rep Rows 1-4.

Crown Decreases

Change to St st.

Row 1: *k4, k2tog; rep from * across – 55 sts

Rows 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12: P

Row 3: *k3, k2tog; rep from * across – 44 sts

Row 5: *k2, k2tog; rep from * across – 33 sts

Row 7: *k1, k2tog; rep from * across – 22 sts

Row 9: k2tog across – 11 sts

Row 11: k1, *k2 tog; rep from * across – 6 sts

Row 13: k2tog across – 3 sts

If desired, slip 3 sts to double points and work I-Cord for 1" for top knot. BO.

Alternatively, cut yarn leaving a long tail for seaming. Thread yarn through tapestry needle and slip through sts on needle. Pull tightly to close top of hat.

Finishing

Sew seam, reversing side that is seamed for brim when folded over in half. Weave in ends on WS.

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Booties

Beginning at the sole, CO 16 sts.

Rows 1, 3, and 5: p

Row 2: k1, knit into front and back of next st, k4, k into front and back of next st, k2, knit into front and back of next st, k4, knit into front and back of next st, k1 - 20 sts

Row 4: k1, knit into front and back of next st, k6, k into front and back of next st, k2, knit into front and back of next st, k6, knit into front and back of next st, k1 - 24 sts

These rows form the sides of the booties.

K 8 rows.

This section is the top of the bootie (Blocks Pattern).

k9, p2, k2, p2, leave remaining sts unworked.

Slip all sts with yarn in front:

Row 1: Sl 1 from left to right needle, turn, p1, k2, p2, k2

Row 2: Sl 1, turn, p1, k2, p2, k2, p1

Row 3: Sl 1, turn, (k2, p2) twice, k1

Row 4: Sl 1, turn, (k2, p2) twice, k2

Row 5: Sl 1, turn, k1, (p2, k2) twice, p2

Row 6: Sl 1, turn, k1, (p2, k2) twice, p2, k1

Row 7: Sl 1, turn, (p2, k2) 3 times, p1

Row 8: Sl 1, turn, (p2, k2) 3 times, p2

Row 9: Sl 1, turn, p1, (k2, p2) 3 times, k2

Row 10: Sl 1, turn, p1, (k2, p2) 3 times, k2, p1, k4 to end of row.

Row 11: p4, k1, (p2, k2) 3 times, p2, k1, p4

Knit in k1, p1 rib for 2 inches for cuff. BO in pat, leaving a long tail for seaming.

Finishing

Seam back and sole of bootie with tail, reversing side that is seamed for cuff when folded over in half. Weave in ends on WS.



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