

Hand Knit Basic Hat

Child sized 3-9 yrs (10-13) (teen-adult)

Size 8 or 9 needles

Usually a hat to fit a 21" or 22" head works well. It's best to check your stitch gauge for the yarn you are using.

Cast on 60(68)(72)

Row 1: K2, P2, K2 across line, ending with P2.

Row 2 – 6: Repeat Row 1

Row 7: Knit across

Row 8: Purl across

Repeat these last 2 rows until hat is 8"(9 ½")(10") from the start, ending on a purl row.

Next row: K2 together across the row.

New row: Purl

Last row: K2 together across

Last row: Purl across. Cut a 14" tail of yarn, thread a yarn needle with it.

Carefully pull the last row of knitting from the needle and thread the needle through every stitch. Pull tightly then whip stitch the seam shut.

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