

Knitables

Chocolate Egg Cosies



These delightful chocolate egg cosies are knitted in one piece from the bottom up on straight needles.

They have been designed to cover chocolate eggs which measure approximately 5-6cm in length and 3-4 cm in width.

Measurements

- Chick - height measures approximately 12cm, width 9cm *(requires approximately 20g of yarn)*
- Bunny - height measures approximately 14cm, width 6cm *(requires approximately 20g of yarn)*
- Easter Basket - height measures approximately 9cm, width 8cm *(requires approximately 12g of yarn)*
- Easter Egg - height measures approximately 7cm, width 5cm *(requires approximately 8g of yarn)*
- Scrubs Doll/Teddy - height measures approximately 12cm, width 6cm *(requires approximately 16g of yarn)*
- Superhero Teddy - height measures approximately 12cm, width 6cm *(requires approximately 18g of yarn)*

Equipment and Materials

- Oddments of DK yarn in a variety of colours
- One pair of 3.25mm knitting needles (UK10 / US3)
- One wool sewing needle
- Scissors
- Pins and stitch markers
- Good quality washable polyester toy filling
- Cardboard for base of Easter basket *(optional)*

Pattern Notes

Tension

25sts and 34 rows to 10cm (4in) over st-st on 3.25mm needles.

When knitting toys personal knitting tension is not too much of a concern.

However, if your knitting tension is generally on the looser side then you may want to move down a needle size to prevent the stuffing from showing through.

Instructions in round brackets

These are to be repeated the number of times stated after the closing bracket.

Casting on/off

The cable cast on method is recommended. Cast off knit wise unless otherwise stated. When it states cast off *loosely* you may wish to cast off using a larger needle, for example a size 4½ or 5mm.

Working in stripes

When knitting different coloured stripes, carry yarns loosely up side of work.

Making up

To create a neat, invisible seam when joining pieces use a mattress stitch, with right side of work uppermost. When casting on leave a length of yarn that could be used to sew up the seam if required.

Abbreviations

K	Knit
P	Purl
st(s)	Stitch(es)
beg	Beginning
tog	Together
m1	Make one stitch by picking up the horizontal loop before next stitch and knitting into the back of it
Inc 1	Increase one by knitting into the front and back of the stitch
K2tog	Knit two stitches together
SSK	Slip, slip, knit (Decrease - slip the next stitch on the left needle knitwise, then slip the next stitch on the left needle purlwise. Take the left needle and knit through the front of the two slipped stitches on the right needle)
P2tog	Purl two stitches together
sl1	Slip 1 stitch (stitch is passed from the left needle to the right needle without being knitted, slip purl-wise)
psso	Pass slip stitch over (pass the slipped stitch over the knit stitch and off the needle)
st-st	Stocking stitch (1 row knit, 1 row purl)
g-st	Garter stitch (every row knit)
moss	Moss stitch (K1, P1)
rib	Ribbing (vertical columns of knit and purl stitches, side by side, as in K1, P1)
yarn	Yarn round needle (take strand of yarn under and over tip of right hand needle to make a stitch, then continue as given in instructions)
yb	Yarn back (take yarn to the back before working the next stitch)
yfwd	Yarn forward (bring yarn to the front before working the next stitch)
B & T	Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through remaining stitches on needle, draw up tightly and secure by threading yarn a second time through sts

Tutorials

For tips and advice on the various stitches and techniques used in this pattern, please refer to the video tutorials on www.knitable.com

Toy Safety

Please ensure that attached pieces are sewn on very securely and seams are tightly finished off. Use only new, hygienic, washable stuffing that conforms to current safety standards.

Chick

Chick in Egg Shell

Begin at the base of the egg and with white yarn (yarn **A**) cast on 24 sts *loosely*

Rows 1 - 2 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 3 (K3, m1, K3) 4 times (28 sts)

Row 4 Purl

Row 5 (K2, m1, K2) 7 times (35 sts)

Rows 6 - 13 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 8 rows

Row 14 In **A** P3, join yellow yarn (yarn **B**) K1, (in **A** P6, in **B** K1) 4 times, in **A** P3

Row 15 In **A** K2, (in **B** P3, in **A** K4) 4 times, in **B** P3, in **A** K2

Row 16 In **A** P1, (in **B** K5, in **A** P2) 4 times, in **B** K5, in **A** P1

Row 17 In **A** K1, (in **B** P5, in **A** K2tog) 4 times, in **B** P5, in **A** K1 (31 sts)

Rows 18 - 41 Continue in **B**, beg with a Knit row, st-st 24 rows

** Mark each end of row 28 for the head running stitch (shape head row)*

Row 42 K7, K2tog, K13, SSK, K7 (29 sts)

Row 43 Next and every following alternate row: Purl

Row 44 K1, (K2tog, K2) 7 times (22 sts)

Row 46 K1, (K1, K2tog) 7 times (15 sts)

Row 48 K1, (K2tog) 7 times (8 sts) B&T

Yellow Chick with Feet

Begin at the bottom on the chick and with yellow yarn cast on 25 sts

Rows 1 - 2 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 3 K2, (m1, K3) 7 times, m1, K2 (33 sts)

Rows 4 - 20 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 17 rows

Row 21 K8, K2tog, K13, SSK, K8 (31 sts)

Rows 22 - 40 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 19 rows

** Mark each end of row 27 for the head running stitch (shape head row)*

Row 41 K7, K2tog, K13, SSK, K7 (29 sts)

Row 42 Next and every following alternate row: Purl

Row 43 K1, (K2tog, K2) 7 times (22 sts)

Row 45 K1, (K1, K2tog) 7 times (15 sts)

Row 47 K1, (K2tog) 7 times (8 sts) B&T

Working down from the gathered top of the head, join the sides of the chick together with an invisible seam. To make the head, work a gathering thread through every leg of the stitches on the shape head row. Draw up, stuff the head firmly and knot the gathering thread securely. The bottom cast on edge can be left open for the easy placement and removal of the egg or it can be drawn up with a running stitch to close the bottom of the chick.



Beak

Begin at the base of the beak and with orange yarn cast on 8 sts

Row 1 K1, K2tog, K2, SSK, K1 (6 sts) B&T

With the right side of the st-st on the outside, use the tail end to join the row ends together to form a beak shape. The beak is positioned approximately 6 sts up from the shape head row. Sew the beak onto the head.

Eyes Mark eye positions with pins. The centre of each eye lies approximately 8 sts up from the shape head row and there are 5 clear stitches between each eye. The eyes are worked in back-stitch with two strands of black yarn together (double yarn). Fold a length of black yarn in half and thread this through a sewing needle. Insert the needle into the base of the head and bring it out at one of the marked eye positions. Sew 3 horizontal stitches across the same stitch, then bring the needle through the head to the opposite side for the second eye. Make 3 horizontal stitches, then pull the needle through the body to hide the yarn ends.

Wings *(make two)*

Begin at the top of the wing and with yellow yarn cast on 8 sts

Rows 1 - 2 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 3 (K1, m1) 3 times, K2, (m1, K1) 3 times (14 sts)

Rows 4 - 10 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 7 rows

Row 11 K6, K2tog, K6 (13 sts)

Row 12 Purl

Row 13 K1, K2tog, K7, SSK, K1 (11 sts)

Row 14 Purl

Row 15 K1, K2tog, K5, SSK, K1 (9 sts) B&T

With the right sides of the st-st on the outside, fold the wings in half. Working up from the gathered tip of the wing, join the side seams. Position the wings and sew in place. Weave in all the yarn ends.

Comb

Begin at the bottom of the comb and with orange yarn cast on 12 sts

Row 1 Knit

Row 2 P2, (P2tog, P1) 3 times, P1 (9 sts)

Row 3 (K1, K2tog, yrn) 2 times, K1, K2tog (8 sts)

Row 4 Purl

Row 5 K1, m1, K2, m1, K2, m1, K2, m1, K1 (12 sts)

Row 6 Purl

Row 7 Cast off

With the right sides of the st-st on the outside, fold the comb in half. Use the tail end of the yarn to join the cast on and cast off edges together and the side seams. Position the comb on the head and sew in place.

Feet *(make two)*

Begin at the top of the feet and with orange yarn cast on 4 sts

Row 1 Purl

Row 2 K1, m1, K2, m1, K1 (6 sts)

Row 3 Purl

Row 4 K2tog, yrn, K2tog, yrn, K2tog (5 sts)

Rows 5 - 7 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows B&T

With the right sides of the st-st on the outside, fold the feet in half. Use the tail end of the yarn to join the cast on and cast off edges together and the side seams. Position the feet along the cast on edge and sew in place.

Rainbow Hat

Begin at the base of the hat and with red yarn cast on 34 sts

Row 1 K1, (P2, K1) 11 times

Row 2 P1, (K2, P1) 11 times

Row 3 K1, (P2, K1) 11 times

Rows 4 - 5 In orange yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Rows 6 - 7 In yellow yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Rows 8 - 9 In green yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Row 10 In blue yarn, Purl

Row 11 In blue yarn, K2, (K2tog, K2) 8 times (26 sts)

Row 12 In indigo yarn, Purl

Row 13 In indigo yarn, K2tog, (K1, K2tog) 8 times (17 sts)

Row 14 In violet yarn, Purl

Row 15 In violet yarn, K1, (K2tog) 8 times (9 sts)

Row 16 In violet yarn, Purl B&T

Weave in all the yarn ends. Then working down from the gathered top of the hat, join the side seams. Place the hat on the chick.



Scarf

With blue yarn cast on 4 sts

Row 1 Knit

Rows 2 - 3 In green yarn, Knit 2 rows

Rows 4 - 5 In blue yarn, Knit 2 rows

Rows 6 - 101 Repeat rows 2 to 5, 24 times

Row 102 In blue yarn, cast off

Fold the scarf in half along its length and join the side seam for a neat finish. Wrap the scarf around the chicks neck and secure with a knot.

Bunny

Before you begin make one small ball of brown yarn (yarn **A**) from the same original ball

Begin at the bottom of the bunny and with yarn **A** cast on 25 sts *loosely*

Rows 1 - 2 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 3 K2, (m1, K3) 7 times, m1, K2 (33 sts)

Row 4 In **A** P14, in cream yarn (yarn **B**) P5, join the second ball of yarn **A** P14

By using a second ball of yarn you will not need to carry the yarn across the work, which gives a neater finish!

Row 5 In **A** K13, in **B** K7, in **A** K13

Row 6 In **A** P12, in **B** P9, in **A** P12

Row 7 In **A** K12, in **B** K9, in **A** K12

Rows 8 - 15 Repeat rows 6 and 7, 4 times

Row 16 In **A** P12, in **B** P9, in **A** P12

Row 17 In **A** K12, in **B** K2, K2tog, K1, SSK, K2, in **A** K12 (31 sts)

Row 18 In **A** P12, in **B** P7, in **A** P12

Row 19 In **A** K12, in **B** K7, in **A** K12

Rows 20 - 25 Repeat rows 18 and 19, 3 times

Row 26 In **A** P12, in **B** P7, in **A** P12

Rows 27 - 28 In **A**, beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

** Mark each end of row 27 for the head running stitch (shape head row)*

Row 29 In **A** K16, m1, K15 (32 sts)

Row 30 In **A** P13, in **B** P6, in **A** P13

Row 31 In **A** K13, in **B** K1, m1, K1, m1, K2, m1, K1, m1, K1, in **A** K13 (36 sts)

Row 32 In **A** P13, in **B** P10, in **A** P13

Row 33 In **A** K13, in **B** K10, in **A** K13

Row 34 In **A** P13, in **B** P10, in **A** P13

Row 35 In **A** K13, in **B** K2, K2tog, K2, SSK, K2, in **A** K13 (34 sts)

Row 36 In **A** P13, in **B** P8, in **A** P13

Row 37 Continue in **A** K13, SSK, K2tog, SSK, K2tog, K13 (30 sts)

Rows 38 - 44 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 7 rows

Row 45 K2, (K2tog, K2) 7 times (23 sts)

Row 46 Purl

Row 47 K2tog, (K1, K2tog) 7 times (15 sts)

Row 48 Purl

Row 49 K1, (K2tog) 7 times (8 sts) B&T



Working down from the gathered top of the head, join the sides of the bunny together with an invisible seam. To make the head, work a gathering thread through every leg of the stitches on the shape head row. Draw up, stuff the head firmly and knot the gathering thread securely. Using cream yarn sew a gathering thread around the nose. Draw the thread up carefully, taking the time to shape and mould the nose. Knot the thread securely.

Weave in all the yarn ends. The bottom cast on edge can be left open for the easy placement and removal of the egg or it can be drawn up with a running stitch to close the bottom of the bunny.

Eyes Mark eye positions with pins. The centre of each eye lies approximately 9 sts up from the shape head row and there are 4 clear stitches between each eye. The eyes are worked in back-stitch with two strands of black yarn together (double yarn). Fold a length of black yarn in half and thread this through a sewing needle. Insert the needle into the base of the head and bring it out at one of the marked eye positions. Sew 3 horizontal stitches across the same stitch, then bring the needle through the head to the opposite side for the second eye. Make 3 horizontal stitches, then pull the needle through the body to hide the yarn ends.

Nose So that the nose is quite flat and not too protruding, I would recommend using half the thickness of yarn. Yarn is generally made up of individual strands, so take a length of dark brown yarn and split the yarn in half. Alternatively you could use embroidery thread. Embroider a cute little nose in the shape of a 'Y'.

Ears (make two)

Begin at the bottom of the ears and with brown yarn cast on 7 sts

Rows 1 - 4 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 4 rows

Row 5 K4, m1, K3 (8 sts)

Rows 6 - 10 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 5 rows

Row 11 K1, SSK, K2, K2tog, K1 (6 sts)

Row 12 Purl

Row 13 K1, SSK, K2tog, K1 (4 sts)

Row 14 Purl

Row 15 SSK, K2tog (2 sts) B&T

Weave in the cast off tail for a neat finish at the top of the ears. With the wrong side facing forwards, gently curve the bottom of the ears inwards and using the cast on tail sew the ears onto the head securely.

Jacket

Begin at the bottom of the jacket and with light blue yarn cast on 33 sts

Row 1 (K1, P1) to end

Row 2 Knit

Row 3 K1, Purl to last st, K1

Rows 4 - 9 Repeat rows 2 and 3, 3 times

Row 10 K9, SSK, K11, K2tog, K9 (31 sts)

Row 11 *Next and every following alternate row:* K1, Purl to last st, K1

Row 12 Knit

Row 14 (K2, SSK, K1) 3 times, K1, (K1, K2tog, K2) 3 times (25 sts)

Row 16 Cast off

Sleeves

Begin at the top of the arms and with light blue yarn cast on 8 sts

Rows 1 - 13 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 13 rows

Row 14 Knit

Rows 15 - 17 In brown yarn, beg with a Knit row, st-st 3 rows B&T

Working up from the gathered hand, join the side seams of the sleeves. Place the jacket on the bunny and sew around the neck to secure the jacket in place. Position and sew on the sleeves.

Small Rainbow Easter Egg

Begin at the base of the egg and with yarn red cast on 9 sts

Row 1 Purl

Row 2 (K1, m1) 7 times, K2 (16 sts)

Rows 3 - 4 In orange yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Rows 5 - 6 In yellow yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Rows 7 - 8 In green yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Row 9 In blue yarn, Purl

Row 10 In blue yarn, (K1, K2tog, K1) 4 times (12 sts)

Rows 11 - 12 In indigo yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Row 13 In violet yarn, P1, (P2tog) 5 times, P1 (7 sts)

Row 14 In violet yarn, Knit B&T

Weave in all the yarn ends. Working down from the gathered top of the egg, join the side edges to half way down. Then work a gathering thread through the cast on stitches at the base, pull up tightly and join the side edges of the egg, leaving a small gap. Stuff the egg firmly, moulding and shaping as you work. Close the remaining seam. Position the egg between the bunny's hands and sew in place.

Basket

Begin at the rim of the basket and with the main colour (yarn **A**) cast on 45 sts, leaving a long tail end approximately 150 cm in length, which will be used to knit rows 2 and 3 in double yarn

Row 1 Knit

Row 2 Pick up the tail yarn and using two strands of yarn **A** together (double yarn), Knit

Row 3 Using two strands of yarn **A** together, Knit

Row 4 Using a single strand of yarn **A**, Knit

Row 5 sl1 purl wise, in the contrast colour (yarn **B**) * K1, sl1 purl wise, repeat from * to end

Row 6 sl1 purl wise, yb, in yarn **B** * K1, yfwd, sl1 purl wise, yb, repeat from * to end

Rows 7 - 8 In **A** Knit 2 rows

Row 9 sl1 purl wise, in yarn **B** * K1, sl1 purl wise, repeat from * to end

Row 10 sl1 purl wise, yb, in yarn **B** * K1, yfwd, sl1 purl wise, yb, repeat from * to end

Row 11 In **A** K11, K2tog, K20, K2tog, K10 (43 sts)

Row 12 In **A** K10, K2tog, K19, K2tog, K10 (41 sts)

Rows 13 - 18 Repeat rows 5 to 10

Row 19 In **A** K9, K2tog, K20, K2tog, K8 (39 sts)

Row 20 In **A** K8, K2tog, K19, K2tog, K8 (37 sts)

Row 21 sl1 purl wise, in yarn **B** * K1, sl1 purl wise, repeat from * to end

Row 22 sl1 purl wise, yb, in yarn **B** * K1, yfwd, sl1 purl wise, yb, repeat from * to end

Rows 23 - 25 Continue in **A** Knit 3 rows

Row 26 *Next and every following alternate row:* Purl

Row 27 K1, (K2tog, K2) 9 times (28 sts)

Row 29 K1, (K1, K2tog) 9 times (19 sts)

Row 31 K1, (K2tog) 9 times (10 sts) B&T

Handle

In yarn **A** cast on 42 sts

Rows 1 - 2 Knit 2 rows

Row 3 Cast off *loosely*

Working up from the gathered base of the basket, join the side edges. Weave in the loose ends. For a firmer base you may wish to cut a circle of card, approximately 4cm in diameter, to place inside. Position and sew the handle onto the basket.





Flowers (*make two*)

With flower coloured yarn cast on 18 sts. Break the yarn and thread the yarn through the stitches on the needle, draw up tightly and fasten off. Using the cast on tail-end of the yarn, catch the rows ends together to make a flower shape. Using yarn in a contrast colour embroider a small circle for the centre of the flower. Sew the flowers onto the sides of the basket.

Rainbow Easter Egg

Begin at the base of the egg and with red yarn cast on 25 sts *loosely*

Rows 1 - 2 Beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 3 K2, (m1, K3) 7 times, m1, K2 (33 sts)

Row 4 Purl

Rows 5 - 6 In orange yarn, beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 7 In orange yarn, K2, (m1, K7) 4 times, m1, K3 (38 sts)

Row 8 In orange yarn, Purl

Rows 9 - 12 In yellow yarn, beg with a Knit row, st-st 4 rows

Rows 13 - 16 In green yarn, beg with a Knit row, st-st 4 rows

Row 17 In blue yarn, K8, K2tog, K18, SSK, K8 (36 sts)

Rows 18 - 20 In blue yarn, beg with a Purl, st-st 3 rows

Row 21 In indigo yarn, (K1, K2tog, K1) 9 times (27 sts)

Rows 22 - 23 In indigo yarn, beg with a Purl row, st-st 2 rows

Row 24 In indigo yarn, P2, (P2tog, P1) 8 times, P1 (19 sts)

Rows 25 - 26 In violet yarn, beg with a Knit row, st-st 2 rows

Row 27 In violet yarn, K1, (K2tog) 9 times (10 sts)

Row 28 In violet yarn, Purl B&T



Weave in all the yarn ends. Working down from the gathered top of the egg, join the side edges. The bottom cast on edge can be left open for the easy placement and removal of the egg or it can be drawn up with a running stitch to close the bottom of the egg.

Row 28 Purl B&T

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Weave in all the yarn ends. Working down from the gathered top of the egg, join the side edges. The bottom cast on edge can be left open for the easy placement and removal of the egg or it can be drawn up with a running stitch to close the bottom of the egg.

Scrubs Doll

Before you begin make one small ball of hair coloured yarn (yarn **D**) from the same original ball

Begin at the shoes and with white yarn (yarn **A**) cast on 25 sts *loosely*

Row 1 K12, P1, K12

Row 2 P12, K1, P12

Row 3 (K2, m1, K1) 4 times, P1, (K1, m1, K2) 4 times (33 sts)

Row 4 P16, K1, P16

Row 5 In scrubs coloured yarn (yarn **B**), K16, P1, K16

Row 6 P16, K1, P16

Row 7 K16, P1, K16

Rows 8 - 11 Repeat rows 6 and 7, 2 times

Rows 12 - 15 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 4 rows

Row 16 Knit

Row 17 In **B** K5, in skin coloured yarn (yarn **C**) K7, in **B** K9, in **C** K7, in **B** K5

Row 18 In **B** P5, in **C** P7, in **B** P9, in **C** P7, in **B** P5

Row 19 In **B** K5, in **C** K7, in **B** K9, in **C** K7, in **B** K5

Rows 20 - 21 Repeat rows 18 and 19

Rows 22 - 24 In **B**, beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

Row 25 In **B** K16, in **C** K1, in **B** K16

Row 26 In **B** P15, in **C** P3, in **B** P15

Row 27 In **B** K8, K2tog, K4 in **C** K5, in **B** K4, SSK, K8 (31 sts)

Rows 28 - 30 In **C**, beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

** Mark each end of row 28 for the head running stitch (shape head row)*

Row 31 Join 1st ball of yarn **D** K9, in **C** K13, join 2nd ball of yarn **D** K9

By using a second ball of yarn you will not need to carry the yarn across the work

Row 32 In **D** (P1, K1) 4 times, P1, in **C** P13, in **D** P1, (K1, P1) 4 times

Row 33 In **D** K10, in **C** K11, in **D** K10

Row 34 In **D** (K1, P1) 5 times, in **C** P5, K1*, P5, in **D** (P1, K1) 5 times **Knit stitch to make a nose!*

Row 35 In **D** K10, in **C** K11, in **D** K10

Row 36 In **D** (P1, K1) 5 times, P1, in **C** P9, in **D** P1, (K1, P1) 5 times

Row 37 In **D** Knit

Row 38 In **D** (K1, P1) to end

Rows 39 - 41 Continue in **B** Knit 3 rows

Rows 42 - 44 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

Row 45 K1, K2tog, (K2, K2tog) 7 times (23 sts)

Row 46 Purl

Row 47 K2, (K2tog, K1) 7 times (16 sts)

Row 48 Purl

Row 49 (K2tog) 8 times (8 sts) B&T

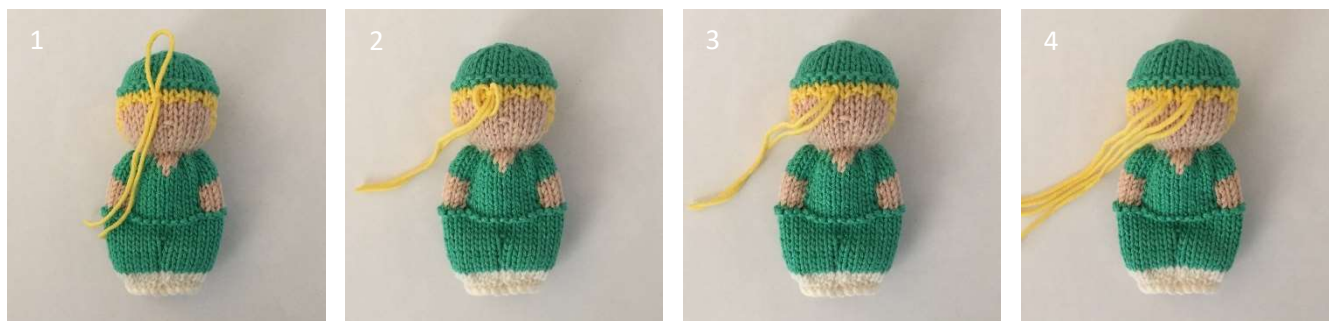


Working down from the gathered top of the hat, join the sides of the doll together with an invisible seam. To make the head, work a gathering thread through every leg of the stitches on the shape head row. Draw up, stuff the head firmly and knot the gathering thread securely. Weave in all the yarn ends. The bottom cast on edge can be left open for the easy placement and removal of the egg or it can be drawn up with a running stitch to close the bottom of the doll.

Eyes Mark eye positions with pins. The centre of each eye lies approximately 6 sts up from the shape head row and there are 4 stitches between each eye. The eyes are worked in back-stitch with a single strand of eye coloured yarn. Thread a sewing needle and insert the needle into the opening at the base of the head, bringing it out at one of the marked eye positions. Sew 3 horizontal stitches across the same stitch, then bring the needle through the head to the opposite side for the second eye. Make 3 horizontal stitches, then pull the needle through the body to hide the yarn ends.

Arms To define the arms, sew small backstitches through the front and back layers. The arms are 7 stitches wide. Begin the arms 5 rows from the neck and 5 stitches in from the back seam.

Hair For short hair do not add hair strands. For long hair, cut strands of yarn approximately 24cm in length. Fold a length of the hair yarn in half and thread it through a sewing needle. Insert the sewing needle through a purl stitch at the top of the head and pull the loop of the yarn through (1). Take the two ends of the yarn and pass them through the loop (2). Pull the ends of the yarn tight to fix the strand onto the head (3). Continue to cover the head with hair strands in this way (4). Then trim the strands so that the hair is your desired length and style.



Mask

Begin at the bottom of the mask and with white yarn cast on 10 sts

Row 1 Knit

Row 2 K1, P8, K1

Row 3 Knit

Row 4 K1, P8, K1

Row 5 Cast off

Leave the cast on and cast off tails long. Attach strands of yarns to the other side of the mask to create ties. Use the ties to secure the mask onto the doll's face.

Scrubs Teddy

Begin at the shoes and with white yarn (yarn **A**) cast on 25 sts *loosely*

Row 1 K12, P1, K12

Row 2 P12, K1, P12

Row 3 (K2, m1, K1) 4 times, P1, (K1, m1, K2) 4 times (33 sts)

Row 4 P16, K1, P16

Row 5 In scrubs coloured yarn (yarn **B**), K16, P1, K16

Row 6 P16, K1, P16

Row 7 K16, P1, K16

Rows 8 - 11 Repeat rows 6 and 7, 2 times

Rows 12 - 15 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 4 rows

Row 16 Knit

Row 17 In **B** K5, in brown yarn (yarn **C**) K7, in **B** K9, in **C** K7, in **B** K5

Row 18 In **B** P5, in **C** P7, in **B** P9, in **C** P7, in **B** P5

Row 19 In **B** K5, in **C** K7, in **B** K9, in **C** K7, in **B** K5

Rows 20 - 21 Repeat rows 18 and 19

Rows 22 - 24 In **B**, beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

Row 25 In **B** K16, in **C** K1, in **B** K16

Row 26 In **B** P15, in **C** P3, in **B** P15

Row 27 In **B** K8, K2tog, K4 in **C** K5, in **B** K4, SSK, K8 (31 sts)

Row 28 In **C** Purl

** Mark each end of row 28 for the head running stitch (shape head row)*

Row 29 In **C** K16, m1, K15 (32 sts)

Row 30 In **C** P13, in cream yarn (yarn **D**) P6, in **C** P13

Row 31 In **C** K13, in **D** K1, m1, K1, m1, K2, m1, K1, m1, K1, in **C** K13 (36 sts)

Row 32 In **C** P13, in **D** P10, in **C** P13

Row 33 In **C** K13, in **D** K10, in **C** K13

Row 34 In **C** P13, in **D** P10, in **C** P13

Row 35 In **C** K13, in **D** K2, K2tog, K2, SSK, K2, in **C** K13 (34 sts)

Row 36 In **C** P13, in **D** P8, in **C** P13

Row 37 In **C** K13, SSK, K2tog, SSK, K2tog, K13 (30 sts)

Row 38 In **C** Purl

Rows 39 - 41 Continue in **B** Knit 3 rows

Rows 42 - 44 Beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

Row 45 K1, K2tog, (K2, K2tog) 7 times (23 sts)

Row 46 Purl

Row 47 K2, (K2tog, K1) 7 times (16 sts)

Row 48 Purl

Row 49 (K2tog) 8 times (8 sts) B&T



Working down from the gathered top of the head, join the sides of the teddy together with an invisible seam. To make the head, work a gathering thread through every leg of the stitches on the shape head row. Draw up, stuff the head firmly and knot the gathering thread securely. Using cream yarn sew a gathering thread around the nose. Draw the thread up carefully, taking the time to shape and mould the nose. Knot the thread securely.

Weave in all the yarn ends. The bottom cast on edge can be left open for the easy placement and removal of the egg or it can be drawn up with a running stitch to close the bottom of the teddy.

Eyes Mark eye positions with pins. The centre of each eye lies approximately 9 sts up from the shape head row and there are 4 clear stitches between each eye. The eyes are worked in back-stitch with two strands of black yarn together (double yarn). Fold a length of black yarn in half and thread this through a sewing needle. Insert the needle into the base of the head and bring it out at one of the marked eye positions. Sew 3 horizontal stitches across the same stitch, then bring the needle through the head to the opposite side for the second eye. Make 3 horizontal stitches, then pull the needle through the body to hide the yarn ends.

Nose So that the nose is quite flat and not too protruding, I would recommend using half the thickness of yarn. Yarn is generally made up of individual strands, so take a length of dark brown yarn and split the yarn in half. Alternatively you could use embroidery thread. Embroider a 'V' for the nose, then sew a vertical line down from the nose followed by a gentle curve each side to form the mouth.

Ears (make two)

Begin at the top of the ears and with brown yarn cast on 25 sts

Row 1 K1, (K2tog, K1) 8 times (17 sts)

Row 2 (P2tog) 8 times, P1 (9 sts) B&T

Fold the piece in half and using the cast on tail join the top, curved edges of the ears. Then sew along the bottom of the ears. Curve the ears and sew them onto the hat.

Mask

Begin at the bottom of the mask and with white yarn cast on 10 sts

Row 1 Knit

Row 2 K1, P8, K1

Row 3 Knit

Row 4 K1, P8, K1

Row 5 Cast off

Leave the cast on and cast off tails long. Attach strands of yarn to the other side of the mask to create ties. Use the ties to secure the mask onto the teddy's face.

Superhero Teddy

Begin at the boots and with red yarn (yarn **A**) cast on 25 sts *loosely*

Row 1 K12, P1, K12

Row 2 P12, K1, P12

Row 3 (K2, m1, K1) 4 times, P1, (K1, m1, K2) 4 times (33 sts)

Row 4 P16, K1, P16

Row 5 In blue yarn (yarn **B**), K16, P1, K16

Row 6 P16, K1, P16

Row 7 K16, P1, K16

Rows 8 - 11 Repeat rows 6 and 7, 2 times

Rows 12 - 14 In **A**, beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

Row 15 In yellow yarn (yarn **C**), Knit

Row 16 In **B** Purl

Row 17 In **B** K16, in **A** K1, in **B** K16

Row 18 In **B** P15, in **A** P1, in **C** P1, in **A** P1, in **B** P15

Row 19 In **B** K14, in **A** K1, in **C** K3, in **A** K1, in **B** K14

Row 20 In **B** P13, in **A** P1, in **C** P1, in **A** P2, in **C** P2, in **A** P1, in **B** P13

Row 21 In **B** K12, in **A** K1, in **C** K2, in **A** K1, in **C** K4, in **A** K1, in **B** K12

Row 22 In **B** P11, in **A** P1, in **C** P3, in **A** P3, in **C** P3, in **A** P1, in **B** P11

Row 23 In **B** K11, in **A** K1, in **C** K5, in **A** K1, in **C** K3, in **A** K1, in **B** K11

Row 24 In **B** P12, in **A** P1, in **C** P3, in **A** P2, in **C** P2, in **A** P1, in **B** P12

Row 25 In **B** K13, in **A** K1, in **C** K5, in **A** K1, in **B** K13

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Row 27 In **B** K8, K2tog, K13, SSK, K8 (31 sts)

Row 28 In brown yarn (yarn **D**), Purl (*shape head row*)

Row 29 In **D** K16, m1, K15 (32 sts)

Row 30 In **D** P13, join cream yarn (yarn **E**) P6, in **D** P13

Row 31 In **D** K13, in **E** K1, m1, K1, m1, K2, m1, K1, m1, K1, in **D** K13 (36 sts)

Row 32 In **D** P13, in **E** P10, in **D** P13

Row 33 In **D** K13, in **E** K10, in **D** K13

Row 34 In **D** P13, in **E** P10, in **D** P13

Row 35 In **D** K13, in **E** K2, K2tog, K2, SSK, K2, in **D** K13 (34 sts)

Row 36 In **D** P13, in **E** P8, in **D** P13

Row 37 Continue in **D** K13, SSK, K2tog, SSK, K2tog, K13 (30 sts)

Rows 38 - 44 Purl beg with a Purl row, st-st 7 rows

Row 45 K2, (K2tog, K2) 7 times (23 sts)

Row 46 *Next and following alternate row:* Purl

Row 47 K2tog, (K1, K2tog) 7 times (15 sts)

Row 49 K1, (K2tog) 7 times (8 sts) B&T



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Ears (make two)

Begin at the top of the ears and with brown yarn cast on 25 sts

Row 1 K1, (K2tog, K1) 8 times (17 sts)

Row 2 (P2tog) 8 times, P1 (9 sts) B&T

Fold the piece in half and using the cast on tail join the top, curved edges of the ears. Then sew along the bottom of the ears. Curve the ears and sew them onto the teddy's head.

Cape

Begin at the bottom of the cape and with red yarn cast on 30 sts

Row 1 Knit

Row 2 K1, Purl to last st, K1

Rows 3 - 10 Repeat rows 1 and 2, 4 times

Row 11 K4, SSK, K18, K2tog, K4 (28 sts)

Row 12 *Next and every following alternate row:* K1, Purl to last st, K1

Row 13 Knit

Row 15 K4, SSK, K16, K2tog, K4 (26 sts)

Row 17 Knit

Row 19 K4, SSK, K3, SSK, K4, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K4 (22 sts)

Row 21 Cast off

Using the cast off tail sew the cape onto the teddy.

Skirt

Begin at the bottom of the skirt and with red yarn cast on 58 sts

Rows 1 - 6 Knit 6 rows

Row 7 In yellow yarn, K1, (K2tog) 28 times, K1 (30 sts)

Row 8 Cast off *loosely*

Join the centre back seam of the skirt and weave in the yarn ends.

Place the skirt onto the teddy and sew in place.

Superhero Doll

Should you wish to knit a Superhero Doll, follow the superhero teddy pattern to **Row 27** then continue as follows:

Rows 28 - 30 In skin coloured yarn (yarn **D**), beg with a Purl row, st-st 3 rows

** Mark each end of row 28 for the head running stitch (shape head row)*

Row 31 Join 1st ball of yarn **D** K9, in **C** K13, join 2nd ball of yarn **D** K9

By using a second ball of yarn you will not need to carry the yarn across the work

Row 32 In **D** (P1, K1) 4 times, P1, in **C** P13, in **D** P1, (K1, P1) 4 times

Row 33 In **D** K10, in **C** K11, in **D** K10

Row 34 In **D** (K1, P1) 5 times, in **C** P5, K1*, P5, in **D** (P1, K1) 5 times **Knit stitch to make a nose!*

Row 35 In **D** K10, in **C** K11, in **D** K10

Row 36 In **D** (P1, K1) 5 times, P1, in **C** P9, in **D** P1, (K1, P1) 5 times

Row 37 Continue in **D**, *next and every following alternate row*: Knit, unless otherwise stated

Row 38 (K1, P1) to end

Row 40 (P1, K1) to end

Row 42 (K1, P1) to end

Row 44 (P1, K1) to end

Row 45 K1, K2tog, (K2, K2tog) 7 times (23 sts)

Row 46 (K1, P1) to end

Row 47 K2, (K2tog, K1) 7 times (16 sts)

Row 48 (P1, K1) to end

Row 49 (K2tog) 8 times (8 sts) B&T

Follow the make up instructions as given for the Scrubs Doll.

Alternatively, you may like to make a Scrubs Bunny or Superhero Bunny. To do this simply make and attach bunny ears instead of teddy ears.

