

This 8ply square Hat is so easy to knit and so cute for any child to wear.



**SIZES:**

Age:	1	2-3	4-5	6-7	year/s
To fit head:	48	51	52	53	cm
	19	20	20½	21	inches

**YARN REQUIRED:**

Approx 70g of 8ply yarn.

Quantities vary between knitters and types of yarns.

**NEEDLES:**

1 pair of 4.00mm (UK 8, US 6) knitting needles.

Wool needle for sewing up.

**TENSION:**

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm needles.

**ABBREVIATIONS:**

**beg** = beginning; **cm** = centimetres; **K** = knit; **P** = purl; **rep** = repeat; **stocking st** = knit 1 row then purl 1 row; **sts** = stitches.

**Hat**

**Sides** (make 2)

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 46 (**50-50-54**) sts.

**1st row:** K2, \* P2, K2, rep from \* to end.

**2nd row:** P2, \* K2, P2, rep from \* to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 times ... 8 rows rib in all

Work in stocking st until Hat measures 13 (**14-15-16**) cm from beg, end with purl row.

Cast off.

**Finishing**

Sew cast off edges together to form top of Hat. Sew side seams. If desired, attach tassels to corners of Hat. Sew in all ends.