

LAZY TRAVELER BEANIE



Materials:

Needles: Size US 8 16" circular needles
Size US 9 16" circular needles
Size US 9 double-point needles (DPNs)
Yarn: 200-250 yards of any yarn from the Knots of Love's [approved list of yarns](#).
Stitch marker
Tapestry needle

Abbreviations:

CO = cast on
K = knit
K2TOG = knit two stitches together
P = purl
P2TOG = purl two stitches together
RND = round
STS = stitches

Instructions:

Using long tail method and size 8 circular needles, CO 72 (84) sts.
Place stitch marker and join in the round being careful not to twist cast-on stitches at the join.

Brim:

(K 2, P 2) around.
Repeat until hat measures 3" from CO edge.

Pattern:

Switch to larger needle.
(K2, P2, K6, P2). Repeat around.
Repeat until beanie measures 9" from CO edge.

Crown Shaping: *(Switch to DPNs when necessary)*

Rnd 1: K2, P2, K6, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 2: K2, P2, K2, K2TOG, K2, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 3: K2, P2, K5, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 4: K2, P2, K1, K2TOG, K2, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 5: K2, P2, K4, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 6: K2, P2, K2TOG, K2TOG, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 7: K2, P2, K2, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 8: K2TOG, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 9: K1, P2, K1, P2. Repeat around.
Rnd 10: K1, P2TOG. Repeat around.
Rnd 11: K1, P1. Repeat around.
Rnd 12: K2TOG. Repeat around.

Finishing: Break yarn, leaving 12". Thread onto a tapestry needle and loosely thread through the remaining stitches. Thread through a 2nd time and pull tightly to close the remaining hole. Thread to inside and stitch in place to secure. Weave in and out of a few stitches, and clip the remaining yarn.



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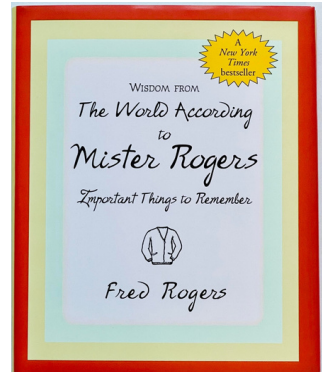
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