

## BRANDYE BEANIE



### **Materials:**

Needles: Size US 6 16" circular needles  
Size US 6 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

### **Instructions:**

Using long-tail cast-on method, cast on 90 sts. Place stitch marker and join in the round being careful not to twist cast-on stitches at the join.

### **Rib:**

(K1, P1) around until the rib is 2" in length.

**Pattern:** 6-round pattern.

**Rnd 1:** Knit

**Rnd 2:** Knit

**Rnd 3:** (yo, K1, K2tog) repeat to end.

**Rnd 4:** Knit

**Rnd 5:** Knit

**Rnd 6:** (K2tog, yo, K1) repeat to end.

Repeat pattern rnds 1-6 three times.

Knit around until the beanie measures 6 inches from the cast-on edge.

### **Crown Shaping: (9 Sections)**

**Rnd 1:** (K8, K2tog)

**Rnd 2:** and each even number round: knit plain around.

**Rnd 3:** (K7, K2tog)

**Rnd 5:** (K6, K2tog)

When circular needles become too long for the decreasing amount of stitches, begin knitting off onto double point needles or 2 circular needles.

**Rnd 7:** (K5, K2tog)

**Rnd 9:** (K4, K2tog)

**Rnd 11:** (K3, K2tog)

**Rnd 13:** (K2, K2tog)

**Rnd 15:** (K1, K2tog)

**Rnd 16:** (K2tog)

**Finishing:** Only 2 stitches remain in each section. 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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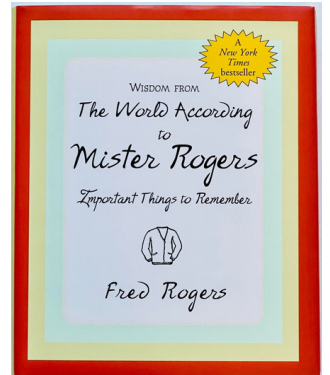
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