

SIMPLE CHILDS 8 PLY STRIPED JUMPER W/DROPPED SHOULDERS



MEASUREMENTS

Size.....	2	4	6	8	10	12
Fits bust cm	55	60	65	70	75	80
ins	22	24	26	28	30	32
Length.....cm	36	40	44	48	52	56
Sleeve Length.....cm	23	28	33	38	40	42
			(or length desired)			
Garment measures.....cm	60	66	72	78	83	90

This is an easy-fitting garment

MATERIALS

Quantity - MC.....gms	150	200	200	250	250	300
- C1	100	100	100	150	150	200
- C2	50	50	50	50	50	100
- C3	50	50	50	50	50	100

Quantities are approximate as they vary between knitters

NEEDLES

1 pair each 4.00mm (UK 8, USA 6) and 3.25mm (UK 10, USA 3) or sizes needed to give correct tension.

ACCESSORIES

Knitters Needle for sewing seams.

TENSION

22 sts to 10 cm in width over stocking stitch.

FIRST – CHECK YOUR TENSION

Please check your tension carefully. If less stitches use smaller needles, if more stitches use bigger needles.

BACK AND FRONT ALIKE.

Using MC and 3.25mm Needles, cast on 69 (77 – 83 -91 – 97 – 103) sts.

1st row – K2, *P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row – K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 6 (6 – 7 – 7 – 9 – 9) times... 14 (14 – 16 – 16 – 20 – 20) rows rib in total.

Change to 4.00mm Needles and work 4 rows.

STRIPE PATTERN.

Change to C1 and knit 2 rows.

Change to C2 and knit 2 rows.

Change to C1 and knit 2 rows.

Change to MC and knit 4 rows.

Change to C1 and knit 2 rows.

Change to C3 and knit 2 rows.

Change to C1 and knit 2 rows.

Change to MC and knit 4 rows.

Work in stocking stitch until work measures 23 (26 – 28 – 30 – 32 – 35) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Tie a colored thread at each end of the last row to mark beg of armholes as there is no armhole shaping.

Work a further 28 (32 – 34 – 40 – 42 – 46) rows stocking stitch.

Work 10 (10 – 14 – 14 – 18 – 18) rows rib as before.

Shape shoulders – Keeping rib correct, cast off 4 (5 – 6 – 7 – 8 – 8) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 5 (6 – 6 – 7 – 7 – 9) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem 43 (45 – 47 – 49 – 51 – 53) sts loosely in rib.

SLEEVES.

Using 3.25mm Needles, cast on 37 (39 – 41 – 43 – 45 – 47) sts.

Work 13 (13 – 15 – 15 – 19 – 19) rows rib as for Back and Front.

Next row – Rib 4 (4 – 2 – 4 – 2 – 0), * inc in next st, rib 3 (3 – 3 – 2 – 2 – 2), rep from * to last 4 (6 – 2 – 5 – 3 – 1) st/s, rib to end ... 45 (47 – 51 – 55 – 59 – 63) sts.

Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Work 4 rows in stocking stitch

5th row – K2, “M1”, knit to last 2 sts, “m1”, K2.

Cont in stocking stitch following the same stripe pattern as for the back and front, inc (as before) at each end of foll 8th (8th – 10th – 8th – 6th – 6th) rows until there are 57 (55 – 67 – 77 – 69 – 81) sts.

Sizes 4, 10 and 12 only – then in foll (10th – 8th – 8th) rows until there are (61 – 85 – 91) sts.

All Sizes – Cont without shaping until work measures 23 (**28** – 33 – **38** – 40 – **42**) cm (or length desired) from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off 5 (**6** – 6 – **6** – 7 – **8**) sts at beg of next 8 (**8** – 8 – **10** – 10 – **10**) rows.

Cast off rem sts.

MAKE UP

With a slightly damp cloth and warm iron, press lightly. Using back-stitch, and taking care to match the stripes, join shoulder, sleeve and side seams to colored threads. Sew in sleeves. Press seams.