

# SIMPLE CHILDS 8 PLY RAGLAN JUMPER WITH ROUND NECK



## MEASUREMENTS

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

This is an easy-fitting garment

## MATERIALS

Quantity.....	250	300	350	400	450	550
	gms					
	mtrs					

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

2 Stitch Holders for Neck. Knitters Needle for sewing seams.

## TENSION

22.5 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.

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

1<sup>st</sup> row – K2, \*P1, K1, rep from \* to last st, K1.

2<sup>nd</sup> row – K1, \*P1, K1, rep from \* to end.

Rep 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> rows 6 (**6 – 7 – 7 – 9 – 9**)

times... 14 (**14 – 16 – 16 – 20 – 20**) rows rib in total.

Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Work in stocking stitch until work measures 21 (**23 – 25 – 27 – 29 – 31**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

**Shape raglan armholes** – Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. \*\*

**3<sup>rd</sup> row** – K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to last 4 sts, k2 tog, K2.

Work 3 rows in stocking stitch.

Rep last 4 rows 2 (**1 – 2 – 1 – 2 – 2**) time/s... 57 (**67 – 71 – 81 – 85 – 91**) sts.

Dec (as before) at each end of next and alt rows until 23 (**23 – 25 – 25 – 27 – 27**) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Leave rem sts on stitch-holder.

### FRONT.

Work as for Back to \*\*.

Dec (as before) at each end of next and alt rows until 45 (**45 – 49 – 49 – 53 – 53**) sts rem.

Work 1 row stocking stitch.

**Shape Neck** – 1<sup>st</sup> row – K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, K13 (**13 – 15 – 15 – 17 – 17**) turn.

Cont on these 16 (**16 – 18 – 18 – 20 – 20**) sts.

2<sup>nd</sup> row – Purl.

3<sup>rd</sup> row – K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to last 2 sts, sl 1, K1, pssso.

Rep 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> rows until 8 sts remain.

Dec (as before) at armhole edge only in next and alt rows until 3 sts rem.

**Next row** – P3.

**Next row** – K1, sl 1, K1, pssso.

**Next row** – P2, turn, K2 tog.

Fasten off.

Slip next 11 sts on to stitch-holder and leave.

Join yarn to rem sts and knit to last 4 sts, K2 tog, K2.

Cont on these 16 (**16 – 18 – 18 – 20 – 20**) sts.

2<sup>nd</sup> row – Purl.

3<sup>rd</sup> row – K2 tog, knit to last 4 sts, K2 tog, K2.

Rep 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> rows until 8 sts rem.

Dec (as before) at armhole edge only in alt rows until 3 sts remain.

**Next row** – P3.

**Next row** – K2 tog, K1.

**Next row** – P2, turn, K2 tog.

Fasten off.

## **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** – 6 – **6** – 8 – **4**), \* inc in next st, rib 3, rep from \* to last 1 (**3** – 3 – **5** – 5 – **3**) st/s, rib to end ... 45 (**47** – 49 – **51** – 53 – **57**) sts.

Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Work 4 rows in stocking stitch.

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

Cont in stocking stitch, inc (as before) at each end of foll 8<sup>th</sup> (**10<sup>th</sup>** – 10<sup>th</sup> – **12<sup>th</sup>** – 10<sup>th</sup> – **10<sup>th</sup>**) rows until there are 57 (**59** – 63 – **65** – 71 – **69**) sts.

**Sizes 12 only** – then in foll 12<sup>th</sup> rows until there are 75 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.

Shape raglan – Cast off 3 sts at beg of next two rows.

**3<sup>rd</sup> row** – K2, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to last 4 sts, k2 tog, K2.

Work 3 rows in stocking stitch.

Rep last 4 rows 0 (**2** – 3 – **5** – 5 – **6**) time/s... 49 (**47** – 49 – **47** – 52 – **55**) sts.

Dec (as before) at each end of next and alt rows until 7 sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

## **NECKBAND**

Using back-stitch, join raglan seams, leaving left back raglan open and noting that tops of sleeves form part of neckline. With right side facing and using 3.25mm Needles, knit up 90 (**90** – 96 – **96** – 102 – **102**) sts evenly across around neck, incl sts from stitch-holders.

1<sup>st</sup> row - \*K1, P1, rep from \* to end.\*\*

Rep 1<sup>st</sup> row 16 (**16** – 16 – **20** – 20 – **20**) times.

Cast off lightly in rib.

## **MAKE UP**

With a slightly damp cloth and warm iron, press lightly. Using back-stitch, join left raglan seam. Join side and sleeve seams. Fold neckband in half to wrong side and slip-stitch in position. Press seams.