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Classic Ribbed Beanie Hat

A simple, cozy hat with timeless style.

This easy pattern uses only basic knit and purl stitch combinations, completely eliminating the need for complex cable twists or extra cable needles. It produces a soft, beautifully stretchy beanie with a folded brim that looks professional while remaining incredibly easy and forgiving to make.

Specifications & Materials

- **Skill Level:** Beginner (with guidance) to Advanced
- **Size:** Standard Adult (Fits head circumference 54 cm – 58 cm)
- **Yarn:** 10-ply / Chunky / Bulky weight yarn (approx. 100g)
- **Needles:** 5.50 mm straight knitting needles
- **Gauge:** 16 stitches and 22 rows = 10 cm in rib pattern
- **Notions:** Tapestry needle, scissors



Step-by-Step Instructions

1 The Cast On

Using your 5.50 mm straight needles, cast on 72 stitches loosely to keep the lower brim stretchy and comfortable to wear.

2 Working the Ribbed Body

- **Row 1:** *Knit 2, Purl 2; repeat from * to the end of the row.
- **Row 2:** Knit the knit stitches and Purl the purl stitches exactly as they face you.

Repeat these two rows continuously until your fabric measures 22 cm straight up from your cast-on edge. This length allows for a classic, cozy folded brim.

3 Shaping the Crown (Decreasing)

- **Row 1:** *Knit 2 together, Purl 2; repeat from * to the end of the row.
- **Row 2:** Knit and Purl the stitches exactly as they appear on your needle.
- **Row 3:** *Knit 1, Purl 2 together; repeat from * to the end of the row.
- **Row 4:** *Knit 2 together; repeat from * across all remaining stitches on the needle.





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Step-by-Step Instructions (continued)

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Finishing and Seaming



Cut your working yarn, leaving a long tail (approx. 40 cm). Thread this tail onto a blunt tapestry needle. Pull the tail tightly through the remaining active loops left on your knitting needle to draw the top of the hat together like a drawstring. Fold the hat in half with the right sides facing, and carefully sew the back seam together from top to bottom using a neat mattress stitch. Securely weave in any remaining loose yarn tails.



Helpful Tip



Use a good quality, soft yarn for extra warmth and comfort. A folded brim adds extra coziness and gives your hat a beautiful, finished look.

Happy Knitting.



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