

# MINIMALIST KNITTER

## Boystown<sup>®</sup> Beanie



### DIRECTIONS:

With CC, cast on 76 {96} stitches. Join for working in the round.

Rows 1 - 3: With CC, k2 p2. Repeat around hat.

Row 4: Switch to MC. K2, p2. Repeat around hat.

Repeat k2, p2 ribbing with MC until hat measures 7 {10} inches from cast on edge.

### Decreases:

Row 1: k2tog, p2. Repeat around hat.

Row 2: k1, p2. Repeat around hat.

Row 3: k1, p2tog. Repeat around hat.

Row 4: k1, p1. Repeat around hat.

Row 5: K2tog. Repeat around hat.

Row 6: Knit all stitches.

Row 7: K2tog. Repeat around.

Break yarn, leaving a 10" tail. Weave through stitches on needles, and bind off. Weave in all ends.

### Materials Needed

- One size US 9 / 5.5 mm circular needle, 16"
- One set US 9 / 5.5 mm DPNs
- One skein Red Heart Super Saver Solids {100% acrylic; 364yds/333m per 198g} for main color (MC)
- Five yards Red Heart Super Saver Solids {100% acrylic; 364yds/333m per 198g for contrasting color (CC)
- Darning needle

### For a Perfect Fit

- Sizes - child {adult}
- 17 stitches = 4"

### Abbreviations

K = knit	Sts = stitches
P = purl	CO = cast on
MC = main color	CC = contrasting color
K2tog = knit 2 stitches together	
P2tog = purl 2 stitches together	

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### Helpful Hints

- By making the hat a full 7 {10} inches before decreasing for the crown, the brim can be folded up to best fit whoever wears the hat. For less of a brim, knit for fewer inches – although be sure to knit for no less than 6 {8} inches or the hat may be too short!
- This hat makes a great charity donation! You can substitute any worsted weight or aran weight yarn into the pattern without much issue. Thanks to the ribbing throughout the pattern, the hat will stretch to fit over almost any adult sized head!