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Toddler Dressing Gown

Yarn required:
Sean Sheep Pom Pom
Years 2 (3-4)
5 (6-7) x 100g balls

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Skill Level
Intermediate

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MEASUREMENTS - Years 2 (3-4)

Fits underarm 55 (58-60) cms/22 (23-24) ins

To measure (approx) 65 (68-70) cms/26 (27-28) ins

Length (approx) 52 (57-61) cms/21 (23-24) ins

Sleeve length 23 (25-28) cms/9 (10-11) ins

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NEEDLES

A pair 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles or size that gives correct tension/gauge.

MATERIALS

A Yarn Needle; Matching plain yarn for sewing seams.

TENSION/GAUGE

6 sts and 15 rows to 10 cms/4 ins over garter st, using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles. Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.

ABBREVIATIONS

St/s - stitch/es, **K** - Knit, **RS** - right side, **WS** - wrong side, **garter st** - every row knit, **beg** - begin/ning, **cont** - continue, **M1** - make one st by picking up loop that lies before next st, place on left hand needle and then knit into back of loop, **sl** - slip, **pssso** - pass slipped st over, **dec** - decrease, **inc** - increase, **fol** - follow/ing, **alt** - alternate, **rem** - remain/ing, **K2tog** - knit 2 sts together.

SPECIAL NOTE

For cast on - Work the thumb method when casting on sts rather than using a pair of needles, ensure that each stitch has a pom pom.

When knitting make sure that on each stitch a pom pom is left at the back of the work, ie. work each stitch between each pom pom on the yarn.

For cast/bind off - knit into front of st, then slip the remainder of the st from left hand needle onto right hand needle, thus creating 2 sts. Repeat this for all sts across row, thus doubling the amount of sts, then cast/bind off sts loosely in usual manner.

CREATE

Back and Fronts (worked in one piece to armholes)

Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles, cast on 47 (53-59) sts (see special note).

Knit in garter st (1st row is RS, see special note) until work measures 37 (41-44) cms/15 (16½-17½) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Divide for armholes and shape neck and collar -

1st row - K14 (16-18), **turn**.

Cont on these 14 (16-18) sts for Right Front.

2nd and foll alt rows (WS) - Knit.

3rd row (RS) - K2, **M1**, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end = 14 (16-18) sts.

5th row - K2, **M1**, K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end = 14 (16-18) sts.

7th row - K2, (**M1**) 0 (1-1) time/s, K1 (2-2), sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end = 13 (16-18) sts.

9th row - K2, (**M1**) 1 (0-1) time/s, K2 (2-3), sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end = 13 (15-18) sts.

11th row - K2, (**M1**) 0 (1-0) time/s, K2 (3-3), sl 1, K1, pssso, knit to end = 12 (15-17) sts.

Cont dec for neck and inc for collar in this manner, working inc for collar in every 4th row from previous inc, 3 (3-4) more times, **at the same time** dec for neck in every foll alt row 3 (5-7) times = 12 (13-14) sts.

Knit 2 rows garter st.

Shape shoulder - Next row (WS) - Cast/bind off 6 sts (see special note), knit to end = 6 (7-8) sts.

Cont in garter st on these 6 (7-8) sts for right back collar a further 6.5 (7-7.5) cms/2½ (3-3) ins, working last row on WS. Cast/bind off loosely (see special note).

With RS facing, join yarn to rem sts.

Next row (RS) - K19 (21-23), **turn**.

Cont on these 19 (21-23) sts for Back and knit 21 (23-25) rows garter st.

Shape shoulders - Cast/bind off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Cast/bind off rem 7 (9-11) sts loosely (see special note).

With RS facing, join yarn to rem 14 (16-18) sts for Left Front and knit across these sts.

2nd and foll alt rows (WS) - Knit.

3rd row - Knit to last 4 sts, K2tog, **M1**, K2 = 14 (16-18) sts.

5th row - Knit to last 5 sts, K2tog, K1, **M1**, K2 = 14 (16-18) sts.

7th row - Knit to last 5 (6-6) sts, K2tog, K1 (2-2), (**M1**) 0 (1-1) time/s, K2 = 13 (16-18) sts.

Cont dec for neck and inc for collar in this manner, working inc for collar in every foll 4th row from previous inc, 4 (4-5) more times, **at the same time** dec for neck in every foll alt row 5 (7-9) times = 12 (13-14) sts.

Knit 1 row.

Shape shoulder - Next row (RS) - Cast/bind off 6 sts (see special note), knit to end = 6 (7-8) sts.

Cont in garter st on these 6 (7-8) sts for left back collar for a further 6.5 (7-7.5) cms/2½ (3-3) ins, working last row on WS. Cast/bind off loosely (see special note).

Sleeve (make 2)

Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles, cast on 10 (12-12) sts (see special note).

Knit 4 rows garter st.

Cont in garter st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 12th (14th-10th) row until there are 16 (18-20) sts.

Cont without shaping until sleeve measures 23 (25-28) cms/9 (10-11) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Cast/bind off rem sts loosely (see special note).

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends. Using yarn needle, matching plain yarn and a flat seam, join shoulder seams. Join cast/bound off edges of left and right back collar pieces together. Sew side edge of collar to back neck, placing seam of collar to centre back neck and easing to fit. Turn back collar. Sew in sleeves, placing centre of sleeves to shoulder seams. Join side and sleeve seams.

Belt - Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles, cast on 3 sts (see special note).

Knit in garter st until belt measures 120 cms/48 ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Cast/bind off loosely (see special note).