

## Knitted Cap

2 50g balls of double knitting wool  
1 pair of Number 5 needles

### Method

Cast on 65 (69 73 77) stitches  
Knit 1k1p rib for 4 (5 5 5.5) inches

Change to stocking stitch (1 row plain and 1 row purl) and work until the cap measures 6.5 (7 8 8.5) inches from cast on edge

Next row: (knit 15, k2tog) 4 times, knit to end

Next row: k1, p1 to last stitch, knit 1

Shape crown:

First row: (K6, K2tog) to last stitch, k1

Second and alternate rows: purl

3<sup>rd</sup> row: (K5, K2tog) to last stitch, K1

5<sup>th</sup> row: (K4, K2tog) to last stitch, K1

Continue in this manner until the row (K1, k2tog), to last stitch K1

Next row: purl

Next row: K2tog, to end of the row

Thread wool through remaining stitches and fasten off.

The hats can be sent to church when we re-open to go to Eastern Europe with our shoe boxes

