

Washington Park Beanie - Worsted

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Construction: This ribbed beanie features a deep folded brim and is knit in the round. Pick your favorite color and knit your own cozy hat!

Skill level: Advanced Beginner - Intermediate

Skills needed: knitting and purling in the round, decreasing by ssk

Size: Small (Medium, Large) Adult

Circumference: Stretches to fit a 20" (22", 24") head circumference

Height: 7 ½", (8", 8 ½") with brim folded

Gauge: 20 sts and 28 rows per 4" in hat pattern stitch knit in the round.



Materials:

- US 7 (5.0 mm) double-pointed needles, or size needed to obtain gauge
- 160 (175, 190) yards worsted weight wool or wool blend yarn. *Sample shown using Lion Brand Wool-Ease (80% acrylic, 20% wool, 85 g, 197 yds) in Arrowwood.*
- Stitch Marker
- Yarn needle
- Scissors

Abbreviations:

- CO: Cast on
- k: knit
- p: purl
- rnd(s): round(s)
- ssk: slip, slip, knit: slip the next two stitches knitwise then knit two slipped stitches together through the back loop.

Notes: Instructions for the smallest size are shown first with the larger sizes in the parentheses.

Instructions:Brim:

CO 84 (96, 108) sts. Join to knit in the round, being careful not to twist stitches. Place a stitch marker to mark the beginning of the round.

Rnd 1: *k1, p1; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Repeat rnd 1 until brim measures 3 ½" (3 ¼", 4") from cast-on.

Body:

Rnd 2: knit all stitches.

Rnd 3: *k1, p1; repeat from * to end of rnd

Repeat rnds 2-3 until hat measures 10 1/2" (11, 11 ½") from the cast-on edge (or until approximately 1 ¾" less than desired finished length).

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Rnd 4: knit all stitches.

Rnd 5: *ssk, (k1, p1) five times; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 6: knit all stitches.

Rnd 7: *ssk, p1, (k1, p1) four times; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 8: knit all stitches.

Rnd 9: *ssk, (k1, p1) four times; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 10: knit all stitches.

Rnd 11: *ssk, p1, (k1, p1) three times; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 12: knit all stitches.

Rnd 13: *ssk, (k1, p1) three times; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 14: knit all stitches.

Rnd 15: *ssk, p1, (k1, p1) twice; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 16: knit all stitches.

Rnd 17: *ssk, (k1, p1) twice; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 18: *ssk, k3; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 19: *ssk, k1, p1; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 20: *ssk, k1; repeat from * to end of rnd.

Rnd 21: ssk around. 7 (8, 9) stitches remain.

Cut yarn and weave tail through remaining stitches, drawing the top of the hat closed.

Weave in all loose ends. Lightly wet block. Wear.