



## Jewel Pixie Bonnet

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Material - appx 65-150yds sport weight (size 3) yarn (I used Valley Yarns Worthington), size 4 (3.5mm) straight AND dpn, yarn needle

Gauge: 6sts/1in **GAUGE IS VERY IMPORTANT! SWATCH FIRST!**

### Stitch Key:

k - knit

k2tog - knit 2 together

yo - yarn over

yo2 - yarn over twice

p - purl

ssk - slip, slip, knit the slipped sts together

st - stitch

ptbl - purl through back loop

**Appx Finished Measurements** - Newborn 5x5ins, 0-3m 5.5x5.5ins, 3-6m 6x6ins, 6-12mth 6.5x6.5ins, toddler 7x7ins, child 7.5x7.5ins (measurements are for bonnet when laid flat)

**I-cord Instructions** - To make an i-cord cast on 3 sts on double pointed needles. Slide these sts to the right of your needle. Knit the row. Slide the sts to the right of the needle. Knit the row and slide the sts to the right of the needle. Continue in this manner until you reach your desired length, occasionally giving the resulting cord a gentle tug. Bind off and weave in ends.

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## **NEWBORN**

Cast on 60sts

Row 1-4 - k1p1 across

Row 5 (wrong side) - k4, [p4, k2] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 6 - k4, k2tog, yo2, ssk, [p2, k2tog, yo2, ssk] repeat [to] across to last 4sts, k4

Row 7 - k4, [p2,ptbl, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 2sts, k2

Row 8 - k8, [p2, k4] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 5-8 until your work measures 5ins from cast on edge. Finish after completing a wrong side row.

Take half of your sts (30sts) and place them on a separate needle. You can either Kitchener stitch your back with wrong sides together or 3 needle bind off with right sides together. Do whichever you prefer.

Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block.

## **0-3 MONTHS**

Cast on 66sts

Row 1-4 - k1p1 across

Row 5 (wrong side) - k4, [p4, k2] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 6 - k4, k2tog, yo2, ssk, [p2, k2tog, yo2, ssk] repeat [to] across to last 4sts, k4

Row 7 - k4, [p2,ptbl, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 2sts, k2

Row 8 - k8, [p2, k4] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 5-8 until your work measures 5.5ins from cast on edge. Finish after completing a wrong side row.

Take half of your sts (33sts) and place them on a separate needle. You can either Kitchener stitch your back with wrong sides together or 3 needle bind off with right sides together. Do whichever you prefer.

Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block.

### 3-6 MONTHS

Cast on 72sts

Row 1-4 - k1p1 across

Row 5 (wrong side) - k4, [p4, k2] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 6 - k4, k2tog, yo2, ssk, [p2, k2tog, yo2, ssk] repeat [to] across to last 4sts, k4

Row 7 - k4, [p2,ptbl, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 2sts, k2

Row 8 - k8, [p2, k4] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 5-8 until your work measures 6ins from cast on edge. Finish after completing a wrong side row.

Take half of your sts (36sts) and place them on a separate needle. You can either Kitchener stitch your back with wrong sides together or 3 needle bind off with right sides together. Do whichever you prefer.

Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block.

### 6-12 MONTHS

Cast on 78sts

Row 1-4 - k1p1 across

Row 5 (wrong side) - k4, [p4, k2] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 6 - k4, k2tog, yo2, ssk, [p2, k2tog, yo2, ssk] repeat [to] across to last 4sts, k4

Row 7 - k4, [p2,ptbl, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 2sts, k2

Row 8 - k8, [p2, k4] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 5-8 until your work measures 6.5ins from cast on edge. Finish after completing a wrong side row.

Take half of your sts (39sts) and place them on a separate needle. You can either Kitchener stitch your back with wrong sides together or 3 needle bind off with right sides together. Do whichever you prefer.

Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block.

## TODDLER

Cast on 84sts

Row 1-4 - k1p1 across

Row 5 (wrong side) - k4, [p4, k2] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 6 - k4, k2tog, yo2, ssk, [p2, k2tog, yo2, ssk] repeat [to] across to last 4sts, k4

Row 7 - k4, [p2,ptbl, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 2sts, k2

Row 8 - k8, [p2, k4] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 5-8 until your work measures 7ins from cast on edge. Finish after completing a wrong side row.

Take half of your sts (42sts) and place them on a separate needle. You can either Kitchener stitch your back with wrong sides together or 3 needle bind off with right sides together. Do whichever you prefer.

Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block.

## CHILD

Cast on 90sts

Row 1-4 - k1p1 across

Row 5 (wrong side) - k4, [p4, k2] repeat [to] across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 6 - k4, k2tog, yo2, ssk, [p2, k2tog, yo2, ssk] repeat [to] across to last 4sts, k4

Row 7 - k4, [p2,ptbl, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 2sts, k2

Row 8 - k8, [p2, k4] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 5-8 until your work measures 7.5ins from cast on edge. Finish after completing a wrong side row.

Take half of your sts (45sts) and place them on a separate needle. You can either Kitchener stitch your back with wrong sides together or 3 needle bind off with right sides together. Do whichever you prefer.

Pick up 3sts along the front corner of your bonnet and work an i-cord for 12ins. Do the same on the opposite front corner. Weave in ends and block.