



# Cailloux Bonnet

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**Materials:** appx 40-80yd worsted weight yarn, size 8 (5mm) straight needles or (size needed to obtain gauge), yarn needle

**Gauge:** appx 4sts/inch *Gauge is very important!*

**Sizes** (appx finished head circumference) : newborn (13ins), sitter (16ins)

## Stitch Key

K - knit

p - purl

K2tog - knit 2 stitches together

## NEWBORN

Cast on 45sts.

Row 1 - knit across

Row 2 - k1 [k4, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1] repeat [to] to last 4 sts, k4

Row 3 - k1 [k3, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1,] repeat [to] to last 4 sts, k4

Row 4 - k1 [k5, p1, k1, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 4 sts, k4

Row 5 - k1 [k3, p2, k1, p1, k1, p2] repeat [to] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 2-5 until your work measures appx 3.5ins from cast on edge ending after completing a wrong side (odd) row. Place stitch markers at either end of your last row.

### DECREASES

Row 1 - k1, k2tog, k42 (44sts)

Row 2 - purl across

Row 3 - k1 (k2tog, k4) repeat (to) to last st, k1 (37sts)

Row 4 - purl across

Row 5 - k1 (k2tog, k3) repeat (to) to last st, k1 (30sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k1 (k2tog, k2) repeat (to) to last st, k1 (23sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k1 (k2tog, k1) repeat (to) to last st, k1 (16sts)

Row 10 - purl across

Row 11 - k1 (k2tog) repeat (to) to last st, k1 (9sts)

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving appx -10ins. Pull yarn through remaining stitches and cinch the back tight. Using this end sew the crown together to your stitch markers. (I like to use the mattress stitch since it is nearly invisible). Cut 3 pieces of yarn approximately 30ins long. Fold them in half and pull a loop through the front corner of the hood. Pull the ends through this loop and braid. Repeat on the other side. These are your ties.

## SITTER

Cast on 55sts.

Row 1 - knit across

Row 2 - k1 [k4, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1] repeat [to] to last 4 sts, k4

Row 3 - k1 [k3, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1,] repeat [to] to last 4 sts, k4

Row 4 - k1 [k5, p1, k1, p1, k2] repeat [to] to last 4 sts, k4

Row 5 - k1 [k3, p2, k1, p1, k1, p2] repeat [to] to last 4sts, k4

Repeat rows 2-5 until your work measures appx 5ins from cast on edge ending after completing a wrong side (odd) row. Place stitch markers at either end of your last row.

### DECREASES

Row 1 - k1 (k2tog, k4) repeat (to) across(46sts)

Row 2 - purl across

Row 3 - knit across

Row 4 - purl across

Row 5 - k1 (k2tog, k3) repeat (to) across (37sts)

Row 6 - purl across

Row 7 - k1 (k2tog, k2) repeat (to) across (28sts)

Row 8 - purl across

Row 9 - k1 (k2tog, k1) repeat (to) across (19sts)

Row 10 - purl across

Row 11 - k1 (k2tog) repeat (to) across (10sts)

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