

Welcome to my Knitting Designs.

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I have been creating knitting patterns for many years for my own benefit and finally decided to write them down for sale.

I occasionally share free patterns on my website and have included some of these within the book for handy keeping. I would say they're suitable for someone with intermediate skill, although a beginner may be able to do just as well with a little more time and patience.

Have fun creating these collectable characters for your family and friends.

You can find my creations online under the name Liana Marcel which was my business name for a number of years.

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Safety guidelines

The items in these patterns are not suitable for babies and very young children due to possible choking hazards.

Knitting yarns

Double knitting in various colours, as stated in the instructions.

Abbreviations

P - Purl. P1 - Purl one. Pwise - Purl Wise.

K - Knit. K1 - Knit one. Kwise - Knit Wise

Sts - stitches,

K2 tog - Knit 2 Together. P2 tog - Purl 2 Together.

Inc 1 - Increase 1 stitch. Y.Fwd - Yarn forward around needle.

St-st - Stocking Stitch (start with K row unless otherwise stated). G-st - Garter stitch,

B+T tightly - Break off yarn leaving a long end and thread it through stitches left on knitting needle, pull together tightly then fasten off.

Additional instructions

For some of the detailing you will need to be able to make a chain stitch.

Charity Bear



For This Project - You need.

Knitting yarns.

Your chosen colour for the bear.

We used a cream with specks in pastel shades and a mint for the bow.

Additional materials.

Brown embroidery thread for nose

Pink sharpie marker if you want to blush cheeks

Toy Stuffing – medium bag.

2 x 8mm toy eyes in black

Tools.

No.10 needles.

Wool needle.

Sewing needle.

Scissors.

Charity Bear

Body & Head

Cast on 7 sts in cream (starting leg)

- P 1 row
- KW Incl into every stitch (14sts).
- St st 10 rows, starting P
- Leave this leg on a spare needle and make a second in the same way.

Once both legs are made , put both sets of stitches on one needle with wrong side facing you.

- P across both legs.
- St st 6 rows
- (K2, K2tog) to end - 21sts
- St st 6 rows
- (P2tog) to end - 11sts
- To start shaping head, Incl into every st - 22 sts
- P 1 row
- (K1, Incl) into every st -33 sts
- P 1 row
- (K2, Incl) to end - 44sts
- St st 13 rows
- (K1, K2tog) to end - 22sts
- P 1 row
- (K2tog) to end - 11 sts
- (P2tog) to last st, P1
- B + T



To make up

If using safety eyes these need to be inserted and fastened securely in the position required.

Sew from top of the head, down to where the neck is and stuff.

Draw a little wool through the increase for head row and pull tight for neck (using an in and out stitch around the neck and pulling a little tighter to draw in).

Sew down body and stuff as you go, joining between legs. Then work down one leg at a time, joining seams and stuffing until you close body completely.

Embroider the eyes on with black wool if you do not want to use toy safety eyes.

Charity Bear

Arms (make 2)

Cast on 5sts
Kw Incl into every st - 10sts
St st 8 rows, starting P
(P2tog) to end
B+T tightly.

To make up

Sew from B+T down bottom of the arm and stuff as you go
Continue sewing down to cast on edge. Using an in and out stitch gather
the cast on stitches and pull tight to close.

You can position and sew the arms to the bear up near his neck line.



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Muzzle

Cast on 16 sts

- K 1 row.
- (P2, P2tog) to end (12sts).
- K1 row.
- (P1, P2 tog) to last 2 sts, P2 (8sts).
- (K2tog) to end (4 sts).
- B+T tightly



To make up

Sew from B+T end to cast on edge to make a domed muzzle and stuff.

Attach to bear's face. Using brown yarn/thread embroider a eyes, nose and mouth or use toy eyes if required.

Blush bears cheeks with pink sharpie marker

Ears (make 2)

- Cast on 7 sts
- Kw inc 1 into each (14 sts)
- Stst 3 rows
- (K2tog) to end (7sts)
- P1, (P2tog) to end (4sts)
- B+T

To make up.

Draw up tight and sew edge seams together. Move seam to middle back and flatten piece out.

Sew base closed and then stitch to bear as pictured.

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Bow

With mint cast on 3 sts
Kw Incl into every st - 6sts
St st 10 rows
(K2tog) to end - 3sts
P 1 row
Incl into every st - 6sts
St st 10 rows
P2tog to end
Cast off.



To make up.

Bring the cast on and cast off seams together and sew together. Then flatten the bow out putting this join at the centre back. Wrap wool around the centre of the bow to pinch in the middle. To neaten up the centre chain stitch a 10 stitch long chain and wrap around the centre, securing at the back.

Stitch the bow to the bears neck as you desire.

