

The happy bird

Lily

Knitting pattern by **Cheryx**

Free
Pattern



The 28th dream

Needles

- A pair of 2.25mm knitting needles
(You can use straight or circular needles)

Materials

- Toy filling (less than 50g)
- Sewing needle
- Scissors
- Sewing pins
- A crochet hook (size < 2,25)
- A branch

Notes

- **Size:** The finished bird is 9 cm tall
- **Work flat:** All pieces are knitted flat
- **Casting on:** I prefer to use the long tail cast on for all pieces.
- **Sewing seams:** Use Mattress Stitch to sew the seams.

Yarns

Less than 30g in each colour:


- Jeans Yarnart:

 Beige 05

 Blue 63

 Orange 85

 Yellow 84

 Black 53

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Abbreviations

K	Knit
P	Purl
Kfb	<i>Increase:</i> Knit front and back
K2tog	<i>Decrease:</i> Knit two stitches together
P2tog	<i>Decrease:</i> Purl two stitches together
KLL	<i>Increase:</i> After working a knit stitch, identify the stitch 2 rows below the one on your right needle. With your left needle, come from behind to scoop up the left loop of this stitch. This loop on the left needle is the new stitch. Insert the right needle tip through the back loop and knit.
St(s)	Stitch(es)
St st	<i>Stockinette Stitch:</i> Knit all stitches on right side rows, purl all stitches on wrong side rows.
(...sts)	The number in round brackets at the end of the instruction indicates the number of stitches after working the row.

Knitting Pattern

Body (Knit 1)

Leave a long tail for sewing, cast on 10 stitches with beige yarn.

Row 1: K1, KFB x8, K1 (18 sts)

Row 2: P

Row 3: K1, (K2, KLL) x8, K1 (26 sts)

Row 4: P

Row 5: K1, (K3, KLL) x8, K1 (34 sts)

Row 6: P

Row 7: K1, (K4, KLL) x8, K1 (42 sts)

Row 8: P

Row 9: K1, (K5, KLL) x8, K1 (50 sts)

Row 10: P

*Let's start
knitting!*



- Row 11:** K1, (K6, KLL) x8, K1 (56 sts)
- Row 12 – Row 36:** St st (*Knit "K" all stitches on right side rows, "P" all stitches on wrong side rows*)
- Row 37:** K1, (K7, K2tog) x6, K1 (50 sts)
- Row 38 – Row 42:** St st
- Row 43:** K1, (K6, K2tog) x6, K1 (44 sts)
- Row 44 – Row 46:** St st
- Row 47:** K1, (K5, K2tog) x6, K1 (38 sts)
- Row 48 – Row 50:** St st
- Row 51:** K1, (K4, K2tog) x6, K1 (32 sts)
- Row 52:** P
- Row 53:** K1, (K3, K2tog) x6, K1 (26 sts)
- Row 54:** P
- Row 55:** K1, (K2, K2tog) x6, K1 (20 sts)
- Row 56:** P
- Row 57:** K1, (K1, K2tog) x6, K1 (14 sts)
- Row 58:** P
- Row 59:** K2tog x7 (7 sts)

Leave a long tail for sewing, then cut off the yarn.

Thread this tail through remaining stitches and pull up tightly.

Wings (Knit 2)

Leave a long tail for sewing, cast on 10 stitches with blue yarn.

- Row 1:** K1, KFB x8, K1 (18 sts)
- Row 2:** P
- Row 3:** K1, (K2, KLL) x8, K1 (26 sts)
- Row 4:** P
- Row 5:** K1, (K3, KLL) x8, K1 (34 sts)
- Row 6:** P
- Row 7:** K1, (K4, KLL) x8, K1 (42 sts)
- Row 8:** P

Cut off the blue yarn, continue knitting with beige yarn.

Row 9: K (42 sts)

Row 10: K (*It's wrong side row, but knit "K"*)

Cut off the beige yarn, continue knitting with orange yarn.

Row 11: K (42 sts)

Row 12 – Row 14: St st

Cut off the orange yarn, continue knitting with beige yarn.

Row 15: K (42 sts)

Row 16: K (*It's wrong side row, but knit "K"*)

Cut off the beige yarn, continue knitting with yellow yarn.

Row 17: K1, K2tog, K15, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K15, K2tog, K1 (38 sts)

Row 18: P

Row 19: K1, K2tog, K13, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K13, K2tog, K1 (34 sts)

Row 20: P

Row 21: K1, K2tog, K11, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K11, K2tog, K1 (30 sts)

Row 22: P

Row 23: K1, K2tog, K9, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K9, K2tog, K1 (26 sts)

Row 24: P

Row 25: K1, K2tog, K7, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K7, K2tog, K1 (22 sts)

Row 26: P

Row 27: K1, K2tog, K5, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K5, K2tog, K1 (18 sts)

Row 28: P

Row 29: K1, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K3, K2tog, K1 (14 sts)

Row 30: P

Row 31: K1, K2tog, K1, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K1, K2tog, K1 (10 sts)

Row 32: P

Row 33: K2tog x5 (5 sts)

Leave a long tail for sewing, then cut off the yarn.

Thread this tail through remaining stitches and pull up tightly.

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Now, we will start sewing and making up to finish our new friend!



Sew & Make up

Sew the body

Use a sewing needle with the cast on tail to go through the loops of cast on stitches, I used the red yarn to illustrate (Fig. 1 - Fig. 6), and pull it tightly to close the stitches (Fig. 7).



Fig. 1



Fig. 2



Fig. 3



Fig. 4



Fig. 5



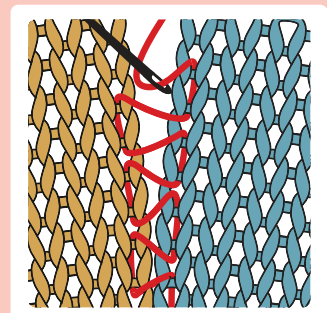
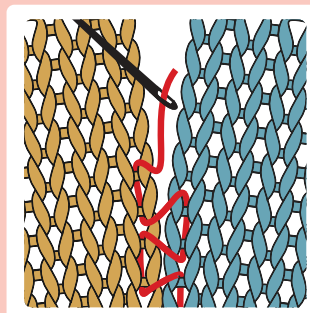
Fig. 6



Fig. 7

Next steps, we will use the Mattress Stitch to sew.

How to sew Mattress Stitch Seam



Then, continue using this sewing needle with cast on tail to sew the side edges together from A to B (Fig. 8) (Use the Mattress Stitch to sew). Adding stuffing as you sew (Fig. 9).

Once finished, we'll tie off 2 tails and thread them through into the body to hide (Fig. 10 - Fig. 11).

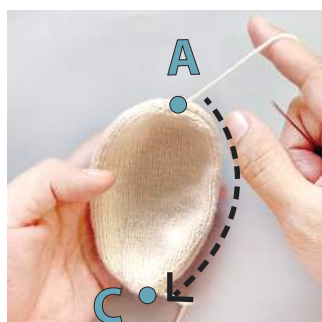


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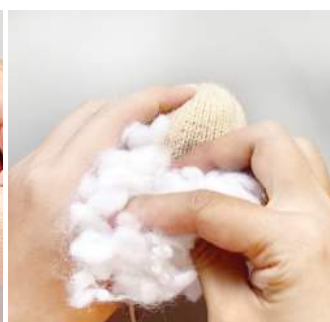


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Fig. 10

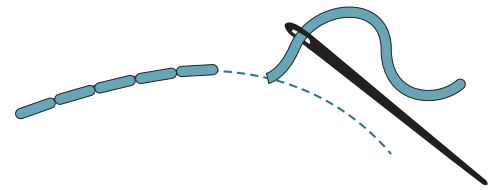
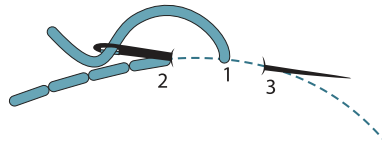


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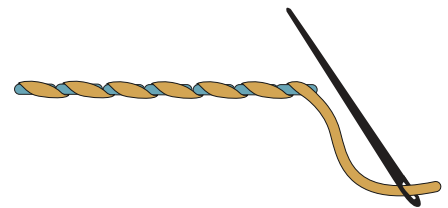
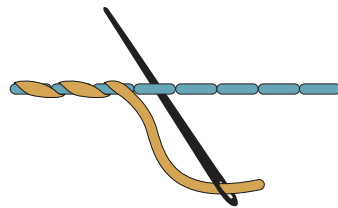
Embroider the eyes

Use a ply of black yarn to embroider the eyes with Back Stitch (Fig. 12 - Fig. 21) and Whipped Back Stitch (Fig. 22. - Fig. 23).

Back Stitch



Whipped Back Stitch



I used Water Erasable Fabric Marking Pen to sketch , lines are easily removed with water.



Fig. 12



Fig. 13



Fig. 14



Fig. 15



Fig. 16



Fig. 17



Fig. 18



Fig. 19



Fig. 20



Fig. 21



Fig. 22



Fig. 23

Embroider the beak

Use a yellow yarn to embroider the beak (Fig. 24. - Fig. 30).



Fig. 24



Fig. 25



Fig. 26



Fig. 27



Fig. 28



Fig. 29



Fig. 30

Embroider the wings

Use a beige yarn to embroider (Fig. 24 - Fig. 30).

How to do

Duplicate Stitch

Duplicate Stitch (or Swiss Darning): you sew over your finished knitting with a other color, "duplicating" the original stitches.

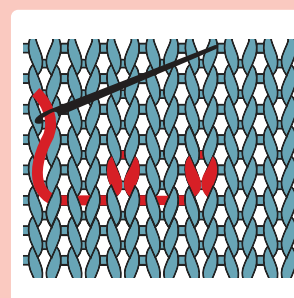
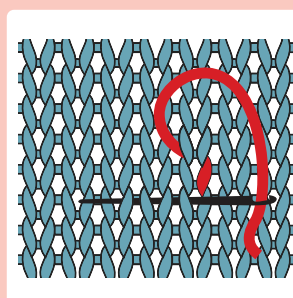
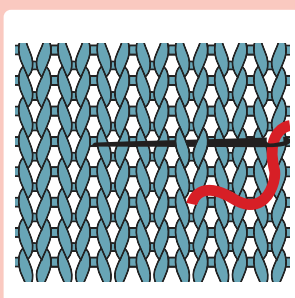


Fig. 31



Fig. 32



Fig. 34



Fig. 35



Fig. 36



Fig. 37

Sew the wings

Use a cast on tail to sew from C to D, then, use the cast off tail to sew from E to D (Fig. 38. - Fig. 39).

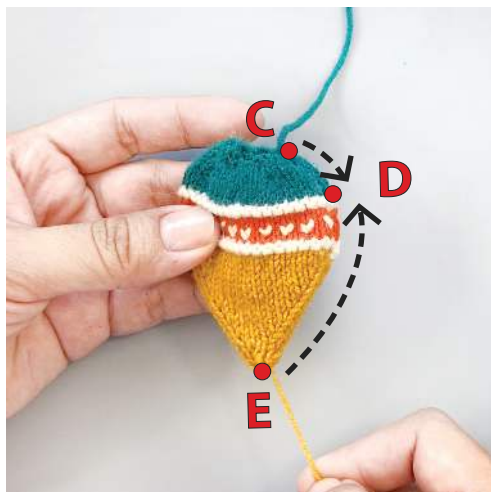


Fig. 38



Fig. 39

Now we will attach the wings to the body:

Use the sewing pins to adjust them to the body (Fig. 40).

Use the cast on tail to sew the wing to the body, you only need sew them from F to G (these are cast on stitches) (Fig. 41 - Fig. 46).

Then, use the cast off tail to sew the bottom of the wing to the body at H, only sew at this point, you don't sew around the wing.

When finished, tie off all the tails together and poke them into body to hide (Fig. 47).



Fig. 40

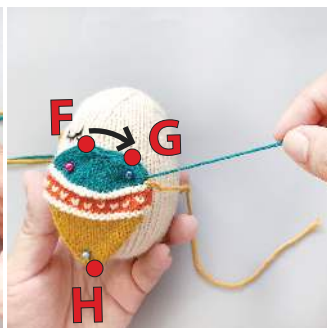


Fig. 41



Fig. 42



Fig. 43



Fig. 44



Fig. 45



Fig. 46



Fig. 47

Make the crest

Cut the pieces of blue and orange yarn (approximately 4 cm (Fig. 48)). Thread the crochet hook through the top of the head, and attach the pieces there (Fig. 49 - Fig. 55).



Fig. 48



Fig. 49



Fig. 50



Fig. 51



Fig. 52



Fig. 53



Fig. 54



Fig. 55

The branch

Use the black yarn to sew the bird to the branch (Fig. 56. - Fig. 64).



Fig. 56



Fig. 57



Fig. 58



Fig. 59



Fig. 60



Fig. 61



Fig. 62



Fig. 63



Fig. 64

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