

FINISHING CLASS Homework

There are three-five small pieces to knit for homework and there are some tools you should have on hand for the class.

If you have any questions, please drop me a line at kate.atherley@gmail.com.

HOMEWORK

You'll need:

about 50gm of light-colored worsted weight yarn, e.g. Berroco Ultra Wool

US #7/4.5mm needles

2 lengths of scrap yarn or stitch holders

Stockinette Swatches

Work 2 as follows: Cast on 24 stitches. Work 30 rows in stockinette stitch. Bind off. Wash and dry flat.

Garter Stitch Swatch

Work 1 as follows: Cast on 24 stitches. Knit 30 rows. Bind off. Wash and dry flat.

OPTIONAL – if you make garments:

Armhole Piece *(shown on the left)*

CO 25 sts. Work 1 inch St st, ending with a WS row.

Armhole row 1 (RS): BO 7 sts, k to end. 18 sts.

Armhole row 2 (WS): Purl.

Armhole row 3: BO 3 sts, k to end. 15 sts.

Armhole row 4: Purl.

Armhole row 5: K1, ssk, k to end. 1 st decreased.

Repeat the last 2 rows 3 more times. 11 sts.

Work even until piece measures 7 inches, ending with a WS row. Bind off.

Wash piece and dry flat.

OPTIONAL – if you make garments:

Sleeve Piece *(shown on the right)*

CO 25 sts. Work 1 inch St st, ending with a RS row.

Sleeve row 1 (WS): BO 7 sts, p to end. 18 sts.

Sleeve row 2 (RS): Knit.

Sleeve row 3: BO 3 sts, p to end. 15 sts.

Sleeve rows 4-7: Work 4 rows even.

Sleeve row 8 (RS): K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. 1 st decreased.

Sleeve rows 9-13: Work 5 rows even.

Repeat the last 6 rows once more. 13 sts.

Sleeve row 20: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. 1 st decreased.

Sleeve row 21: Purl.

Repeat the last 2 rows 3 more times, then repeat row 20 again. 8 sts rem.

BO 2 sts at the start of next 2 WS rows, then bind off rem sts on final WS row.

Wash piece and dry flat.

PLEASE HAVE ON HAND

-the swatches as outlined below

-the needles you used for the swatches

-some yarn in a similar weight, but a contrasting colour

-10-15 safety pins or removable stitch markers

-yarn/tapestry/darning needle

