



a **Wendy** design **P202**
18/20" Chest
3 plys



Matinee Coat and Bonnet

in

Peter Pan

(Instructions given for 18 inch Chest (46 cm). larger size given in brackets)

MATERIALS REQUIRED

Any of the following WENDY 3 ply's may be used:

COAT 3 (3) Balls

BONNET 1 (1) Ball

} PETER PAN DARLING 3 PLY, OR
PETER PAN BABY WOOL 3 PLY

2 No. 14 and 2 No. 12 Aero Knitting Needles.
2 yards (183 cm.) narrow ribbon.
Stitch holder.

MEASUREMENTS

COAT Length from centre back – 9 (10½) ins. 23 (27) cm.
To fit – 18 (20) inch. 46 (51) cm. Chest.
Sleeve seam – 5 (6) inches. 13 (15) cm.

BONNET Round face – 11½ (12½) inches. 29 (32) cm.

ABBREVIATIONS

K., Knit; P., Purl; sts., stitches; ins., inches; cm centimetres; tog., together; inc., increase; dec., decrease; sl.1 slip one; p.s.s.o., pass slipped stitches over; pw., purlwise; g.st., garter stitch; alt., alternate; rept., repeat; y.fwd., yarn forward; 0, No sts. or rows to be worked in that particular size; M.1, make one.
Note: p.s.s.o., in the pattern means pass the 2 slipped sts. over.

Success will be assured if you . . .

Use ONLY the Wendy or Peter Pan yarn specified. (We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used.)

Follow our instructions exactly, make certain you have the right tension. Measure (without stretching) to see that you are knitting the right number of stitches to an inch. Too many? – use larger needles; too few? – use finer needles. Once the tension is right, the size will be right.

THE TENSION FOR THIS GARMENT IS: 16 sts. to 2 inches (5 cm.) over pattern on No. 12 needles.

COAT

WORKED IN ONE PIECE TO ARMHOLES

Using No. 14 needles, cast on 163 (179) sts.

Work 7 rows in g.st. (every row knit).

Change to No. 12 needles and pattern.

Foundation row: (wrong side) — K.4. * K.3, y.fwd., K.1, y.fwd., rept. from * to the last 7 sts., K.7.

1st row: K.4. * K.3, sl.1pw., .K1, sl.1 pw., rept. from * to last 7 sts., K.7.

2nd row: K.4. * (K.1, y.fwd.) twice, K.1, slip 2, K.1, p.s.s.o., rept. from * to last 7 sts., (K.1, y.fwd.) twice, K.5.

3rd row: K.5. * sl.1pw., K.1, sl.1 pw., K.3, rept. from * to last 8 sts., (sl.1pw., K.1) twice, K.4.

4th row: K.5. * slip 2, K.1, p.s.s.o., (K.1, y.fwd.) twice, K.1, rept. from * to last 8 sts., slip 2, K.1, p.s.s.o., K.5.

These 4 rows form the pattern.

Continue in pattern until work measures 5 (6) ins. 13 (15) cm. from commencement, finishing on a 3rd pattern row.

DIVIDE FOR ARMHOLES

Next row: K.4, pattern across 36 (40) sts. (when counting sts. the made stitches are not counted), cast off 4, (knitting made sts. tog. with K.1 between) pattern across 75 (83) sts., cast off 4, pattern to last 4 sts., K.4.

RIGHT FRONT

Keeping 4 sts. in g.st. for front border, continue in pattern on the last 40 (44) sts.

Keeping pattern correct, K.2 tog. at armhole edge on the 3rd and every following 4th row until 3 (4) dec. in all have been worked.

Continue without further dec. until armhole measures $1\frac{1}{2}$ (2) ins., 3 (5) cm. from cast off sts., finishing on a 3rd pattern row.

Slip these sts. onto a st. holder.

BACK

Rejoin yarn to the 75 (83) sts. for Back.

Continue in pattern, K.2 tog. at each end of the needle on the 3rd and every following 4th row until 3 (4) dec. in all have been worked.

Continue without further dec. until armhole measures $1\frac{1}{2}$ (2) ins. 3 (5) cm. finishing on a 3rd pattern row.

Slip these sts. onto a st. holder.

LEFT FRONT

Rejoin yarn to remaining sts. and work to correspond with right front, reversing all shapings.

SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using No. 14 needles, cast on 35 (39) sts.

Work 10 rows in g.st.

Next row: (Inc. row) — K.2 (0). * inc. in next st., K.1, rept. from * to last 1 (1) st., K.1, (inc. in last st.). — 51 (59) sts.

Change to No. 12 needles and pattern.

Foundation row: (wrong side) — * K.3, y.fwd., K.1, y.fwd., rept. from * to last 3 sts., K.3.

1st row: * K.3, sl.1pw., K.1, sl.1pw., rept. from * to last 3 sts., K.3.

2nd row: * (K.1, y.fwd.) twice, K.1, slip 2, K.1, p.s.s.o., rept. from * to last 3 sts., (K.1, y.fwd.) twice, K.1.

3rd row: K.1. * sl.1pw., K.1, sl.1pw., K.3, rept. from * to last 4 sts., (sl.1pw., K.1) twice.

4th row: K.1. * slip 2, K.1, p.s.s.o., (K.1, y.fwd.) twice, K.1, rept. from * to last 4 sts., slip 2, K.1, p.s.s.o., K.1.

These 4 rows form the pattern.

Continue in pattern until work measures 5 (6) ins. 13 (15) cm. from commencement, finishing on a 3rd pattern row. (Mark each end of last row with coloured thread).

SHAPE TOP

K.2 tog. at each end of the 3rd and every following 4th row until 3 (4) dec. in all have been worked.

Continue without further dec. until work measures $1\frac{1}{2}$ (2) ins. 3 (5) cm. from coloured thread, finishing on a 3rd pattern row.

YOKE

Arrange sts. for Yoke in this manner:—

(Knitting the made sts. tog. with the K.1 between) K. across sts. for left front, sleeve, back, sleeve and right front. — 233 (257) sts.

Next row: K.7. * K.2 tog., rept. from * to last 6 sts., K.6. Knit 2 rows.

Commencing with foundation row and keeping 4 border sts. at each end in g.st. continue in pattern for $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins. 6 cm. finishing on a 3rd pattern row.

Next row: Knit all across (K. the made sts. tog. with the K.1 between). — 123 (135) sts.

Next row: K.4 (5), * K.2 tog., K.1, K.2 tog., rept. from * to last 4 (5) sts., K.4 (5). — 77 (85) sts.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: K.2. * K.1, y.fwd., K.2 tog., rept. from * to last 3 sts., (2) sts. K.3. (2).

Knit 3 rows. Cast off loosely.

BONNET

Using No. 14 needles, cast on 87 (95) sts.

Work 7 rows in g.st.

Change to No. 12 needles and pattern.

Foundation row: (wrong side) — * K.3, y.fwd., K.1, y.fwd., rept. from * to last 3 sts. K.3.

Continue in pattern as given for sleeves, until work measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ (4 $\frac{3}{4}$) ins. 11 (12) cm. from commencement of pattern, finishing on a wrong side row.

Keeping pattern correct, cast off 14 (15) sts. at beg. of the next 4 rows.

Continue in pattern on the remaining 31 (35) sts., K.2 tog. at each end of the needle on the 5th and every following 8th row until 21 (23) sts. remain.

Continue without further dec. until back measures $3\frac{1}{2}$ (4) ins. 9 (10) cm. from cast off sts., finishing on a 3rd pattern row.

Break off yarn.

PRESSING

It is **important** to follow these instructions when making up the garment.

With wrong side of work facing, pin out all pieces to measurements given. Using a warm iron and dry cloth darling (damp cloth wool), press carefully.

MAKING UP

COAT

Join sleeve and underarm seams by back stitching, omitting g.st. join g.st. by top sewing.
Thread ribbon through holes at neck edge.

BONNET

With right side of work facing, and using No. 14 needles, pick up and knit 29 (32) sts. along lower side edge, knit across 21 (23) sts. of back, (knitting the made sts. tog. with the K.1 between, pick up and knit 29 (32) sts. from lower side edge - 79 (87) sts. Knit 3 rows.

Next row: K.3. * K.2, y.fwd., K.2 tog., rept. from * to last 4 sts., K.4.

Knit 3 rows. Cast off loosely.

Join back seams by back stitching. Thread ribbon through holes at neck.

Press all seams lightly.

A FINAL WORD

You have taken a lot of care in knitting this Peter Pan Design. Your garment deserves equal care when washing. By following these instructions, you will find that the life, shape and softness of your garment will be preserved.

(1) **NEVER USE HOT WATER**

(2) **Washing.** Place your garment in a well-dissolved solution of soap flakes and Warm Water. Work the garment gently with the hands for approximately two minutes. **NEVER RUB** the garment, and do **NOT** leave it to soak.

(3) **Rinsing.** EVERY TRACE OF SOAP MUST BE REMOVED. Rinse in three changes of clean, warm water, squeezing gently but **NEVER** wring the garment.

(4) **Removing Water.** Place the garment between dry towels and squeeze without twisting.

(5) **Drying.** Immediately spread the garment out to its original shape and size and **DRY FLAT** on a clean towel, **SLOWLY**, and in a warm place. **NEVER** hang up your garment to dry.

MACHINE WASHING

Instructions on ball band



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