



***Free Knitting Pattern***  
**Lion Brand® Jeans®**  
**Harper Baby Bibs**  
Pattern Number: L70050



## **SKILL LEVEL – Easy**

### **SIZE**

**Bandanna Bibs** About 8 x 11 in. (20.5 x 28 cm) at longest and widest, not including straps

**Pocket and Topstitch Bibs** About 8 x 9 in. (20.5 x 23 cm), not including straps

### **MATERIALS**

- Lion Brand® Jeans® (Art. #505)
  - 110 Classic 1 ball (A)
  - 105 Faded 1 ball (B)
  - 121 Top Stitch 1 ball (C)
- Lion Brand® knitting needles size 6 (4 mm)
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® stitch holders
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



### **ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

One button, about 1/2 in. (1.25 cm) in diameter, for each Bib  
Sewing needle and thread

### **GAUGE**

21 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS).  
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

### **STITCH EXPLANATION**

#### **Yo (yarn over)**

An increase that also creates a small decorative hole in the knitting, worked as follows:

1. Bring yarn to front, between the needles.
2. Take yarn to back, over the right hand needle. You are now ready to proceed with the next st as instructed.

### **NOTES**

1. Yarn amounts are sufficient to make all 4 Bibs shown with enough leftover yarn to make an additional Bib or two in alternate colors.
2. Have fun and make the designs your own – add stripes or stitching details as desired.

### **BLUE STRIPED BANDANNA BIB**

#### **Notes:**

1. Strap is worked first in Garter st (knit every st on every row), then sts are picked up along the strap to work the Bib.
2. Triangle Bib is worked in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with Garter st borders.

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### **Strap**

With A, cast on 7 sts.

Work in Garter st (knit every st on every row) until piece measures about 1 in. (2.5 cm) from beginning.

**Next Row (Buttonhole Row):** Knit 2, k2tog, yo (this is the buttonhole), k3.

Continue in Garter st until piece measures about 18 1/2 in. (47 cm) from beginning.

Bind off.

### **Bib**

Fold strap in half to find the center, then place a marker at the center.

Place 2 more markers on strap, each about 5 1/2 in. (14 cm) from center marker.

From RS with A, and beginning at outside st marker, pick up and knit 28 sts evenly spaced from outside marker to center marker and 28 sts evenly spaced from center marker to second outside marker – total of 56 sts on your needle.

Remove markers.

**Row 1 (Decrease Row):** With A, k2, k2tog, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – you will have 54 sts.

**Row 2:** With A, k2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Change to B, but do not cut A – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Rows 3 and 4:** With B, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Change to A, but do not cut B – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Rows 5 and 6:** With A, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Rep Rows 3-6 until you have 12 stripes of B – you should have 8 sts remaining.

Cut B and continue with A only.

**Next Row:** K2, (k2tog) twice, k2 – 6 sts.

**Next Row:** K2, p2, k2.

**Next Row:** K2, k2tog, k2 – 5 sts.

**Next Row:** K2, p1, k2.

**Next Row:** K1, slip 1, k2tog, pass sl st over last st worked, k1 – 3 sts.

**Last Row:** Slip 1, k2tog, pass sl st over last st worked – 1 st.

Fasten off last st.

### **STRIPE ACCENT BANDANNA BIB**

With C, work strap same as for Blue Striped Bandanna Bib.

Mark strap as for Blue Striped Bandanna Bib, then pick up and knit 56 sts with C.

**Row 1 (Decrease Row):** With C, k2, k2tog, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – you will have 54 sts.

**Row 2:** With C, k2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 until you have 30 sts remaining.

### **Stripes**

Change to A, but do not cut C – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Stripe Rows 1 and 2:** With A, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Change to C, but do not cut A – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Stripe Rows 3 and 4:** With C, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Rep Stripes Rows 1-4 once more.

Change to B, but do not cut C – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Stripe Rows 5 and 6:** With B, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Cut B.

**Stripe Rows 7 and 8:** With C, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Change to A, but do not cut C – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Stripe Rows 9 and 10:** With A, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Change to C, but do not cut A – just carry the yarn along the side edge of your piece.

**Stripe Rows 11 and 12:** With C, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Cut C and continue with A only.

With A, rep Rows 1 and 2 until you have 8 sts rem.

**Next Row:** K2, (k2tog) twice, k2 – 6 sts.

**Next Row:** K2, p2, k2.

**Next Row:** K2, k2tog, k2 – 5 sts.

**Next Row:** K2, p1, k2.

**Next Row:** K1, slip 1, k2tog, pass sl st over last st worked, k1 – 3 sts.

**Last Row:** Slip 1, k2tog, pass sl st over last st worked – 1 st.

Fasten off last st.

### **POCKET BIB**

#### **Notes:**

1. Bib is worked in one piece, in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with Garter st (knit every st on every row) borders and straps.
2. The straps are worked directly onto the Bib.
3. Pocket is worked separately, then sewn to Bib.

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With A, cast on 37 sts.

**Border Row:** K1, kfb, knit to end of row.

Rep the Border Row until you have 47 sts.

**Row 1 (WS):** K5 (for side border), p to last 5 sts, k last 5 sts (for side border).

**Row 2:** Knit.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures about 7 1/2 in. (19 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Knit 6 rows.

### Straps

**Next Row (RS):** K11 and sl these sts to a holder, bind off next 25 sts for neck, k last 11 sts.

You'll now work on the 11 sts on your needle for the first strap.

Work in Garter st until strap measures about 3 1/2 in. (9 cm) from bound-off sts for neck.

**Next Row (Buttonhole Row):** Knit 4, k2tog, yo (this is the buttonhole), k5.

Continue in Garter st until strap measures about 5 in. (12.5 cm) from bound-off sts.

Bind off.

Slip 11 sts for second strap from the st holder back onto your needle so you are ready to work a RS row.

Work in Garter st until second strap measures same length as first strap.

Bind off.

### Pocket

With A, cast on 13 sts.

Work in St st until piece measures about 2 in. (5 cm) from beginning, end with a WS (purl) row as the last row you work.

**Next Row:** K1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – you will have 11 sts at the end of Row 1.

**Next Row:** Purl.

Rep last 3 rows until you have 3 sts remaining.

**Last Row:** Slip 1, k2tog, pass sl st over last st worked – 1 st.

Fasten off last st.

Position pocket onto front of Bib.

With C threaded into blunt needle, sew pocket to Bib with long straight sts through both layers (pocket and Bib) around outside edge of pocket.

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## **TOPSTITCH BIB**

### **Notes:**

1. Bib is worked in one piece, in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with Garter st (knit every st on every row) borders and straps.
2. The straps are worked directly onto the Bib.
3. Stitch detail on Bib is worked by carrying yarn across the RS of the Bib.

With B, cast on and work same as Pocket Bib until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS (purl) row as the last row you work.

Cut 3 lengths of C, each about 12 in. (30.5cm) long and set aside.

### **Topstitch**

**Row 1:** With B, knit 5. Hold one length of C in back of work. \*With B, k1, bring C between the needles to the RS of your work, slip next 2 sts to the right hand needle without knitting them, then take C back to the WS of your work; rep from \* to last 6 sts, with B, knit 6.

Leave the ends of the C strand hanging from the WS of your work, you'll weave these in later. Adjust the tension of the C strand so that it lies evenly across the RS of the Bib.

**Row 2:** With B, k5, purl to last 5 sts, k5.

**Row 3:** With B, knit 5. Hold a second length of C in back of work. \*Bring C to the RS of your work, and slip the next st to the right hand needle without knitting it, then take C back to the WS of your work, with B, k2; rep from \* to last 6 sts, bring C to the RS of your work and slip the next st to the right hand needle without knitting it, then take C back to the WS of your work, with B, k5.

**Row 4:** With B, rep Row 2.

**Row 5:** With third length of C, rep Row 1.

Continue with B only, keeping first and last 5 sts in Garter st for side borders, and remaining sts in St st, until piece measures about 7 1/2 in. (19 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Knit 6 rows.

### **Straps**

With B, work same as Pocket Bib straps.

## **FINISHING**

With sewing needle and thread, sew a button to each Bib.

For Bandanna Bibs, sew button on opposite end of strap from buttonhole.

For Pocket and Topstitch Bibs, sew button on the strap that does not have a buttonhole.

Weave in ends.

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

p = purl

rep = repeat

rem = remaining

RS = right side

St st = Stockinette stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side

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