



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Baby Soft® Boucle
Teddy Bear Sweater
Pattern Number: L70254



SKILL LEVEL – Easy

SIZES

6 months (12 months, 24 months)

Finished Chest About 18 1/2 (21, 23 1/2) in. (47 (53.5, 59.5) cm)

Finished Length About 10 1/4 (11 3/4, 12 1/2) in. (26 (30, 32) cm)

Note: Pattern is written for smallest size with changes for larger sizes in parentheses. When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. To follow pattern more easily, circle all numbers pertaining to your size before beginning.

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Baby Soft® Boucle (Art. #918)
 - 157 Lemonade 3 (3, 4) balls
- Lion Brand® knitting needles size 10 (6 mm)
- Lion Brand® stitch holders
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Smooth yarn in a matching color (for sewing pieces together)

One small button

Sewing needle and thread (for attaching button)

GAUGE

12 1/2 sts + 24 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in Garter st (k every st on every row).

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION

kfb (knit in front and back) Knit next st without removing it from left needle, then k through back of same st – 1 st increased.

NOTES

1. Sweater is worked in 5 pieces: Back, 2 Fronts, and 2 Sleeves.
2. Due to the texture of this yarn and the Garter st design, both Fronts can be worked exactly the same. When sewing your Sweater together, simply flip one Front over to create a left and a right Front.
3. All pieces of Sweater are worked with raglan armhole shaping.
4. Hood is worked directly onto the neck edge of seamed Sweater.
5. We suggest you use a smooth yarn in a matching color for sewing.

BACK

Cast on 29 (33, 37) sts.

Work in Garter st (k every st on every row) until piece measures about 7 (8, 8 1/2) in. (18 (20.5, 21.5) cm) from beg.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Row 1 (Decrease Row): K2, k2tog, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – you will have 27 (31, 35) sts in this row.

Row 2: Knit.

Rows 3-20 (22, 24): Rep Rows 1 and 2 for 9 (10, 11) more times – 9 (11, 13) sts rem.

Place the rem sts on a holder.

FRONTS (make 2)

Cast on 17 (19, 21) sts.

Work in Garter st until piece measures same as Back to beg of raglan shaping.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Row 1 (Decrease Row): K to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – 16 (18, 20) sts.

Row 2: Knit.

Rows 3-14 (16, 18): Rep Rows 1 and 2 for 6 (7, 8) more times – 10 (11, 12) sts rem.

Shape Neck and Continue Raglan Shaping

Row 1: Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – 6 sts.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: K2, k2tog, k2 – 5 sts.

Row 4: Knit.

Row 5: K1, k2tog, k2 – 4 sts.

Row 6: Knit.

Place rem sts on a holder.

SLEEVES (make 2)

Cast on 21 (23, 25) sts.

Rows 1-3: Knit.

Row 4 (Increase Row): K1, kfb, k to last 2 sts, kfb, k1 – 23 (25, 27) sts.

Rows 5-16 (20, 24): Rep Rows 1-4 for 3 (4, 5) more times – 29 (33, 37) sts in last increase row.

Work even, without increasing, in Garter st until Sleeve measures 6 (7, 8) in. (15 (18, 20.5) cm) from beg.

Raglan Shaping

Row 1 (Decrease Row): K2, k2tog, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2 – 27 (31, 35) sts.

Row 2: Knit.

Rows 3-20 (22, 24): Rep Rows 1 and 2 for 9 (10, 11) more times – 9 (11, 13) sts rem.

Place rem sts on a holder.

FINISHING

Sew raglan seams.

Hood

Pick-Up Row (RS): From RS and beg at right front, pick up and k5 (6, 7) sts evenly spaced along right front neck edge, k4 right front sts from holder, k9 (11, 13) right sleeve sts from holder, k9 (11, 13) back sts from holder, k9 (11, 13) left sleeve sts from holder, k4 left front sts from holder, pick up and k5 (6, 7) evenly spaced along left front neck edge – 45 (53, 61) sts.

Work in Garter st until hood measures about 10 (10 1/2, 11) in. (25.5 (26.5, 28) cm) from Pick-Up Row.

Bind off.

Fold bound-off edge of hood in half and sew for top seam.

EARS (make 2)

Cast on 12 sts.

Rows 1-5: Knit.

Row 6 (Decrease Row): K2tog, k to last 2 sts, k2tog – 10 sts.

Row 7: Knit.

Rows 8 and 9: Rep Rows 6 and 7 – 8 sts rem.

Bind off.

Sew ears to hood.

Sew side seams of Sweater, leaving about 1 in. (2.5 cm) at lower edge unsewn for slits.

Sew Sleeve seams.

With sewing needle and thread, sew button to upper right front. Use the spaces between stitches for the buttonhole.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)(s)

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

rem = remain(s)(ing)

rep = repeat

RS = right side

st(s) = stitch(es)

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