



SIZES:

3/4 - 5/6 - 7/8 - 9/10 - 11/12 - 13/14 years

Child's height in cm:

98/104 - 110/116 - 122/128 - 134/140 - 146/152 - 158/164

MATERIALS:

WENDY SUPREME DK WD45 COLOR

NEEDLES:

CIRCULAR NEEDLE SIZE 5 MM: Length 40 cm and 60 cm.

CIRCULAR NEEDLE SIZE 4 MM: Length 40 cm and 60 cm.

DOUBLE POINTED NEEDLES SIZE 5 MM.

DOUBLE POINTED NEEDLES SIZE 4 MM.

The technique MAGIC LOOP can be used – you then only need circular needle of 80 cm in each size.

KNITTING TENSION:

17 stitches in width and 22 rows in height with stocking stitch = 10 x 10 cm.

NOTE: Needle size is only a guide. If you get too many stitches on 10 cm, change to a larger needle size. If you get too few stitches on 10 cm, change to a smaller needle size.

EXPLANATIONS FOR THE PATTERN:

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DECREASE TIP (for sleeves):

Decrease 1 stitch on either side of the marker thread as follows: Work until there are 3 stitches left before the marker thread, knit 2 together, knit 2 (marker thread sits between these 2 stitches), slip 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 1 and pass the slipped stitch over the knitted stitch.

CASTING-OFF TIP:

To avoid the cast-off edge being tight you can cast off with a larger size needle. If the edge is still tight, make 1 yarn over after approx. each 4th stitch at the same time as casting off; the yarn overs are cast off as normal stitches.

START THE PIECE HERE:

UMPER – SHORT OVERVIEW OF THE PIECE:

The neck and yoke are worked in the round with circular needle, top down. The yoke is divided for body and sleeves and the body is continued in the round with circular needle. The sleeves are worked with short circular needle/double pointed needles, top down. A flounce is worked and sewn to the front piece to finish.

YOKE:

Cast on 64-68-68-72-72-76 stitches with short circular needle size 4 mm and. Knit 1 round, then work rib (knit 2, purl 2) for 3 cm (= neck). Change to short circular needle size 5 mm and knit 1 round where you increase 1-2-7-3-8-4 stitches evenly spaced – read INCREASE TIP = 65-70-75-75-80-80 stitches. Insert 1 marker here. THE YOKE IS MEASURED FROM HERE!

Work stocking stitch for 2-2-2-2-3-3 cm. REMEMBER THE KNITTING TENSION!

Work A.1 over all stitches (= 13-14-15-15-16-16 repeats of 5 stitches). When A.1 has been completed you have increased 26-28-30-30-32-32 stitches = 91-98-105-105-112-112 stitches. When the piece measures 5-6-6-6-7-7 cm, pull a thread through all the stitches; this will be used when attaching the flounce later. Continue with stocking stitch until the piece measures 7-7-7-8-9-9 cm.

Now work as follows: Knit 1-1-0-0-1-1, A.1 over the next 90-95-105-105-110-110 stitches (= 18-19-21-21-22-22 repeats of 5 stitches), knit 0-2-0-0-1-1. When A.1 has been completed you have increased 36-38-42-42-44-44 stitches = 127-136-147-147-156-156 stitches. Continue with stocking stitch until the piece measures 12-12-12-13-15-15 cm.

Now work as follows: Knit 1-1-1-1-1-1, work A.1 over the next 125-135-145-145-155-155 stitches (= 25-27-29-29-31-31 repeats of 5 stitches), knit 1-0-1-1-0-0. When A.1 has been completed you have increased 50-54-58-58-62-62 stitches = 177-190-205-205-218-218 stitches. Continue with stocking stitch until the piece measures 15-15-16-17-18-19 cm, on the last round adjust the number of stitches to 176-188-196-200-212-220 stitches.

Now divide for the body and sleeves as follows: Work 26-28-29-30-32-33 stitches (= half back piece), place the next 36-38-40-40-42-44 stitches on a thread (= sleeve), cast on 6-6-6-8-8-8 stitches, work 52-56-58-60-64-66 stitches (= front piece), place the next 36-38-40-40-42-44 stitches on a thread (= sleeve), cast on 6-6-6-8-8-8 stitches, work the last 26-28-29-30-32-33 stitches (= half back piece). THE PIECE IS NOW MEASURED FROM HERE!

BODY:

116-124-128-136-144-148 stitches. Continue with stocking stitch in the round for 16-20-23-25-26-27 cm (or to desired length; there is 3-3-3-4-4-4 cm left to finished length). Knit 1 round and increase 8-8-8-8-8-8 stitches evenly spaced = 124-132-136-144-152-156 stitches. Change to circular needle size 4 mm. Work rib (knit 2, purl 2) for 3-3-3-4-4-4 cm. Loosely cast off with knit over knit and purl over purl – read CASTING-OFF TIP! Cut and fasten the strand. The jumper measures approx. 36-40-44-48-50-52 cm from the shoulder down.

SLEEVES:

Place the 36-38-40-40-42-44 stitches from the thread on the one side of the piece on double pointed needles/short circular needle size 5 mm and knit up 1 stitch in each of the 6-6-6-8-8-8 stitches cast on under the sleeve = 42-44-46-48-50-52 stitches. Insert a marker thread in the middle of the 6-6-6-8-8-8 stitches under the sleeve. .

Start at the marker thread and work stocking stitch in the round for 3 cm. Now decrease 2 stitches under the sleeve – read DECREASE TIP. Decrease like this every 5-7-8.9-10-11 cm a total of 4 times = 34-36-38-40-42-44 stitches.

Continue working until the sleeve measures 20-25-29-31-35-38 cm from the division (or to desired length; there is 3-3-3-4-4-4 cm left to finished length). Knit 1 round where you increase 6-4-6-4-6-4 stitches evenly spaced = 40-40-44-44-48-48 stitches. Change to double pointed

needles size 4 mm and work rib (knit 2, purl 2) for 3-3-3-4-4-4 cm. Cast off with knit over knit and purl over purl – remember CASTING-OFF TIP! The sleeve measures approx. 23-28-32-35-39-42 cm from the division.

Work the other sleeve in the same way.

FLOUNCE:

Cast on 46-50-54-54-58-58 stitches with circular needle size 4 mm. Work 2 RIDGES – read explanation above. Change to circular needle size 5 mm and continue with stocking stitch as follows:

ROW 1 (= right side): * Knit 2, make 1 yarn over *, work from *-* until there are 2 stitches left, knit 2. You have increased 22-24-26-26-28-28 stitches and there are 68-74-80-80-86-86 stitches on the needle.

ROW 2 (= wrong side): Purl; yarn overs purled to leave holes.

ROW 3 (= right side): * Knit 3, make 1 yarn over *, work from *-* until there are 2 stitches left, knit 2. You have increased 22-24-26-26-28-28 stitches and there are 90-98-106-106-114-114 stitches on the needle.

ROW 4 (= wrong side): Purl; yarn overs purled to leave holes.

Continue with stocking stitch (knit from the right side, purl from the wrong side) until the piece measures 6-6-6-7-7-7 cm. Work the next row from the wrong side as follows: * Purl 2, knit 2 *, work from *-* until there are 2 stitches left, purl 2. Turn and loosely cast off from the right side with knit over knit and purl over purl – remember CASTING-OFF TIP.

ASSEMBLY:

Sew the flounce to the front piece with small stitches, along the marker thread from shoulder to shoulder.

Diagram

☐ = knit

■ = knit 1 without slipping it from the needle, 1 yarn over, knit 1 in the same stitch but in the back loop. On the next round knit the yarn over twisted to avoid a hole (= 2 stitches increased)

