



Snugfit for Toddlers

ridgy fabric, ear flaps and tie-strings make a real chillcheater for boys and girls

MATERIALS 1[2] oz. PATONS QUICKERNIT Baby Wool, Patonised. Two No. 9 BEEHIVE or QUEEN BEE needles. *You must use Quickerknit to be sure of a successful result.*

MEASUREMENTS Width round head 14 [16] ins.

SIZES The Figure in square brackets [] refers to the large size.

TENSION 6½ sts. and 8½ rows to one square inch on No. 9 needles, measured over stocking stitch. *See page 44 for how to check Tension and 42 for Abbreviations.*

EAR PIECES (2)

Cast on 2 sts. **1st row**—Inc. in first st., K.1. **2nd and 4th rows**—P. **3rd row**—Inc. in each of first 2 sts., K.1. **5th row**—Inc. in first st., K. to last st., inc. in last st. **6th row**—P. Rep. 5th and 6th rows 5 [6] times more, then 5th row once (19 [21] sts.). Break off wool, slip sts. on to length of wool and leave.

MAIN PART

Cast on 11 [13] sts., slip first group of 19 [21] sts. on to empty needle, P. across these sts., cast on 31 [35] sts., P. across second group of 19 [21] sts., **finally** cast on 11 [13] sts. (91 [103] sts.). Proceed in **ridge patt.** on all sts. as follows:

1st row—K. **2nd row**—P.

3rd row—P. **4th row**—K.

These 4 rows form the patt.

Continue in patt. until work measures 3½ [4] ins. from where groups of sts. were cast on, finishing with 4th row of patt.

Shape top as follows:

1st row—* K.8, K.2 tog., rep. from * to last 1 [3] sts., K.1 [3].

2nd and every alt. row—K.1, P. to last st., K.1.

3rd row—* K.7, K.2 tog., rep. from * to last 1 [3] sts., K.1 [3].

Continue dec. in this manner on every alt. row until 19 [23] sts. remain.

Thread wool through these sts. and fasten off securely.

BORDER

With right side of work facing, **knit up** 11 [13] sts. from cast-on sts., 15 [17] sts. along one side of ear piece, 15 [17] sts. along other side of ear piece, 31 [35] sts. from cast-on sts., 15 [17] sts. from first side of second ear piece, 15 [17] sts. from 2nd side of ear piece, finally 11 [13] sts. (113 [129] sts.). **1st row**—K.

2nd row—P. Cast off knitwise.

TO MAKE UP

Press very lightly on wrong side using a warm iron and damp cloth. Using a flat seam join seam. Using 6 strands of wool 34 ins. long make a twisted cord and attach to ear piece. Attach a small tassel to end of cord. Complete other side to match. Press seam.