



Just Keep Swimming

This cowl was designed with schools of fish in mind.
Knitters are like fish, we find our community,
help, and protect each other. We love this!



Instructions

Cast on 120 stitches with US6 needle. Place a marker and begin knitting in the round. Slipping the markers as you come to them.

Knit 2, purl 2 rib for 7 Rounds.

Knit 60, place middle marker (a different color), knit 60.

Set up round: K3, (Sl1, yo, K2tog, K1) x9. Knit to middle marker, sm. K3, (Sl1, yo, K2tog, K1) x9. Knit to end of round.

Skip to **Round 2** for 1st repeat.

Round 1: K3, (Sl1, yo, K2tog, K1) x9. Knit to 5 stitches before middle marker. Slip 5 stitches to right hand needle, remove middle marker, slip 5 stitches back to left hand needle and replace middle marker. K3, (Sl1, yo, K2tog, K1) x9. Knit to end of round.

Round 2 - 5: K3, (Sl1, K3) x9. Knit to middle marker, sm. K3, (Sl1, K3) x9. Knit to end of round.

Round 6:

*Slip 3 stitches as if to purl from left needle to right needle, hold the next stitch (this will be the stitch you slipped each round) to the front of your work. No need to use a cable needle, it should be ok just hanging out. Slip the 3 stitches back to the left needle and put the dropped slipped stitch back on the left needle (the slipped stitch should now be the first stitch you'll knit). K4; repeat from * 8 more times. Knit to middle marker, sm. Repeat from * knitting remaining stitches to 5 stitches before end of round. Slip 5 stitches to right hand needle, remove end of round marker, slip 5 stitches back to left hand needle and replace end of round marker.

Repeat **Rounds 1 - 6** 13 times or until desired height.

Knit one round.

Knit 2, Purl 2 rib for 7 Rounds. Bind off. Weave in ends. Block.

Materials

Yarn: 1 skein FIBER MACGYVER 100% SW merino DK; 246 yds/100g.

Color: School of Fish. Dyed for MN Yarn Shop Hop 2023

Needles: US6 – 24" circular

Notions: Darning needle, 2 unique stitch markers

Size & Gauge

20 sts = 4" on a US6 in Stockinette Stitch
11" high x 23" circumference

Abbreviations

K=knit

Sm=slip marker

Sl1=Slip next stitch as if to purl

K2tog=knit the next 2 stitches together

Yo=Yarn over



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