



KNIT  
SKILL LEVEL  
EASY

Design by Trish Warrick



## What you will need:

RED HEART® Gumdrop®: 1 ball each of 620 Cherry A and 930 Orange B

Susan Bates® Circular Knitting Needles: 5 mm [US 8] - 16" (41 cm)

Susan Bates® Double Pointed Knitting Needles: 5 mm [US 8]

Yarn needle

**GAUGE:** 22 sts = 4" (10 cm), 26 rounds = 4" (10 cm) in rib pattern. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Gumdrop®, Art. E800 available in multicolor 4 oz (113 g), 204 yd (187 m) balls

# Go Bright Hat

*Cheerful colors and an easy rib pattern make this cap a delight to knit and a delight to wear.*

Directions are for size **Child's small**; changes for large size are in parentheses.

**Hat measures:** 18" (20"), [46 (51) cm] circumference

### Note

Change to double pointed needles when there are too few sts for the circular needle.

### HAT

With circular needle and **A**, cast on 100 (108) sts. Join, being careful that sts are not twisted, and begin working in the round.

**Rounds 1-8:** [K2, P2] around, at the end of Round 8, drop **A**.

**Rounds 9-14:** With **B**, [P2, K2] around, at the end of Round 14, drop **B**.

**Rounds 15-28:** Repeat Rounds 1-14.

### Crown Shaping

**Round 29:** [K8 (10), k2tog] around: 90 (99) sts.

**Round 30:** Knit around.

**Round 31:** [K7 (9), k2tog] around: 80 (90) sts.

**Round 32:** Knit around.

**Round 33:** [K6 (8), k2tog] around: 70 (81) sts.

**Round 34:** Knit around.

**Round 35:** [K5 (7), k2tog] around: 60 (72) sts.

**Round 36:** Knit around.

**Round 37:** [K4 (6), k2tog] around: 50 (63) sts.

**Round 38:** Knit around.

**Round 39:** [K3 (5), k2tog] around: 40 (54) sts.

**Round 40:** Knit around.

**Round 41:** [K2 (4), k2tog] around: 30 (45) sts.

**Round 42:** Knit around.

**Round 43:** [K1 (3), k2tog] around: 20 (36) sts.

**Round 44:** Knit around.

### SIZE SMALL Only

**Round 45:** K2tog around: 10 sts.

**Round 46:** K2tog around: 5 sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a 12" (30 cm) end. Weave yarn through remaining stitches; draw up firmly; fasten securely.

### SIZE LARGE Only

**Round 45:** [K2, k2tog] around: 27 sts.

**Round 46:** Knit around.

**Round 47:** [K1, k2tog] around: 18 sts.

**Round 48:** K2tog around: 9 sts.

**Round 49:** K1, k2tog around: 5 sts.

Cut yarn, leaving a 12" (30 cm) end. Thread yarn needle with end and weave through remaining stitches; draw up firmly; fasten securely.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**K** = knit; **mm** = millimeter; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tog** = together; **[ ]** = work directions in brackets as indicated.

SHOP KIT