



KNIT  
SKILL LEVEL  
EASY



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## What you will need:

**RED HEART® Team Spirit Chunky™:** 7 balls 9948 Green/Gold

**Susan Bates® Circular Knitting Needles:** 10mm [US 15] 36" long

Yarn needle, stitch markers

**GAUGE:** 9 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 12 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Feather and Fan stitch pattern. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.



**RED HEART® Team Spirit Chunky™,** Art E853 available in 5 oz (141 g), 83 yd (76 m) balls

# Baby Sports Fan Throw

Choose the family's favorite team colors and knit this easy blanket for the future sports enthusiast. This heavier weight yarn has extra style and thickness, and works up faster knit than thinner yarns.

SHOP KIT

**Throw Measures:**  
42" wide x 42" long (107 cm x 107 cm)

## NOTES

Throw is worked back and forth in rows on circular needles, do not join. Feather and Fan pattern is worked over 18 stitches, to keep track of pattern repeats, place a stitch marker in between each repeat.

## SPECIAL STITCHES

**K2tog** = Knit 2 stitches together (decrease).

**YO** = Yarn over needle (increase).

## TIPS & HINTS

Join a new ball of yarn when there is approximately 6" [15 cm] of yarn left from the old ball, also leave a 6" [15 cm] tail of yarn from the new ball of joined yarn. Weave ends in neatly on the wrong side of the fabric in a zigzag pattern for a few inches, then trim off excess.

## STITCH PATTERNS

### Garter Stitch

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Knit.

**Row 2 (Wrong Side):** Knit.

Repeat Rows 1-2 for Garter Stitch pattern.

### Feather and Fan Stitch

(multiple of 18 stitches)

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Knit.

**Row 2 (Wrong Side):** Purl.

**Row 3:** \*[K2tog] 3 times, [yo, k1] 6 times, [k2tog] 3 times; repeat from \* to end.

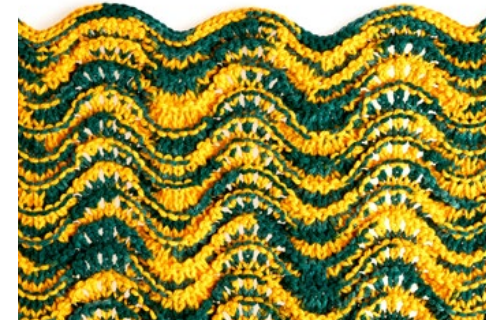
**Row 4:** Knit.

Repeat Rows 1-4 for Feather and Fan stitch pattern.

## THROW

Cast on 94 sts.

Knit 3 rows in Garter Stitch pattern ending on a Wrong Side row.



**Next Row (Right Side):** K2, work 5 repeats of Feather and Fan stitch pattern over center 90 sts, end k2.

**Next Rows:** Keeping first and last 2 sts in Garter Stitch (knit every row), continue working Feather and Fan stitch pattern as established until piece measures 41" [104 cm] from cast on edge, end having just worked Row 4 of Feather and Fan stitch pattern.

**Next Rows:** Knit 2 rows.

**Next Row (Right Side):** Bind off all stitches knitwise.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends.

Block Throw to measurements.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**cm** = centimeters; **K** = knit; **k2tog** = Knit the next two stitches together;

**mm** = millimeters; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **YO** = Yarn over needle. [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.



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