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Serapito

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The junior version of our lovely Serape, sized for youngsters – and washable. This little warmer is worked in three colorways of Serengeti side-to-side in Half-Linen Stitch, resulting in a rich woven texture with very little effort.

This project requires beginning to intermediate knitting skills.



Sample knit in Anemone, Glacier Lakes & Tilting the Gizmo

Sizes:

2 [4, 6]

10 [11, 12] inches wide

32 [40, 45] inches long (without fringe)

Gauge:

20 sts/30 rows = 4 inches in Linen Stitch

Materials

A: Curious Creek Fibers Serengeti (100% Superwash Wool); 123 yds per 50g skein; color: Anemone; 2 [2, 3] skeins

B: Curious Creek Fibers Nakuru (55% Mohair, 45% Merino Wool); 72 yds per 50g skein; color: Glacier Lakes 1 [1, 1] skeins

C: Curious Creek Fibers Nakuru (55% Mohair, 45% Merino Wool); 72 yds per 50g skein; color: Tilting the Gizmo; 1 [1, 1] skeins

Other colorways:

Tilting the Gizmo, Glacier Lakes & Birches in Norway
Early Sunset, Autumn in New England & Glacier Lakes
Anemone, Early Sunset & Sunrise on Daffodils

1 US size 8(5 mm) 36-inch (or longer) circular needle (or size needed to obtain gauge) crochet hook or yarn needle for adding fringe





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Directions

Abbreviations:

Sl 1 WYIF: Bring yarn to front of work, slip 1 stitch purlwise, bring yarn to back of work.

Stitch Patterns:

Linen Stitch (for an odd number of stitches)

Row 1: Switch colors. (K1, P1, K1, (sl 1 WYIF, K1), to last 4 sts, sl 1 WYIF, K1, P1, K1.

Row 2: K1, P1, K1, Purl across to last 3 stitches, end K1, P1, K1.

Row 3: Switch colors. K1, P1, K1, K1, K1, (sl 1 WYIF, K1), to last 3 stitches, K1, P1, K1.

Row 4: K1, P1, K1, Purl across to last 3 stitches, end K1, P1, K1.

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Seed Stitch Border:

Cast on 161 [201, 225] sts with Color A.

Next row: With A, [K1, P1], end k1.

Next row: With B, [K1, P1] end K1.

Next row: With B, [K1, P1] end K1.

Section 1:

After completing Seed Stitch border, begin working in Linen Stitch, repeating rows 1-4 above, alternating between colors A and B for a total of 20 rows including Seed St rows. **Section 2:**

Switch to alternating between colors A and C and work in Linen Stitch.

On row 14 [18, 20], begin working center 55 stitches in Seed Stitch: Work first 53 [73, 85] sts in Linen St as established, work center 55 sts in Seed St, work last 53 [73, 85] sts in Linen St continuing to work first and last 3 stitches in Seed St.

On row 18 [22, 24] of second section, work 56 [76, 88] sts as established. Bind off 49[49, 49]sts, work last 56 [76. 88] sts as established.

On row 19 (23, 25), cast on 49 [49, 49] sts over bound off stitches. Continue working center 55 stitches in Seed St for 4 more rows, then continue in Linen Stitch.

Work a total of 36 [44, 48] rows with colors A and C.

Section 3:

Switch back to colors A and C and continue in Linen St for 16 more rows. Rows 17, 18, and 19: Work in Seed st, continuing to alternate colors as established. Row 20: Bind off all stitches.

Ties:

Cast on 5 stitches with Color A. Work in Seed St for 8 inches, or desired length. Make a total of 4 in the colors of your choice.

Finishing: Weave in ends. Cut 16-inch pieces of yarn from remaining yarn for fringe. Double each piece over and attach fringe evenly along both short sides.

Attach ties at front and back of Serapito at child's waist level.



Enjoy your Toddler Serapito!

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