

A REALLY EASY TEDDY TO KNIT

Use Double knitting wool and No 9 needles.

Stuffing needs to be washable. Clean old tights can be used.

Please do not use white as in some countries white is the colour of mourning

Knit in garter stitch- knit each row throughout.

LEG 1

Cast on 8sts.

Knit 16 rows.

Leave a tail and cut wool.

LEG 2

Same as Leg 1

BODY

Knit across both legs (16sts)

Knit 16 rows.

ARMS

Cast on 8sts at beginning of each side (32sts)

Knit 8 rows

Cast off 8 sts at beginning of next 2 rows (16sts).

HEAD

Knit 7rows.

EYES

These can be sewn in at end also nose and mouth. Knit until 38 rows have been worked from start of head.

Repeat arms and body as above.

LEGS

Knit 8sts and knit 16 rows. Cast off.

Put other 8sts on holder.

Pick up stitches from holder and knit 16 rows.

Cast off.

Fold bear in half and sew up leaving gap between legs to stuff. Sew to make 2 triangles for little ears.

EASY TEDDY HAND PUPPET

DK wool No 9 needles. Do not use white wool. Knit every row

Cast on 18sts and knit 4 inches.

Next row Cast on 10sts and knit to end

Next row Cast on 10sts and knit to end (38sts)

Knit for 1 inch.

Next row. Cast off loosely 10sts and knit to end.

Next row Cast off 10sts loosely and knit to end. (18sts)

Knit 2 ½ inches Then cast off. Make another side just the same and sew up leaving bottom open.

“Pinch in” corners for ears and stitch on a *smiley* face. You can add a ribbon around neck etc but

this must be securely sewn on front and back to prevent child choking on it.

To help you there will be photos on the parish website as a guide.