

Easter Chick Knitting Pattern



You will need:

Any colour double-knit wool	Black felt/thread for eyes
Needles UK Size 11 (3mm)	Orange felt for beaks
Cotton wool ball/stuffing	Coloured ribbon
	Creame Egg (for size fit)

1. Cast on 20 sts.
2. Knit 1 row.
3. Inc in 1st st, k8, inc into next 2 sts, knit to end (23 sts).
4. Inc in 1st st, k9, inc into next 2 sts, knit to end (26 sts).
5. Inc in 1st st, k11, inc into next 2 sts, knit to end (29 sts).
6. Inc 1 st at the beg of every row until 42 sts are on the needle.
7. Cast off 11 sts at the beg of next 2 rows (20 sts).
8. Increase 1 st at the beg of the next 4 rows (24 sts).
9. Knit 4 rows.
10. K2, then k2tog to last 2 sts, k2 (14 sts).
11. Knit 4 rows.
12. K2, then k2tog to last 2 sts, k2 (9 sts).
13. Draw wool through rem 9 sts and pull tight.
14. With that piece of wool, sew round the edge of work to the beg st, leaving the cast-on edge open to insert the egg.
15. Stuff the head with a cotton wool ball, sew around the neck and gather in.
16. Sew 2 eyes with fine black wool and stick or sew a small triangle piece of orange felt for the beak.
17. Tie a thin piece of ribbon around the neck in a bow.
18. Insert egg and check it doesn't drop out when held by head. Add extra stitches to tighten if required.