K-O-L Beaded Bow Hat

I swear this hat is not complicated, once you get the rhythm of it you will enjoy!!!

Materials:

Worsted Weight Yarn Size 7 & 8 (16") circular needles Size 8 Double Pointed Needles Size 10 Crochet Hook 36 beads that two strands of yarn can go through 1 Ring Marker

1 Tapestry Needle



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Legend:

K1, P1 = Knit 1, Purl 1

PM = Place marker

sl = Slip - move stitches from left needle to right needle purl wise

wyif = with yarn in front

k&b = knit & bead - Take the needle under the 5 long strands and knit them with the stitch. Slip bead on crochet hook. Hook the stitch and pull loop through the bead. Move the stitch loop to the right needle.

Cast on 90 stitches on size 7 needles

K1, P1 for 1 round and PM, join together and double check that the round is not twisted.

Knit 4 more rounds of K1, P1

Switch to size 8 needles

Knit 1 row

Begin Pattern as follows:

Rounds, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9: K2, *sl 5 wyif, K5* ending K3

Rounds 2, 4, 6, 8: Knit

Round 10: K4, * (the next stitch should be the center stitch on the slipped group) k&b, K9* till the last 6 stitches, k&b, k5

Round 11, 13, 15, 17 and 19: K7, *wyif sl5, *k5, wyif sl3

Round 12, 14, 16, and 18: wyif sl2, Knit to end of round (you with be doing work combining the round)

Round 20: wyif sl2, *K7, k&b, K2*. till the last 8 stitches K7, k&b

Repeat pattern 1 more time

Round 40: Knit

Decrease Round 1: K3, k2tog

Decrease Round 2 (move to double pointed needles): Knit

Decrease Round 3: K2, k2tog

Decrease Round 4: Knit to end

Decrease Round 5: K1, K2tog

Decrease Round 6: Knit to end

Decrease Round 7: K2tog

Decrease Round 8: Knit

Decrease Round 9: K2tog

Decrease Round 10: Knit

Finish: Cut a 5" tail and thread through remaining stitches. Pull tight. Weave in ends.