Beehive Hat by Holly Klein



Materials: 1 skein of bulky (12 ply) yellow wool, 1 size 8 (5mm) circular knitting needle and size 8 (5mm)double pointed needles, bee buttons (as many as desired)

Cast on 70 stitches onto circular needles. Join, being careful not to twist.

Section 1: Knit 5 rounds Purl 5 rounds

Section 2:

Round 1: Knit all stitches

R2: Knit 8 stitches, K2together, repeat to end of round

R3: Knit all stitches

R4: Knit 7, K2tog, repeat to end of round

R5: Knit all stitches

Purl 5 Rounds

Section 3:

R1: Knit all stitches

R2: K6, K2tog, repeat to end of round

R3: Knit all stitches

R4: K5 stitches, K2 tog, repeat to end of round

R5: Knit all stitches

Purl 5 rounds

Change to double pointed needles when circular becomes uncomfortable.

Section 4:

R1: Knit all stitches

R2: K4, K2tog. repeat to end of round

R3: Knit all stitches

R4: Knit 3, K2tog, repeat to end of round

R5: Knit all stitches

Purl 5 rounds

Section 5:

R1: Knit all stitches

R2: K2, K2tog, repeat to end of round

R3: Knit all stitches

R4: K1, K2tog, repeat to end of round

Purl 5 rounds

Now a change:

Round 1: Knit 2 together all around Round 2: Knit 2 together all around

Work an i-cord for the remaining 4 stitches, just going 'round and 'round for desired length. Bind off.

Attach bee buttons with thread or yarn where you like them.

Enjoy!

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