



## LIASSIC

This hat was named for the geological formation, the Lias, where ammonite and ichthyosaur fossils were discovered by Mary Anning in the early 1800s along the Jurassic Coast of the UK. The stitch pattern is based on a Victorian stitch pattern published during her lifetime. Whether you are hunting for fossils on a cold and blustery day by the sea or walking the dog, this hat will provide warmth and protection from the elements.

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## SIZING

Sizes: Toddler (Child, M, L, XL), to fit 16 (18, 20, 22, 24)"/40.5 (45.5, 50.5, 56, 61) cm head circumference

Finished Measurements: Circumference 10 (12, 14, 16, 18)"/25.5 (30.5, 35.5, 40.5, 45.75) cm; Height 5.75 (6.5, 7.25, 8.25, 9.25)"/14.5 (16.5, 18.5, 21, 23.5) cm

## MATERIALS

Yarn: 110 (135, 175, 225, 290) yds / 100 (125, 160, 200, 260)m worsted weight yarn (excluding pompom)

Sample knit with Cascades 220 Superwash (Colour 1968)

Needles: US6 (4mm) 16" (40cm) circular needle

Notions: Stitch marker, tapestry needle

Gauge: 32sts x 36 rows = 4" / 10cm square in k1, p1 ribbing

## DIRECTIONS

Using long tail cast on, CO 80 (96, 112, 128, 144) sts

Join in the round being careful not to twist, pm to mark beginning of rnd

**RIBBING:** \*K1, p1\* to end of round

Work ribbing rnd until hat measures 1 (1.5, 1.5, 2, 2 2)"/2.5 (3.74, 3.75, 5, 5) cm from cast on

**BODY:** \*Yf, sl1, k1, pss0, k1, p1; rep from \* to end of rnd

Work body rnd until hat measures 5.2 (5.9, 6.7, 7.7, 8.7)"/13.25, 15, 17, 19.5, 22) cm from cast on

## CROWN DECREASES

Rnd 1: \*Yf, sl 1, k1, pss0, ssk; rep from \* to end of rnd. 60 (72, 84, 96, 108) sts

Rnd 2: \*K1, k2tog; rep from \* to end of rnd. 40 (48, 56, 64, 72) sts

Rnd 3: \*K2tog; rep to end. 20 (24, 28, 32, 36) sts

Rnd 4: Repeat Rnd 3. 10 (12, 14, 16, 18) sts

Rnd 5: Repeat Rnd 3. 5 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts

Cut yarn and thread through the remaining sts securing tightly. Block loosely and weave in ends.

Optional: Make a pompom in a contrasting colour and attach firmly.

## TERMINOLOGY

CO: Cast on

k: Knit

k2tog: Knit two sts together

p: Purl

pm: Place marker

pss0: Pass slipped stitch over

rnd: Round

sl: Slip

ssk: Slip, slip, knit

st/s: Stitch/es

yf: Yarn forward

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