

# KNIT PATTERNS FOR 18" GIRL DOLL



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**BOOK 2**

**5 Flower-Button Cardigan & Hat**

Worsted wt yarn -  
125 yards (60 grams) main color;  
50 yards (25 grams) cont. color

Size 5 and 7 knitting needles

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**6 Sweater & Hat with Brim**

DK or sport wt yarn - 230 yards (100  
grams)

Size 4 and 5 knitting needles

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**7 Mohair Sweater & Hat**

Worsted wt brushed acrylic or  
mohair - 140 yards (100 grams)

Size 5 and 6 knitting needle

**8 Sweater & Hat in 3 gauges**

**DK** - 180 yds (60 grams) main color  
50 yards (25 grams) cont. color  
Size 4 and 6 knitting needles

**Worsted** - 100 yds (50 gr) main color  
40 yds (20 gr) cont. color  
Size 5 and 7 knit needles

**Bulky** - 100 yds (100 gr) main color  
35 yds (35 gr) cont. color  
Size 7 and 10 knit needles

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**GAUGES:** DK            22 sts = 4 inches  
Worsted            20 sts = 4 inches  
Bulky                14 sts = 4 inches

**Stitch markers, stitch holders and  
buttons also required.**

## 5 BUTTON-FLOWER SWEATER & HAT

**Invisible increase:** Tip left-hand needle forward and knit into purl st one row below the st on the needle, then knit into the st on the left needle.

Using smaller size needles and contrasting color yarn, cast on 35 sts. K 3 rows (end by working a wrong-side row).

Change to main color and larger needles, K6 place marker, K6 place marker, K11 place marker, K6 place marker, K6. Purl one row. Begin pattern as follows:

Row 1: \*K to 1 st before marker, invisible inc in next st, slip marker, invisible inc in next st.\*  
Repeat across, K to end.

Row 2: Purl

Repeat rows 1 and 2 (working rows 7 and 8 in contrasting color) until there are 15 sts on each front, 24 sts on each sleeve, and 29 sts on back. End by working a wrong-side row.

Work in est pattern to first maker (do not increase), slip these sts to holder. Work across sts of sleeve, slip remaining sts to holder.

**Left sleeve:** Work in est pattern until sleeve measures 2.5 inches. End by working a wrong-side row. Change to smaller needle and contrasting color. Knit, decreasing evenly spaced to 20 sts. K 5 more rows, end by working a wrong-side row. Bind off loosely.

Slip sts of back and right sleeve to size 5 needle. Attach yarn, work across sts of back, place these sts on holder.

Work right sleeve to match left sleeve.

Slip sts of right front to larger needle. Work across.

**Joining row:** Purl sts of right front, sl sts of left front and back onto larger needle, work to end of row.

Continue in pattern until sweater measures 3" from underarm. End by working right-side row. Change to smaller needles and contrasting yarn, knit 6 rows. Bind off.

**Front Bands:**

With right side facing and using smaller needles, pick up and knit 33 sts along right front edge. Knit one row. Buttonholes: K2, (yo, K2 tog, K5) four times, yo, K2 tog, K1. Knit three more rows. Bind off loosely. Work left front band in the same manner, eliminating buttonholes.

**HAT**

With smaller needles and contrasting color, cast on 65 sts. Knit 5 rows. Change to main color and larger needles. Knit until piece measures 2-1/4" from beginning. Begin decreasing:

- Row 1: \*K3, K2 tog.\*  
 Row 2 and all wrong-side rows: Purl  
 Row 3: \*K2, K2 tog.\*  
 Row 5: \*K1, K2 tog.\*  
 Row 7: \*K2 tog.\*  
 Row 8: Purl

Cut yarn. Draw through remaining st and pull up. Fasten off. Sew seam. Make pom-pom or tassel to finish if desired.

**6 SWEATER & HAT WITH BRIM**

Using size 4 needles, cast on 49 sts. K 3 rows (end by working a wrong-side row).

**Buttonhole row:** K to last 3 sts, yo, K2 tog, K1. Repeat buttonhole every 8th row.

Change to size 5 needles. K4, P7, place marker, P7, place marker, P13, place marker, P7, place marker, P7, K4. Begin pattern as follows:

- Row 1: \*K to 1 st before marker, yo, K1, slip marker, K1, yo.\* Repeat across, K to end.  
 Row 2: K4, P to last 4 sts, K4.  
 Row 3: Repeat row 1  
 Row 4: Knit

Repeat rows 1-4 until there are 22 sts on each front, 29 sts on each sleeve, and 35 sts on back. (End by working row 2). Divide as follows:

Work in est pattern to first marker (do not increase), slip these sts to holder. Work across sts of sleeve, slip remaining sts to holder.

**Left sleeve:** Work in est pattern until sleeve measures 2.5 inches. End by working a wrong-side row. Change to size 4 needle. Knit, decreasing evenly spaced to 23 sts. K 5 more rows, end by working a wrong-side row. Bind off loosely.

Slip sts of back and right sleeve to size 5 needle. Attach yarn, work across sts of back, place these sts on holder. Work right sleeve to match left sleeve. Slip sts of right front to size 5 needle. Work across.

**Joining row:** Keeping continuity of pattern, work sts of right front, sl sts of left front and back onto size 5 needle, work to end of row.

Continue in garter st, (knitting every row) and making buttonholes as needed, until sweater measures 3" from underarm. End by working right-side row. Change to size 4 needles, knit 6 rows, bind off.

## HAT

With size 5 needle, cast on 8 sts.

1 K1, \*yo, K1\* (15 sts).  
2-4 Knit.

5 K1, \*yo, K2\* (22 sts).  
6-8 Knit.  
9 K1, \*yo, K3\* (29 sts).  
10 Knit  
11 K1, \*yo, K4\* (36 sts).  
12 Knit.  
13 K1, \*yo, K5\* (43 sts).  
14 Knit.  
15 K1, \*yo, K6\* (50 sts).  
16 Knit.  
17 K1, \*yo, K7\* (57 sts).  
18 Knit.  
19 K1, \*yo, K8\* (64 sts).

Change to size 4 needles and work 7 rows in K1-P1 ribbing. Change to size 5 needle.

**Begin brim:** Row 1: K1, \*yo, K9\*. Row 2 and all even-numbered rows: Knit. Row 3: K1, \*yo, K10\*.

Continue in this manner until there are 15 sts between yo's. Knit one row. Bind off loosely.

**SSK:** slip 2 sts as if to knit from left to right needle, then insert left needle into front of these 2 sts and knit them together

## 7 MOHAIR SWEATER & HAT

Using size 5 needles, cast on 43 sts. K 3 rows (end by working a wrong-side row).

Buttonhole row: K to last 3 sts, yo, K2 tog, K1. Repeat buttonhole row every 10th row (there will be 5 garter ridges between buttonholes on right side). (Sweater pictured has only 2 buttonholes).

Change to size 6 needles. K4, P6, place marker, P6, place marker, P11, place marker, P6, place marker, P6, K4. Begin pattern as follows:

**Row 1:** K4, \*K to 1 st before marker, yo, K1, slip marker, K1, yo\*. Repeat across, end K to end.

**Row 2 and all wrong-side rows:** K4, P to last 4 sts, K4.

X **Row 3:** K4, K3, yo, ssk, \*K to 1 st before marker, yo, K1, slip marker, K1, yo\*. Repeat between \* to 8 sts before end, yo, ssk, K6.

**Row 5:** K4, K1, K2 tog, yo, K1, yo, ssk, \*K to 1 st before marker, yo, K1, slip marker, K1, yo.\* Repeat between \* to 10 sts before end, K2 tog, yo, K1, yo, ssk, K5.

**Row 7** Repeat row 3.

✓ **Row 8:** Repeat row 2

Repeat rows 1-8 until there are 19 sts on each front, 24 sts on each sleeve, and 29 sts on back. End by working row 2 (there should be two complete diamond patterns, plus 2 rows st. st).

Divide as follows: K4, K3, yo, ssk, K6. yo, ssk, K1, inc in next st -- place these sts on holder, K across sts of sleeve, place sts of back and next sleeve on one st holder, sts of front on another holder.

**Left sleeve:** Work in st st until sleeve measures 3 inches. End by working a wrong-side row. Change to size 5 needle. Knit, decreasing evenly spaced to 20 sts. K 5 more rows, end by working a wrong-side row. Bind off loosely.

Slip sts of back and right sleeve to size 6 needle. Attach yarn, work across sts of back as follows: K3, (yo, ssk, K2, invisible increase in next st, K2), yo, ssk, K6, rep bet ( ) once more, yo, ssk, K2. (31 sts). Place on holder.

**Right sleeve:** Work in st st to match left sleeve.

**Right front:** Slip sts of right front to size 6 needle. Work as follows: Inc in first st, K2, yo, ssk, K6, yo, ssk, K6 (20 sts).

**Joining row:** K4, purl across front, back and front to last 4 sts, K4. Begin body of sweater.

Row 1 K4, K1 (K2 tog, yo, K1, yo, ssk, K3) 8 times, end last rep K5 instead of K3.

Row 2 and all wrong-side rows: K4, purl to last 4 sts, K4.

Row 3 K4, K3 (yo, ssk, K6) 8 times.

Row 5 Knit

Row 7 Repeat row 3.

Row 9 Repeat row 1

Row 11 Repeat row 3

Row 12 Purl

Change to size 5 needles. Knit 6 rows, bind off loosely.

## HAT

Using size 6 needle, cast on 63 sts. Work 1" in stockinette st, end by working a right-side (knit) row. Knit 3 rows. Begin pattern:

Row 1 K3 (yo, ssk, K6) 8 times, end last repeat K2 instead of K6.

Row 2 and all wrong-side rows: Purl

Row 3 K1 (K2 tog, yo, K1, yo, ssk, K3), end last repeat K1 instead of K3.

Row 5 Repeat row 1

Row 7 K14, K2 tog, K29, K2 tog, K14, K2 tog (60 sts).

Row 9 \*K4, K2 tog\* across row.

Row 11 \*K3, K2 tog\*

Row 13 \*K2, K2 tog\*

Row 15 \*K1, K2 tog\*

Row 17 K2 tog across row.

Cut yarn, leaving 12" tail. Draw thru remaining loops and pull up tightly. Sew seam, roll brim.

## 8 SWEATER & HAT IN 3 GAUGES

**Invisible increase:** Tip left-hand needle forward and knit into purl st one row below the st on the needle, then knit into the st on the left needle.

Using size smaller needles and contrasting color yarn, cast on 41 (35, 24) sts. K 3 rows (end by working a wrong-side row).

Change to main color and larger needles, K7 (6, 4), place marker, K7 (6, 4), place marker, K13 (11, 8), place marker, K7 (6, 4), place marker, K7 (6, 4). Purl one row. Begin pattern as follows:

Row 1: \*K to 1 st before marker, invisible inc in next st, slip marker, invisible inc in next st.\*  
Repeat across, K to end.

Row 2: Purl

Repeat rows 1 and 2 until there are 18 (15, 12) sts on each front, 29 (24, 20) sts on each sleeve, and 35 (29, 24) sts on back. End by working a wrong-side row. Divide as follows:

Work in est pattern to first marker (do not increase), slip these sts to holder. Work across sts of sleeve, slip remaining sts to holder.

**Left sleeve:** Work in est pattern until sleeve measures 2.5 inches. End by working a wrong-side row. Change to smaller needle and contrasting color. Knit, decreasing evenly spaced to 23 (20, 17) sts. K 5 more rows, end by working a wrong-side row. Bind off loosely.

Slip sts of back and right sleeve to size 5 needle. Attach yarn, work across sts of back, place these sts on holder.

Work right sleeve to match left sleeve.

Slip sts of right front to larger needle. Work across.

**Joining row:** Purl sts of right front, sl sts of left front and back onto larger needle, work to end of row.

Continue in pattern until sweater measures 3" from underarm. End by working right-side row. Change to smaller needles and contrasting yarn, knit 6 rows. Bind off.



**Front Bands:**

DK wt yarn: With right side facing and using smaller needles, pick up and knit 39 sts along right front edge. Knit one row. Buttonholes: K3, (yo, K2 tog, K6) four times, yo, K2 tog, K2. Knit three more rows. Bind off loosely.

Worsted wt yarn: With right side facing and using smaller needles, pick up and knit 33 sts along right front edge. Knit one row. Buttonholes: K2, (yo, K2 tog, K5) four times, yo, K2 tog, K1. Knit three more rows. Bind off loosely.

Chunky wt yarn: With right side facing and using smaller needles, pick up and knit 25 sts along right front edge. Knit one row. Buttonholes: K2, (yo, K2 tog, K3) four times, yo, K2 tog, K1. Knit three more rows. Bind off loosely.

**HAT**

With smaller needles and contrasting color, cast on 45 (65, 75) sts. Knit 5 rows. Change to main color and larger needles. Knit until piece measures 2" from beginning. Begin decreasing:

- 1 \*K3, K2 tog.\*
- 2 and all wrong-side rows: Purl
- 3 \*K2, K2 tog.\*
- 5 \*K1, K2 tog.\*
- 7 \*K2 tog.\*
- 8 Purl

Cut yarn. Draw through remaining st and pull up. Fasten off. Sew seam. Make pom-pom or tassel to finish if desired.