

Little TG Ted – by Joyce Hughes

Approx 5 inches / 13cm tall

You will only need small amounts of each colour of double-knit yarn

Size 10 needles

Make the head and body

1. Cast on 6 stitches in main teddy bear body colour
2. Knit 4 rows
3. Change to trouser colour
4. Knit 14 rows
5. Leaving a length of yarn to sew up Ted, cut the yarn
6. Knit another leg
7. Knit across all 12 stitches
8. Knit 8 rows
9. Change to jumper colour
10. Knit 14 rows
11. Change to main teddy bear body colour
12. Stocking stitch for 3 inches
13. Then continue to knit teddy, starting with the jumper colour, in reverse order
14. Stitch each the side of the head together
15. Stitch diagonal corners for the ears



Make the arms

1. Using the jumper colour, pick up and knit 4 stitches on one side of the neck
2. Knit 8 rows
3. Change to main teddy bear body colour
4. Knit 4 rows
5. Cast off
6. Repeat for the other arm

To finish the Ted

1. Stuff the head
2. Sew a piece of yarn with running stitches round the neck and tighten it
3. Sew the under-arm seams and paws
4. Stuff the arms
5. Sew the side seams and leg seams leaving an opening for stuffing.
6. Fill the remaining space with toy filling and close the opening.
7. Sew the eyes, nose and a big smile! (Please do not use beads / plastic eyes as these could come loose and be a choking hazard)

Optional scarf

1. Cast on 50 stitches
2. Knit 1 row. Cast off
3. Sew in place