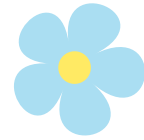




# Easter Chick Knitting Pattern



## You will need:

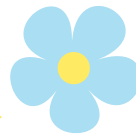
Any colour double knit wool  Pair of needles UK Size 11 (3mm)  
Cotton wool ball/toy stuffing  Black felt/thread for eyes  
Orange felt  Coloured ribbon  Creme Egg



1. Cast on 20 sts.
2. Knit 1 row.
3. Inc in 1st st, k8, inc into next 2sts, knit to end (23sts).
4. Inc in 1st st, k9, inc into next 2 sts, knit to end (23sts).
5. Inc in 1st st, k11, inc into next 2 sts, knit to end (29sts).
6. Inc 1 st at the beginning of every row until 42 sts are on the needle.
7. Cast off 11 sts at the beginning of next 2 rows (20sts).
8. Increase 1 st at the beginning of the next 4 rows (24 sts).
9. Knit 4 rows.

10. K2, then k2tog to last 2 sts, k2 (14sts).
11. Knit 4 rows.
12. K2, then k2tog to last 2sts, k2 (9sts).
13. Draw wool through rem 9 sts and pull tight.
14. With that piece of wool, sew round the edge of work to beg st leaving the cast on edge open so that the egg can be inserted.
15. Stuff the head with a cotton wool ball, sew around the neck and gather in.
16. Sew 2 eyes with fine black wool and stick or sew a small diamond shaped piece of orange felt for the beak.
17. Tie a thin piece of ribbon around the neck in a bow.
18. Insert egg and check it doesn't drop out when held by head. Add extra stitches to tighten if required.

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