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Knitting Pattern for Barbara's muff

A lovely furry muff - the perfect size to slip in all manner of bits and bobs!



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You will need:

1 ball fur eyelash yarn in colour of your choice (Such as Stylecraft Eskimo, Lion Brand Fun Fur)

3.75mm knitting needles

Gold crochet cotton

Crochet hook (3) or 3mm knitting needles

Tapestry needle

Instructions:

Note: The needles chosen are smaller than specified on the yarn label - this way you get a denser fabric which holds its shape better.

Cast on 15 sts - the width of your work should be approx. 7cm when knitted. Adjust number of stitches to get this width if necessary and knit until work measures 10 cm.

Cast off, leaving tail for sewing. Sew cast on and cast off edges together to make a tube. Weave in ends. The fabric knitted should be stretchy enough for your puppet's hands to fit in comfortably.

With the gold cotton, either crochet a length of chain long enough to make a loop through the muff and around the puppet's neck in order for the muff to rest at waist height, with enough left over for tying in a knot - approx. 35cm. (Alternatively, cast on 3 stitches using 3mm needles and knit until the desired length. Cast off).

Measure against your puppet to get exact length. Thread the gold strap through the muff, tie ends together and hide them inside the muff, sewing in place if necessary.



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