

Class 2 Knitting Patterns

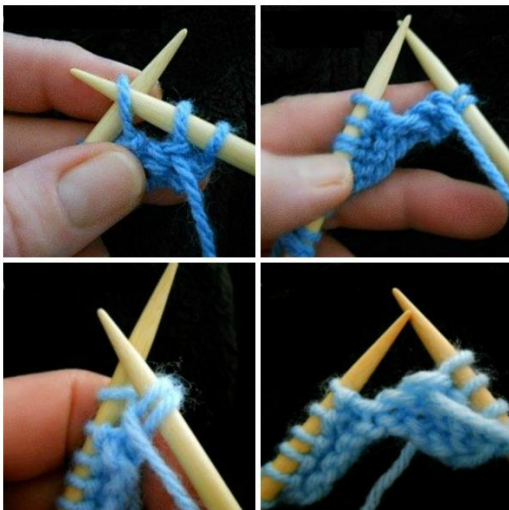
Rainbow Ball



- Cast on 15 stitches
- Start with red, Knit 6 rows
- Change to orange, Knit 1 Purl 1 for 6 rows

This will be the first time many students will learn the Purl stitch, the verse for it is as follows:

Out of the bunny hole
Run around the tree
Back into the bunny hole
Away runs he or she



Many students get confused with when they are meant to do a knit or purl row, a clever reminder is that when they have a smooth side in front of them they knit and when it is rough then they purl. They may need reminding of this a few lessons in a row.



Bumpy Side= Purl



Smooth Side=Knit

Continue to change colours until you have 10 colours in total. When changing colours, it must be on the same side as the rest of the tails and the tails must be at least a fingers length long. Cut the wool you are using then take next colour make a slip knot or disappearing knot and thread it onto the existing colour, tighten and start knitting with the new colour ignoring the last colours tail.



When sewing together, first stitch together the purl sections, tucking in the tails. Then stitch together the knit sections and it should pull together beautifully.

Stuff with pure wool when you have done one side, put a small bell inside so it jingles.

Sew it up securing with two stitches on the spot.