



## Pattern Collection: Children



### **Daisy Cardi**

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### **DIFFICULTY**

Easy

### **SIZES**

3-6 mo (6-12 mo, 18-24 mo)

*Shown in 18-24 mo size.*

### **FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

**Chest Circumference (buttoned):** 16½  
(18¾, 22)''

**Length:** 9 (11¼, 12½)''

### **MATERIALS**

**Universal Yarn Cotton Supreme Sapling**  
(100% Cotton, 100g/109 yds)

- 809 Blush – 2 (3, 3) skeins

**Needle:** US Size 10.5 (6.5 mm) straight  
*or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 10 (6 mm) straight

**Notions:** Tapestry needle, stitch holders  
or waste yarn, stitch markers, 5 buttons  
(½'' approx. width)

### **GAUGE**

14 sts x 26 rows = 4'' in Garter Stitch  
with larger ndl

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## PATTERN NOTES

The Daisy Cardigan is a soft and snugly layering piece perfect for any wee one in your life. Knit in Cotton Supreme Sapling, this sweater is quick to knit and would be a great gift.

This cardigan is knit flat in pieces and seamed. Stitches are picked up and knit to create the button band and neck edging. Buttons are added by hand sewing as the final step.

## STITCH GUIDE

### K1, P1 Rib

*(even number of sts)*

**Row 1 (RS):** \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** \* K1, p1; rep from \* to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

## BACK

### Hem

With smaller ndl, cast on 30 (34, 40) sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** Work Row 1 of K1, P1 Rib to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** Work Row 2 of K1, P1 Rib to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 until piece meas  $\frac{3}{4}$ " from cast-on edge, ending with a WS Row. Change to larger ndl.

### Body

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** Knit.

Cont as est'd until piece meas approx. 6 (7, 8)" from cast-on edge. Place a removeable marker on each side to indicate armholes. Cont as est'd until piece meas approx.  $1\frac{3}{4}$  (3, 3)" from armhole markers, ending with a WS row.

### Shape Back Neck

**Next Row (RS):** K12 (14, 16) Right Back sts, bind off center 6 (6, 8) Back Neck sts, k12 (14, 16) Left Back sts. Place Right Back sts on holder or waste yarn.

### Left Back

**WS Rows 1-7:** Knit.

**Row 2 (RS):** Bind off 3, cont as est'd to end – 9 (11, 13) sts rem.

**Row 4:** Bind off 2, cont as est'd to end – 7 (9, 11) sts rem.

**Row 6:** Bind off 1, con't as est'd to end – 6 (8, 10) sts rem.

Left Back Neck shaping is complete.

Cont even as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas 3 ( $4\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ )" from armhole markers, ending with a WS row. Place sts on holder or waste yarn and return Right Back sts to ndl.

### Right Back

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 3, cont as est'd to end – 9 (11, 13) sts rem.

**RS Rows 2-6:** Knit.

**Row 3:** Bind off 2, cont as est'd to end – 7 (9, 11) sts rem.

**Row 5:** Bind off 1, con't as est'd to end – 6 (8, 10) sts rem.

Right Back Neck shaping is complete.

Cont even as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas 3 ( $4\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ )" from armhole markers, ending with a WS row. Place sts on holder or waste yarn.

## LEFT FRONT

### Hem

With smaller ndl, cast on 14 (16, 18) sts.

Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas  $\frac{3}{4}$ " from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row. Change to larger ndl.

### Body

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** Knit.

Cont as est'd until piece meas approx. 6 (7, 8)" from cast-on edge. Place a removable marker at the beg of next RS row to indicate armhole. Cont as est'd until piece meas approx.  $\frac{3}{4}$  (2, 2)" from armhole marker, ending with a RS row.

### Shape Left Front Neck

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 3, knit to end – 11 (13, 15) sts rem.

**RS Rows 2-4:** Knit.

**Row 3:** Bind off 3, knit to end – 8 (10, 12) sts rem.

**Row 5:** Bind off 2, knit to end – 6 (8, 10) sts rem.

Left Front Neck shaping is complete.

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Cont even as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas 3 (4¼, 4½)" from armhole marker, ending with a WS row. Place sts on holder or waste yarn.

## RIGHT FRONT

### Hem

With smaller ndl, cast on 14 (16, 18) sts.

Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas ¾" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row. Change to larger ndl.

### Body

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit.

**Row 2 (WS):** Knit.

Cont as est'd until piece meas approx 6 (7, 8)" from cast-on edge. Place a removable marker at the end of next RS row to indicate armhole. Cont as est'd until piece meas approx. ¾ (2, 2)" from armhole marker, ending with a WS row.

### Shape Right Front Neck

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 3, knit to end – 11 (13, 15) sts rem.

**WS Rows 2-4:** Knit.

**Row 3:** Bind off 3, knit to end – 8 (10, 12) sts rem.

**Row 5:** Bind off 2, knit to end – 6 (8, 10) sts rem.

Right Front Neck shaping is complete.

Cont even as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas 3 (4¼, 4½)" from armhole marker, ending with a WS row. Place sts on holder or waste yarn.

## SLEEVES

### Cuff

With smaller ndl, cast on 16 (20, 22) sts. Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas approx. 1" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row. Change to larger ndl.

### Shape Sleeve

**Inc Row (RS):** K1, m1, knit to last 2 sts, m1, k1 – 2 sts inc'd, 18 (22, 24) sts.

Rep Inc Row every 8 (6, 8) rows, 2 (4, 4) more times – 4 (8, 8) sts inc'd, 22 (30, 32) sts. Cont even as est'd until piece meas 6 (7, 8)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts.

## FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

With RS facing together, join Left Front and Left Back sts using the three-needle bind-off. Rep for Right Front and Right Back shoulders. Sew Sleeves to body, using armhole markers as a guide. Sew Sleeve and side seams.

### Left Button Band

With RS facing and smaller ndl, beg at Left Front neck bind-off edge, pick up and knit 24 (32, 36) sts.

Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas 1" from picked up edge, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts in patt.

### Right Button Band

*Note: On Row 3, the yarn-overs are worked with the preceding stitch. If the first stitch is a knit stitch: ssk. If the first stitch is a purl stitch: p2tog.* With RS facing and smaller ndl, beg at the bottom of Right Front, pick up and knit 24 (32, 36) sts evenly along Right Front edge.

**Row 1 (WS):** Work Row 2 of K1, P1 Rib to end.

**Row 2 (Buttonhole Row):** Cont in K1, P1 Rib as est'd over 4 (4, 6) sts, [yo, work in patt for 4 (6, 6) sts] 4 times, yo, cont in K1, P1 Rib as est'd over 4 (4, 6) sts – 5 buttonholes.

**Row 3 (Buttonhole Row):** Cont as est'd to 1 st bef the first yo, [work next st and the yo tog, cont as est'd for 3 (5, 5) sts] 4 times, work next st and last yo tog, cont as est'd to end.

Cont in K1, P1 Rib as est'd until piece meas 1" from picked-up edge, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts in patt.

### Neck Edging

With RS facing and smaller ndl, beg at top of Right Front button band, pick up and knit 4 sts along Right Button Band, pick up and knit 13 (13, 14) sts along Right Front neck edge, pick up and knit 20 (20, 24) Back Neck sts, pick up and knit 13 (13, 14) sts along Left Front neck edge, pick up

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and knit 4 sts along Left Button Band – 54 (54, 60) sts.

Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas 1" from picked up edge, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts in patt.

Weave in rem ends. With needle and thread, sew 5 buttons onto Left Front Button Placket, taking care to align the buttons opposite to the buttonholes.

### Abbreviations

<b>bef</b>	before
<b>beg</b>	begin(ning)
<b>cont</b>	continue
<b>dpn(s)</b>	double pointed needle(s)
<b>est'd</b>	established
<b>garter st</b>	knit every row
<b>inc('d)</b>	increase(d)
<b>k</b>	knit
<b>m1</b>	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)
<b>meas</b>	measures
<b>ndl</b>	needle
<b>p</b>	purl
<b>p2tog</b>	purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
<b>patt</b>	pattern
<b>pm</b>	place marker
<b>rem</b>	remain(ing)
<b>rep</b>	repeat
<b>RS</b>	right side
<b>ssk</b>	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>tog</b>	together
<b>WS</b>	wrong side
<b>yo</b>	yarn over

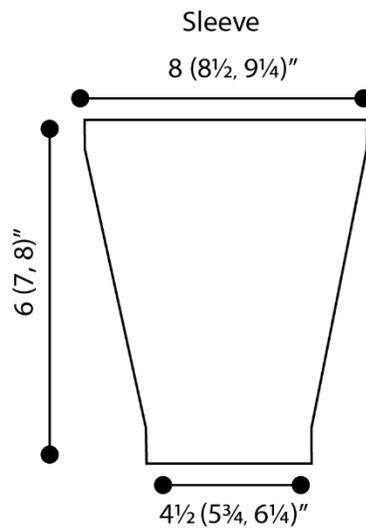
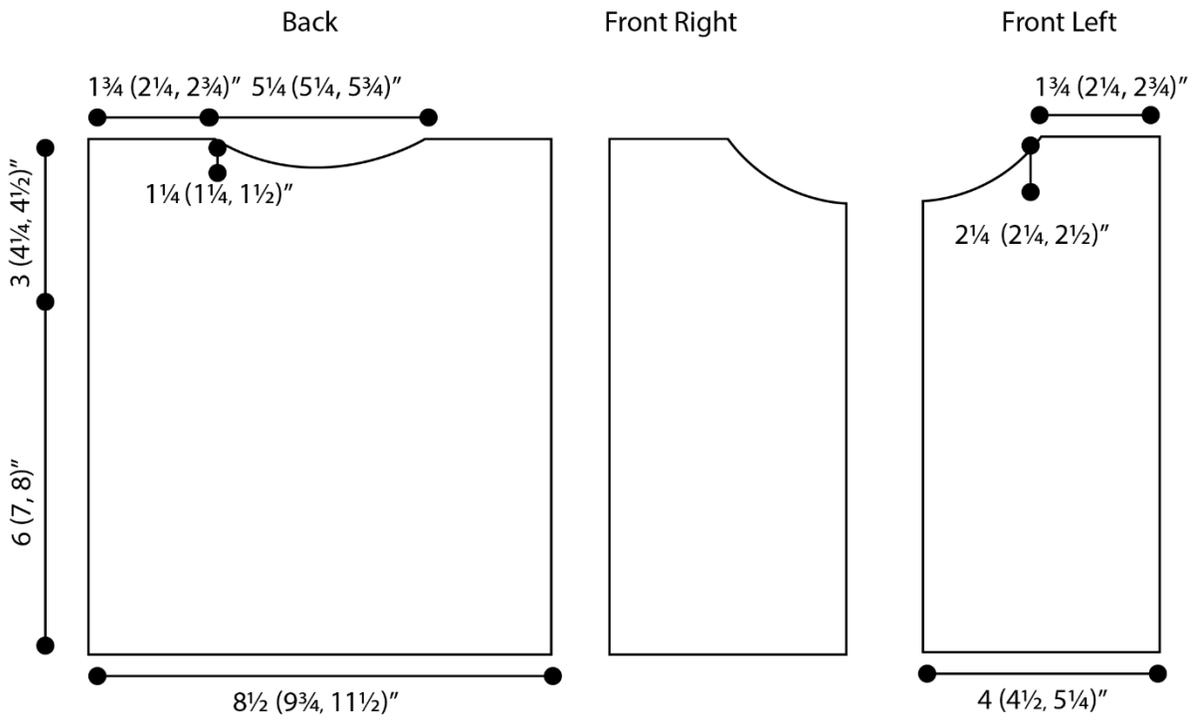


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