





Storytime Blankies

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SIZES

One Size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Length: 39" Width: 39"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn *Bella Chenille Big* (100% Polyester 200g/87 yds)

Version A:

- 404 Baby Blue (MC) 3 skeins
- 401 Snowy (CC) 1 skein

Version B (pictured):

- 405 Cream (MC) 3 skeins
- 403 Sweety (CC) 1 skein

Needle: US Size 15 (10 mm) 24" or longer circular (to accommodate large number of sts)

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, 6" piece of cardboard for making tassels

GAUGE: 6 sts x 9 rows = 4" in Twisted

Stockinette Stitch

Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

No matter your age, there is something about chenille yarn that puts a smile on everyone's face. Plush and super soft, the Storytime Blankies are vibrant and fun projects that are perfect for the little ones in your life. Knit in Bella Chenille Big, these blankets feature textured stitches and a graphic stripe. The corner tassels add to a simple shape that is quick to knit and perfect for any living room or nursery.

This blanket is knit flat from the bottom up.

STITCH GUIDE

Twisted Stockinette Stitch

(any number of sts)

Row 1 (RS): * K1 tbl; rep from * to end.

Row 2 (WS): Purl. Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

Garter Columns

(multiple of 6 sts)

Row 1 (RS): * P3, k3; rep from * to end.

Row 2 (WS): Knit. Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

BLANKET

With MC, Cast on 60 sts.

Lower Border Row 1 (RS): Knit. Row 2 (WS): Knit.

Section 1

Row 1 (RS): K3, pm, work Row 1 of Twisted Stockinette Stitch to last 3 sts, pm, k3.

Row 2 (WS): K3, sl m, work Row 2 of Twisted

Stockinette Stitch to m, sl m, k3.

Cont as est'd until piece meas approx. 17" from cast-on edge, ending with a RS row. Break MC, Join CC.

Section 2

Set-up Row (WS): K3, sl m, purl to m, sl m, k3. **Row 1 (RS):** K3, sl m, work Row 1 of Garter Columns to m, sl m, k3. Patt will be repeated 9 times across each row.

Row 2: K3, sl m, work Row 2 of Garter Columns to m, sl m, k3.

Cont as est'd until piece meas approx. 23" from cast on edge, ending with a RS row. Break CC, join MC.

Section 3

Set-up Row (WS): K3, sl m, purl to m, sl m, k3. **Row 1 (RS):** K3, sl m, work Row 1 of Twisted Stockinette Stitch to m, sl m, k3.

Row 2: K3, sl m, work Row 2 of Twisted Stockinette Stitch to m, sl m, k3.

Cont as est'd until piece meas approx. 38" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Upper Border Row 1 (RS): Knit. Row 2 (WS): Knit. Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

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

Tassels (make 4): With MC, wrap yarn 8-10 times around a 6" piece of cardboard. Pass a separate 12" piece of yarn through one end of the wrapped yarn, slide the yarn off the cardboard, and then wrap it around the wrapped yarn several times. Tie a tassel to each corner of the blanket.



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Abbreviations

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k knit marker m MC main color measures meas purl р patt pattern place marker pm rep repeat RS right side sl slip st(s) stitch(es)

tbl through the back loop(s)

WS wrong side