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Wakame Placemats Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

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DIFFICULTY Basic

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS Width (excluding fringe): 17" Height : 12"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Yashi Iro (100% Raffia; 50g/124 yds)

 201 Ocean Dream (MC) – 3 balls
 Universal Yarn Yashi (100% Raffia; 40g/99 yds)

111 Ballerina (CC) – 2 balls
 Note: The suggested yarn requirements
 make two placemats.
 Needle: US Size 8 (5 mm) straight

Notions: Tapestry needle, crochet hook (for attaching fringe)

GAUGE

20 sts x 36 rows = 4" in Tweed patt

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

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PATTERN NOTES

Looking to add some flair to your dining room? Look no further! These placemats pair Yashi and variegated Yashi Iro for a gorgeous tweed effect. Durable and easy to care for, this a fun home décor project you'll love for years.

These placemats are knit flat from the bottom up. Fringe is attached along each side of the mat during finishing.

STITCH GUIDE

Tweed

(multiple of 2 sts, plus 1)
Row 1 (RS): With MC, * k1, sl 1 pwise wyif; rep from * to last st, k1.
Row 2 (WS): With MC, sl 1 pwise wyib, * p1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.
Row 3: With CC, rep Row 1.
Row 4: With CC, rep Row 2.
Rep Rows 1-4 for patt.

PLACEMATS

(make two) With MC, cast on 85 sts. **Row 1 (RS):** With MC, k1, work Row 1 of Tweed patt to last st, k1.

Row 2 (WS): With MC, p1, work Row 2 of Tweed patt to last st, p1.

Row 3: With CC, k1, work Row 3 of Tweed patt to last st, k1.

Row 4: With CC, p1, work Row 4 of Tweed patt to last st, p1.

Rep Rows 1-4 until piece meas approx. 12" from cast-on edge, ending with Row 4 of patt. Break CC, cont with MC only.

Next Row (RS): With MC, knit. Bind off all sts pwise.

FINISHING

Lightly spray with warm water and pin to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

Fringe

With MC, cut 106 5" strands of yarn. Attach 53 strands evenly along the left side of the placemat

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using crochet hook (approx. 1 fringe every ¼"). Rep for right side of placemat. Trim fringe to 1½".

Abbreviations

approx	approximately
CC	contrast color
k	knit
MC	main color
meas	measures
р	purl
patt	pattern
pwise	purlwise
rep	repeat
RS	right side
sl	slip
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side
wyib	with yarn held in back
wyif	with yarn held in front





Key

pattern repeat

- with MC, knit on RS, purl on WS
- with MC, sl 1 pwise wyif
- ✓ with MC, sl 1 pwise wyib
- with CC, knit on RS, purl on WS
- ✓ with CC, sl 1 pwise wyif
- with CC, sl 1 pwise wyib