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What you will need:

* Some DK wool
* Knitting needle size 9 (3 ¾)
* Darning needle (like a big sewing needle)
* Small amount of stuffing (a cotton wool ball for the head, perhaps)

You will need a basic knowledge of knit and purl to make these angels, but don’t let that stop you if you haven’t done it before. It’s never too late to learn a new skill!

The angels have been designed to be as simple and as flexible as possible, so everyone from a beginner to a more advanced knitter can have a go.

Feel free to adapt the pattern if you want by using different colours/types of wool, or adding features to personalise them.

We have used size 9 needles with double knitting wool to knit some of ours.

Angel’s Body

  
Cast on 48 sts (stocking stitches)

1. Knit row  
2. Purl row  
3. K2TOG, K10\*, repeat until end  
4. Purl row  
5. Knit row  
6. P2TOG, P9\*, repeat until end  
7. Knit row  
8. Purl row  
9. K2TOG, K8\*, repeat until end  
10. Purl row  
11. Knit row Angel with Option 1 wings  
12. P2TOG, P7\*, repeat until end  
13. Knit row  
14. Purl row  
15. K2TOG, K6\*, repeat until end  
16. Purl row  
17. Knit row  
18. P2TOG, P5\*, repeat until end  
19. Knit row  
20. Purl row  
21. K2TOG, K4\*, repeat until end - 20 sts  
22. Purl row  
23. Knit row  
24. Purl row  
25. Knit row  
26. Purl row  
27. Knit row

At this point, you can change your colour to create the face if you want.

28. Purl row  
29. Knit row  
30. Purl row  
31. Knit row  
32. Purl row  
33. Knit row  
34. Purl row  
35. K2TOG - repeat until end  
36. Purl row  
37. Knit row  
38. P2TOG - repeat until end

Using a darning needle, thread the end of the yarn through the stitches and tighten to create the top of the head. Turn the angel inside out and sew up the head and the body. Around the neck, take a small amount of stuffing and place at the top of the head, then thread some yarn between stitches and pull loosely together.

Angel’s Wings

  
Cast on 27 sts

1. Knit row  
2. Knit row  
3. Decrease at each end (Knit)  
4. Knit row  
5. Knit 12 rows, decrease at each end cast off  
Sew wings to the body.