

**Child's Pullover with Attached Scarf, by Kay Heltmach (KayL Designs) 06/25/2012**

Child Size 3 – 5 (27" chest; 15.5" long; sleeve 11" long)



6 skeins of Nashua Handknits Snowbird (438 yards) Wool/Alpaca blend  
or equivalent bulky weight yarn to meet **Gauge:** 14 stitches x 20 rows = 4 inches  
US #9 circulars and US #9 double points  
US #7 or #8 circular for body ribbing (optional) and US #7 or #8 double points for cuff ribbing (optional)  
3 - 3 / 4" buttons or (6 total for optional double breasted)

**M1 stitch** – lift bar between stitches with left needle and knit through back loop with right needle

**SS** – slip stitch as to purl with yarn in front

**pm** – place marker **sm** – slip marker

**Cast-on:** 40 stitches using long tail cast on.

**Row 1** – Slip stitch (with yarn in back only for this row), P2, pm, P7, pm, P20, pm, P7, pm, P2, K1

**Row 2** – SS, [knit to 1 stitch from marker, M1, K1, sm, K1 M1] repeat 4 times. Knit to end.

**Row 3** – SS, Purl to last stitch, K1

**Repeat Rows 2 & 3:** 12 more times each

Stitch total should now be: 16 front, 33 sleeve, 46 back, 33 sleeve, 16 front

**Dividing Row:** K16, remove marker & place 33 sleeve stitches on piece of yarn,  
cast-on 2 stitches, knit 46 stitches, remove marker & place 2nd set of 33 sleeve stitches on  
yarn, cast-on 2 stitches, knit 16 stitches.

**Next Row:** SS, Purl to last stitch, K1

**Next Row:** SS, Knit to end

**Next Row:** SS, Purl to last stitch, K1

**Joining Row:** (no SS) Knit to end and knit-on 14 new stitches, pm, join into round. (96 stitches)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-nJKC2xT0Q4>

**Following Rows:** Knit in rounds, ending with wrong side row, until body is 7.5" to 8" measured from underarm, rib in \*K2, P2\* for 2.5" (using smaller needles if desired.) Remove marker and bind off loosely:

Jeny's Surprisingly Stretchy Bind-off <http://knitty.com/ISSUEfall09/FEATjssbo.php>



**First Front Panel:** On right side, ONLY PICK UP (do not knit them) 18 stitches along right vertical edge from bottom to top for girl (or left edge for boy) so that the first row can be a knit from top to bottom on wrong side. Knit back and forth in garter stitch until you have 6 ridges on the right side ending with right side row. (See optional double breasted panel note at end)

**Next row:** wrong side buttonhole row: [K3, Y/O, K2 together] x 3 times, knit to end.

**Next row:** [Knit to stitch before Y/O, knit into back of Y/O] x 3 times, knit to end

**Continue:** knit in garter stitch until you have 2 more right side ridges and bind off in knit on wrong side.

**Second Front Panel:** Repeat instructions for First Front Panel, picking up stitches from remaining vertical edge and omitting buttonholes being sure that first row is knit from wrong side.

**Whip stitch both panels to bottom edge of opening:** working on wrong side, stitch panels neatly to bottom edge of opening making sure the panel with the buttonholes will be on top on right side.

**Sleeves:** Place sleeve stitches on shorter length circular needle or dp. Join yarn and pick up 4 more stitches from under arm of body for total of 37 stitches. Place marker for beginning of round centered between 4 picked up stitches, and knit in the round until sleeve measures 8.5". Next row: evenly decrease to 25 stitches (K1, K2tog) x 12 times. Knit next row, joining together the last stitch with the first stitch of next row - 24 stitches remain. Rib \*K2,P2\* for 2.5" and bind-off as for body with Jeny's method - cuff needs to be stretchy.

**Scarf Collar:** Cast on 30 (or as many as 40 as shown in picture) stitches using knit-on method, pick up 40 stitches right side of neck beginning where body joins front panel to right of front and ending where body joins front panel to left of front, knit on 30 more stitches (or as many as 40) for other end of scarf. Knit next row (will be a wrong side row) and continue knitting in garter pattern to suggested minimum scarf width of 2 inches or wider if desired, ending with right side row. Bind off loosely in knit on wrong side.

**Sew on buttons.** Weave in loose ends.

**OPTIONAL LOOK:** Pullover can be double breasted for extra warm chest coverage. Just knit panels wide enough to cover entire opening and knit two rows of buttonholes, at suggested placement in ditch row 4 ridges away from panel edges.

