

Rock Creek Cowl

YARN *along the* ROCKIES

By Fingerplay Studio
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About Fingerplay Studio

Carol Bosshard and Celeste Murphy met when their daughters attended preschool together in Louisville. They quickly discovered they had many shared interests. Though their girls moved on to separate schools and friends, Celeste and Carol's friendship continued to grow. It was during one of their many gorgeous local hikes that they began to talk about opening a yarn shop. At first the idea was to create something small and part-time, but things quickly knit up to become FingerPlay Studio. FingerPlay Studio offers well crafted supplies for knitters, crochet enthusiasts, and fiber artists. Product offerings are chosen to fit a variety of tastes and budgets. Classes and special events are all designed to encourage those new to fiber arts and inspire experienced crafters. If there is something you would like to see us offer, we welcome your suggestions.

Construction Notes

This pattern features the Indian Cross Stitch, which is a multiple of 8 stitches. The stitch is worked over 2 rounds.

The first round is worked as follows: K1 *Insert needle into next stitch, wrapping yarn 3 times before pulling the yarn through*

Note: wrap the yarn loosely or the stitches will become difficult to move along the needles.

For the second round: Slip 8 stitches, dropping the extra wraps as you do so. Insert left needle into the first four slipped stitches, and pass them over the last four stitches and onto the left needle. Now, slip the other four stitches to the left needle. Purl these eight stitches. *

Finished Measurements:

44" continuous loop x 8" deep

Gauge:

22 sts = 4" over Indian Cross Stitch

Yarn:

Dk or Sport 225 Yards

Needles & Notions:

24: Circular Needle, US 9
Ring Marker

Abbreviations:

BO bind off
CO cast on
inc increase
K, k knit
p purl
RS right side
st(s) stitch(es)
WS wrong side
yo yarnover

Pattern

CO 200 sts. Join for knitting in the round.

Rnd 1: K around.

Rnd 2: P around.

Rnd 3: K around.

Rnd 4: P around.

Create the Indian Cross Stitch

Rnd 5: K1 *Insert needle into next stitch, wrapping yarn 3 times before pulling the yarn through*

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Rnd 6: *Slip 8 stitches, dropping the extra wraps as you do so. Insert left needle into the first four slipped stitches, and pass them over the last four stitches and onto the left needle. Now, slip the other four stitches to the left needle. Purl these eight stitches. * Repeat to end of round.

Rep rnds 1 – 6 for pattern ending with Rnd 4.

BO knitwise.

Finishing

Weave in all ends.

Block lightly.