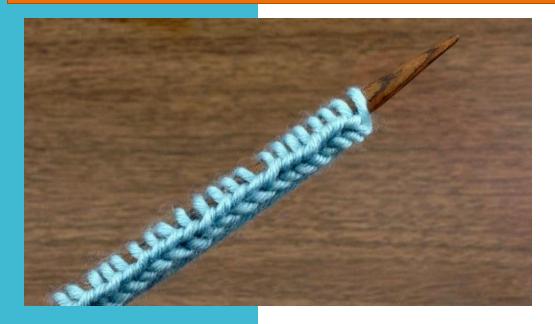
Knitting for beginners: CAST ON (LONG TAIL)



This is the starting point of all knitting projects. It looks tricky at first but once you get the rhythm, they'll be no stopping you!



https://www.youtube.com/watch ?v=1vm6oaYzHyA&t=252s

There are a range of methods for casting on: ms swingler's favourite is the long tail cast on, found at this link.

Knitting for beginners: KNIT STITCH



This is the most basic stitch that is used in all knitting projects.

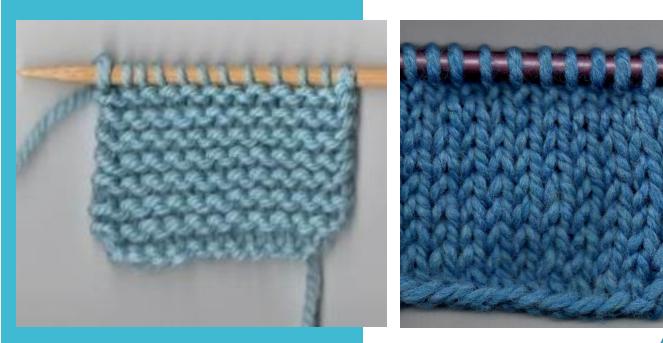


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Knitting each row is called a 'GARTER' stitch. This can be used to knit a simple scarf.

Knitting for beginners: PURL STITCH



Purl stitch is the second stitch you should learn. It is like a knit stitch but instead of knitting into the back of the stitch, you work at the front.



https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=N_y-4iAk9js

Knitting a row then purling a row is called a 'stockinette' stitch. This is most commonly used to make jumpers/large pieces of knitwear.

Knitting for beginners: CAST OFF / BIND OFF





https://youtu.be/VSwjIUiQZIM

This is the finishing point of all knitting projects. Its used to tie off the whole width of the piece of knitting.

Make sure when you cast off it's not too tight otherwise the edge will be pulled!

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