

DECEMBER 2023 BLOCK OF THE MONTH HUNTER'S STITCH

Hunter's Stitch is a ribbing with the Knit Stitch done through the back loop on a reverse stockinette background.

Finished Size: 9" wide x 9" high. US 9 needle & Medium Washable yarn.
Cast On 37 stitches. Pattern is multiples of 10+3, + 4 for side borders

Row 1 p1, k1, pm, k33, pm, k2

Rows 2-4 repeat Row 1, slipping markers as you come to them

Begin **Pattern** as follows:

	BORDER (2 sts)	PATTERN (33 sts)	BORDER (2 sts)
Row 1 (RS)	p1, k1	*P3, (K1tbl, P1) 3x, k1tbl,* repeat *to* 3 times, P3	k2
Row 2	p1, k1	K3, *(P1, K1tbl) 3 times, P1, K3*, repeat from *to* 3 times	k2

R2	K	K	K	P	Ktbl	P	Ktbl	P	Ktbl	P	K	K	K	
	P	P	P	Ktbl	P	Ktbl	P	Ktbl	P	Ktbl	P	P	P	R1

Repeat these 2 rows until block measures 8-1/2 inches.
Knit 4 rows Garter Stitch. Bind off loosely.

Ktbl = knit through back loop

