

textured cushion



Using John Lewis merino blend chunky

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YARN

6 x 50g balls of John Lewis Merino blend chunky (shown in grey)

NEEDLES

5.5mm needles

OTHER MATERIALS

50cm x 50cm cushion pad
Buttons x 3 medium sized

TENSION

14 stitches and 20 rows to 10cm on 5.5mm needles over pattern.

Approximate finished measurements: 50cm x 50cm

FRONT

Using 5.5mm needles and cast on 67 stitches and work as follows:

Row 1: *Knit 3, purl 5 repeat from * to last 3 stitches, knit 3.

Row 2: *Purl 3, knit 5 repeat from * to last 3 stitches, purl 3.

Row 3: As row 1

Row 4: *Knit 3, purl 5 repeat from * to last 3 stitches, knit 3.

Row 5: *Purl 3, knit 5 repeat from * to last 3 stitches, purl 3.

Row 6: As row 4

Rep rows 1 to 6 throughout.

Work stitches as set until work measures 50cm.

Cast off.

LOWER BACK

Work as given for front until work measures 23cm
Now work across all stitches in knit 1, purl 1 moss stitch for 4cm
Cast off.

UPPER BACK

Using 5.5mm needles cast on 67 stitches and work in knit 1, purl 1 moss stitch for 4 rows.

Next row: Moss stitch 16 stitches * yarn forward, knit 2 together, moss stitch 15 stitches, rep from * to last 17 stitches, yarn forward, knit 2 stitches together, moss stitch 15 stitches.

Continue to work in moss stitch until work measures 4cm ending with a wrong side row.

Now work stitches as set for front and continue until work measures 27cm.

Cast off.

FINISHING

Place front panel right side down, then place wrong side of lower back and upper back on top.

Secure with pins, starting at any corner, join with mattress stitch.

Attach buttons.



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