

# WhimsyKnit Patterns

Quick & Easy Toddler socks for [Children in Common \(CIC\)](#)

Yarn: Worsted weight, 100% wool  
Needles: US #5 (3.75mm)  
Gauge: 6 stitches/inch, 9 rows/inch  
Finished size: leg to heel flap = 3 1/2"  
heel to toe = 6"

This pattern was written using the two socks on two circular method.

Abbreviations:

K = knit  
P = purl  
SSK = slip, slip, knit  
P2tog = purl 2 together  
K2tog = knit 2 together

Cast on 28

Divide onto two needles – 14 stitches each needle

Needle 1 holds the sole stitches, needle 2 holds the instep stitches

Join in the round

Knit 1 round

Work K1, P1 ribbing for 7 rounds.

Work in stockinette stitch (knit all rounds) for 21 rounds.

Heel Construction:

The stitches on needle two will rest and not be worked. Work the heel stitches back and forth on needle one.

Heel flap:

Working back and forth on needle 1 only –

Row 1 (right side): \*Sl 1 purlwise, K1\* – repeat from \* across needle 1, turn

Row 2 (wrong side): \*Sl 1 purlwise, P across remainder of stitches, turn

Repeat rows 1 & 2 - 7 times

Repeat row 1 again

Turn heel:

Working back and forth on needle 1 only –

Row 1: Sl 1 purlwise, P7, P2tog, P1, turn

Row 2: Sl 1 purlwise, K to within 6 stitches of end, SSK, K1, turn

Row 3: Sl 1 purlwise, P to within 1 stitch of gap, P2tog, P1, turn

Row 4: Sl 1 purlwise, K to within 1 stitch of gap, SSK, K1, turn

Repeat rows 3 once more (all heel stitches have been worked).



Pickup Gusset stitches:

Needle 1: Knit across all heel stitches, pick up 9 stitches from the heel flap

Needle 2: Knit across

Needle 1: Pick up 9 stitches from the other side of the heel flap

Knit to center of heel stitches and place marker (center of heel)

Gusset decreases:

\*round starts at center of heel\*

Round 1: Knit across all stitches on both needles

Round 2: Needle 1: Knit to within 3 stitches of end of needle, K2tog, K1

Needle 2: Knit across

Needle 1: K1, SSK, Knit to marker

Repeat rounds 1-2: 6 times, repeat round 1 \*there should be 14 stitches on each needle\*

After the gusset decreases I remove the marker and begin each round with the sole stitches on needle 1.

Foot:

Work 16 rounds

\*Needle 1 (sole stitches): stockinette stitch (knit every round)

\*Needle 2 (instep stitches): stockinette stitch (knit every round)

Toe Decreases:

Round 1: Work on both needles - K1, K2tog, K to last 3 stitches on needle, SSK, K1

Round 2: Knit across all stitches on both needles

Repeat rounds 1-2: 3 times - 16 stitches left (8 on each needle)

Repeat round 1: 2 times - 12 stitches left (6 on each needle)

Graft toe stitches with Kitchener stitch