

Pink Scallop-Edge Skirt **Free Skirt Knitting Pattern For Girls**



Pink Scallop-Edge Skirt – So cute you've got to knit it!
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Level: Easy to intermediate.

Gauge: 4.5 stitches per inch on U.S. needle #8 (5mm).

Finished Measurements: Waist Circumference = 22” to fit 4-6 years-old child. Length = 11.5 inches.

Materials:

1. 1 balls of [Caron Simply Soft](#) in watermelon (6 oz/170 – 315yds/288m) or 4-ply worsted weight yarn of your choice.
2. [16 inch-circular knitting needle US #8](#) (5mm)
3. [3/4 inch-elastic waistband](#)
4. [Tapestry needle](#)
5. Sewing needle and thread
6. [Stitch marker](#)

Directions:

Waistband: With 16 inch-circular knitting needle Cast on 100 stitches. Place marker. Form cast on row into a ring by knitting into the first cast on stitch, make sure not to twist the row. Knit 5 rows. Purl 1 row. Knit another 5 rows. Purl 1 row. This part is a skirt's waistband.

Begin skirt body tier 1: Knit 22 rows. P 1 row.

Increasing Row to form tier 2: *Yf, k2; repeat from * to the end. (150 sts total)

P1 row.

Begin tier 2 body: Knit 22 rows.

P 1 row.

Increasing row to form tier 3: *yf, k2; repeat from * to the end. P 1 row. (225 sts total)

Next row: Knit and decrease 4 sts. Evenly, so that you have 221 sts remaining. (This is very important! You have to have 221 sts.)



Closeup image of scallop edge.

Begin Scallop-Edge Pattern as follow;

Row 1: *Sl 1, k1, pss0, k9, k2tog; rep from * to the end.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: *Sl 1, k1, pss0, k 7, k2tog; rep from * to the end.

Row 4: Knit.

Row 5: *Sl 1, k1, pss0, yf, [k1, yf] 5 times, k2tog; rep from to the end.

Row 6: Purl.

Repeat these 6 rows TWO more times. K 1 row. Bind off purlwise.

Cut out 22 inches of elastic waistband and sew both ends together to form a ring. Turn the skirt so that the wrong side is shown. Place the elastic band horizontally with the 6th row and fold the first 5 rows of the skirt waistband over it. Sew along the closing edge of the band with the same yarn using tapestry needle. Weave all loose ends behind work. Block piece if needed.

Let me know how it turns out. I'd love to hear about it.

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