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Simple Bag

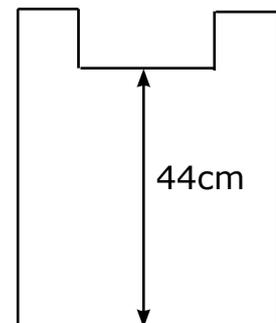
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Materials needed:

Pair of 10mm knitting needles
2 Bobbins of Hooplayarn
Length of Dowel for handles
Crochet hook or darning needle for sewing up

To Make:

- Cast on 8 stitches and knit in stocking stitch (knit a row pearl a row) for 11 rows
- Cut off the yarn leaving a long tail and push the knitting down the needle
- On the same needle cast on 8 more stitches and knit in stocking stitch (knit a row pearl a row) for 11 rows
- On the next row knit the 8 stitches then cast on 10 stitches and then knit in to the last 8 stitches
- Continue in garter stitch to produce the body of the bag until it measures approx. 44cm
- Knit 8 stitches then turn work and pearl the same 8 stitches
- Repeat knit a row and pearl a row 5 more times before casting off these 8 stitches
- Attach your yarn to the remaining 1st of the stitches and cast off the next 10 stitches
- Knit the remaining 8 stitches and then pearl the next row
- Repeat knit a row and pearl a row 5 more times before casting off these 8 stitches



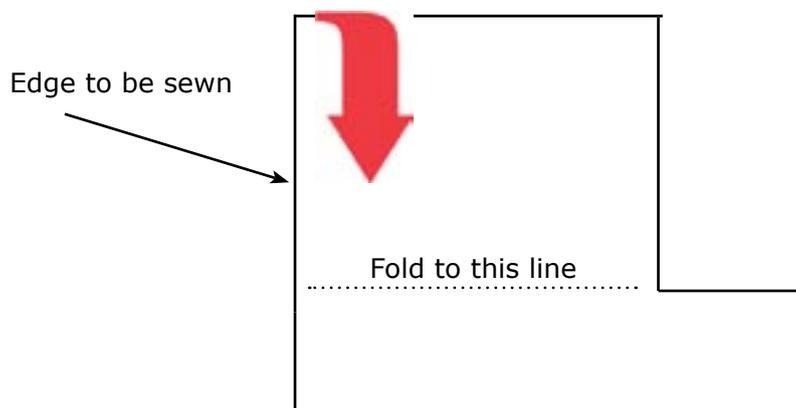
To Finish:

Firstly you need to make the loops that each end of your dowel handles are to fit in to

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To Finish contd:

Fold each corner down to the line as shown with knitted side facing in and sew the edge indicated.



Once all 4 corners have been sewn turn out so that the knitted side is facing outwards

Next sew the edges that have been folded down. This will make a pocket in each corner that your dowel handle will fit in to.

Fold the whole bag in half with the right sides facing each other and sew each edge up

Weave in any knots and ends before turning the bag the right way round.

Finally cut 2 lengths of dowel that are long enough to fit securely in to the pockets that you have made for them.



Finally if you want embellish your bag with a crochet flower or a charm and enjoy.