

TASSELED GARTER STITCH SCARF

by anne weil



xxxxxxxxx keep your neck warm and toasty with this easy tasseled garter stitch scarf. this scarf knits up super quickly and the tassels add just the right amount of fun. customize it with school colors! the scarf makes perfect conversation-knitting that also results in a lovely gift. xxxxxxxxxxx

* materials

- * 2 x 6oz/170g ball (106 yards/97m) of Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick® Fisherman or other super bulky yarn (Color A)
- * 1 x 6oz/170g ball (106 yards/97m) of Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick® Fisherman or other super bulky yarn (Color B)
- * Size 15 (10mm) needles, or size needed to get gauge

* skill level

Beginner

* gauge

9 stitches and 18 rows to 4 inches in garter stitch

* sizes and measurements

Finished scarf is 61" long and 7" wide.



* *pattern*

Cast on 16 stitches in B.

Knit in garter stitch (all knitting) until work measures 4.5".

Change to A, continue knitting in garter stitch until work measures 56.5" from the beginning.

Change to B, knit 4.5" in this color.

Entire length should be 61", or to length of your choosing.

Bind off loosely.

to make tassels:

*Cut a piece of cardboard approximately 4" long, or desired length for tassels.

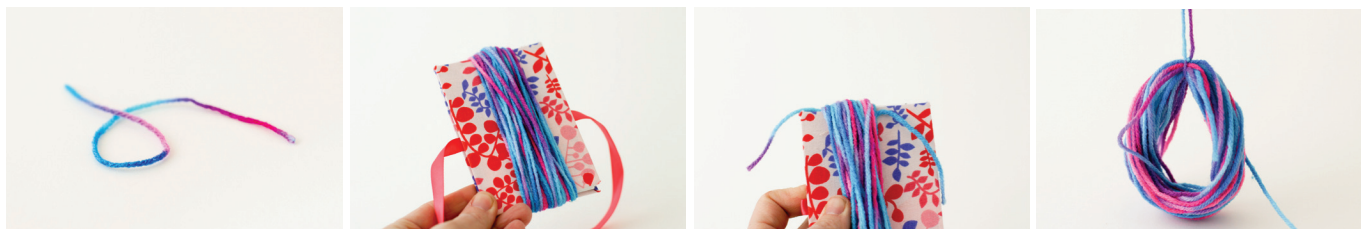
*Cut a piece of yarn in desired color approximately 6" long; set aside.

*Wrap yarn around cardboard until the tassel feels to your desired fullness. The scarf tassels are 10 loops of the bulky yarn. Leave the ball of yarn attached.

*Tuck your 6" piece of yarn under your loops.

*Tie a knot in your 6" length around the top of the loops.

*Pull the circle of yarn off the cardboard.



*Take the working yarn from the ball and twist it around the top of your loops. Tighten it on the loops about 3/4" down.

*Repeat this process 5-6 times, pulling tightly each time.

*Make sure the 6" piece of yarn you used to tie the top doesn't get caught down in this process.

*Now cut the other end of the loops. Repeat for desired number of tassels.

yay tassels!



to finish:

Attach tassels to scarf at desired intervals by tying the 6" piece of yarn from the top of the tassel to the end of your scarf. Weave the tie yarn ends in to the tassel. Block the scarf.



happy handmade xoxo