

## Free Knit Pattern

# Gemma's Square

Pattern for use by kind permission of  
Zanny Lovemore Blew

Zanny adapted the basket weave pattern  
to make a baby blanket for Gemma, her  
great-niece and Ronda's grand-daughter.

*Zanny is Sandy's mother and Ronda's sister.*



## Materials and Tools

- Light worsted weight yarn (American)/  
DK (UK)/8 ply (Aus) using 2 strands together  
throughout
- 6.00mm/US 10 needles

## Instructions

Using 2 strands of yarn together, cast on 24 stitches.

**Row 1:** Knit to end

**Row 2:** \* P2, k1\* to end

**Row 3:** Knit to end

**Row 4:** \*P2, K1\* to end

These 4 rows form the pattern.

**Next row:** Continue knitting rows 1-4 until work measures 8" (20cm).

Cast off, leaving a 20" (50cm) tail which is used for sewing the squares together.

## Variation

Combine a bright colour and a complementary colour to make an interesting basket weave square.

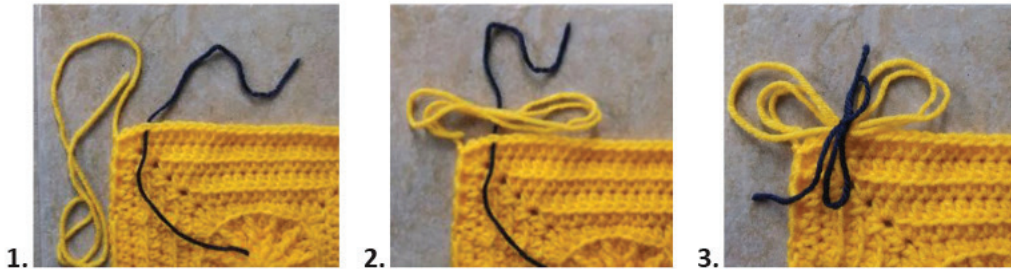
## Finishing Instructions

Weave in all yarn ends.

Leave a 20" (50cm) tail (for sewing the squares together). Butterfly the tail to the square.

### How to "butterfly the tail"

Use contrasting yarn and follow these directions:



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