



twist YARN SHOPPE

BEGINNER KNITTING CLASS

With Lisa Lord and Holly Buckley



Learn to knit the Wheat Scarf (by Tin Can Knits) or Spa Washcloth (by Leah Michelle Designs)

Materials needed:

- Size 9 needles (straight or circular)
- Worsted weight yarn (1 skein for the dishcloth - preferably mostly cotton), 2 for the scarf- wool or wool combo)
- 2 stitch markers (for scarf only)

Class on beginner knitting - 3 weeks (1.5 hour each) (plus videos of stitch instructions)

May 22, (skip the long weekend), June 5, 12th - Sat. 10 - 11:30 at TWIST!!!

• Class 1:

- Intro to Lisa & Holly
- How to cast on
- How to knit
- Keeping track of rows
- Maybe how to purl...
- Homework: not really - but next steps and when to stop!

• Class 2:

- Check in - emergency fixes
- How to read a pattern
- How to purl
- Using stitch markers
- Knit/Purl - go wild!

• Class 3:

- Check in - emergency fixes
- Put out fires (LOL)
- Review of knitting and purling techniques
- How to cast off (for those of you ready!)
- Where do I go next? What is the next project?
- Ravelry.com - the slippery slope of almost a million patterns to make anything you like!! Or design your own!

KNIT ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviation	Description
BO	Bind off (you are done - getting the stitches off the needles)
CO	cast on (starting - getting the stitches on your needles)
Garter st.	Knit every row
K	knit
K1tbl	Knit next stitch through back of loop
K2tog	Knit 2 stitches together
P	purl
PM	Place marker
Psso	pass slipped stitch over
RS	right side
Sl1	Slip next stitch knitwise
Sl1P	Slip next stitch purlwise
SM	Slip marker (move it from the left needle to the right needle)
ssk	Slip next 2 stitches knitwise one at a time. Pass them back onto left-hand needle, then knit through back loops together
st st	stockinette stitch (knit on one side, purl on the other side)
st(s)	stitch(es)
Tog	Together
WS	wrong side
yo	yarn over the needle (makes 1 extra stitch)