

**Gauge:** 3 sts/in pre-felting  
**Needles:** Size 10.5(6.5mm) or size to get gauge  
**Yarn:** Karaoke, 50% wool, 50% soy, 50g/110yds; Kureyon, 100% wool, 50g/110 yds or worsted weight feltable wool  
**Size:** Approximately 5 x 6". One skein yields two pouches.  
**Supplies:** Tapestry ndl

Using size 10.5(5.5mm) dpns, CO 45 sts onto 3 ndls.  
 Join without twisting. Mark beg.  
 Purl 3 rnds.  
 Knit 2 rnds.  
 Eyelet rnd: \*K3, yo, k2tog, rep from \* to beg  
 Knit every rnd until piece measures 7"  
 Close bottom with 3 ndl BO.  
 Work in ends.  
 Thread cotton or synthetic yarn through eyelets to hold open during felting.  
 Felt. Lay flat to dry.  
 Lace ribbon through eyelets.

#### Techniques and Abbreviations

##### 3 ndl BO

With WS together, hold two ndls together and parallel in left hand. With a 3<sup>rd</sup> ndl, knit 1<sup>st</sup> st from each ndl as if to k2tog. \*K2tog from each ndl, then pass 1<sup>st</sup> st on right ndl over 2<sup>nd</sup> st and off ndl for BO; rep from \* over all sts. Cut yarn and draw through last st.

##### Felting

Put felt project into a zippered pillowcase or other closed bag. Using hot water, set the washing machine for a heavy cycle, with the water level set for a small load. Add felt project, soap and an old pair of jeans or athletic shoes. Fill machine and begin agitating. It takes about 10 minutes for anything to happen and felting process may require resetting to beg of cycle. Once felting begins, check and measure frequently to achieve the finished size. Finish rinse and spin cycles then take the piece out, pinch it into the proper shape and let it dry. *Note: Felting is inexact at best. Variations in final results may occur based on gauge, yarn color, water temperature, washer agitation, and softness or hardness of water; all measurements given are only approximations. The best control is to check felting progress often after the first 5-7 minutes of felting. If it appears more agitation is needed, reset the cycle to the beginning and continue to monitor.*

##### k2tog

Put right ndl into 2<sup>nd</sup> st, then 1<sup>st</sup> st on left ndl as if to knit and knit as one stitch.

##### YO

Bring yarn forward as if to purl, then going over the right ndl, return yarn to the back of work to work the next st.

"/in	inch(es)		
beg	beginning		
BO	bind off		
dpns	double point needles		
k	knit		
k2tog	knit 2 together		
mm	millimeter	rep	repeat
ndl(s)	needle(s)	st(s)	stitch(es)
p	purl	YO	yarn over

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