

Treasure Hunt Cowl – Knitting Pattern by Sarah Gross



Materials:

Size 7 (4.5 mm) circular needles

DK Weight Yarn #3 (TSS Colorstory DK) in 3 colors:

Color 1 – approximately 72 yds

Color 2 – approximately 54 yds

Color 3 – approximately 54 yds

Beading Needle

Size 6/0 beads

Stitch Markers

Row Counter

Scissors and Needle for weaving in ends

Gauge:

5 sts = 1 inch (Blocked)

Check your gauge and adjust needle size accordingly.

Abbreviations:

CO – Cast on

K – Knit

P – Purl

YO – Yarn Over

St(s) – Stitch(es)

Notes:

- This is knit in the round. Use a stitch marker to mark the beginning of the round.

Tutorials:

How to Check Gauge: <https://www.pinterest.com/pin/459085755770161780/>

Long-tail cast on: <https://youtube.com/shorts/pMvZDG9N7R4?si=FZTN6HOHhoBqpp-l>

Stranding beads: <https://youtube.com/shorts/TXZb6-YCwTg?si=x670ZjSAr3phhPHG>

Placing beads: <https://youtube.com/shorts/omTc9vsz-Fo?si=9wVVbjf5c2K2IIY3>

Yarn over wraps (YO1, YO2, YO3):

<https://youtube.com/shorts/C7hFg1lxbPk?si=8ZutoEIOTUK1ZotW>

Dropping wraps: <https://youtube.com/shorts/HkvshITLXVE?si=TZ5iCEecr6b-NcoG>

Instructions:

Using **color 1**, strand beads (I used 39 beads per color section)

CO 117 sts. I used the long-tail cast on. Join to work in the round.

1. K around
2. *P3, place bead* Repeat around
3. K around
4. *YO1, p1, YO2, p1, YO3, p1, YO2, p1, YO1, p5* Repeat around.
5. *Drop 1, K1, Drop 2, K1, Drop 3, K1, Drop 2, K1, Drop 1, K5* Repeat around.
6. P around

Strand 39 beads to **color 2** and continue with only that color.

7. K around
8. *P3, place bead* Repeat around.
9. K around
10. *P5, YO1, p1, YO2, p1, YO3, p1, YO2, p1, YO1* Repeat around.
11. *K5, Drop 1, K1, Drop 2, K1, Drop 3, K1, Drop 2, K1, Drop 1* Repeat around.
12. P around

Strand 39 beads to **color 3** and continue with only that color.

13. K around
14. *P3, place bead* Repeat around
15. K around
16. *YO1, p1, YO2, p1, YO3, p1, YO2, p1, YO1, p5* Repeat around.
17. *Drop 1, K1, Drop 2, K1, Drop 3, K1, Drop 2, K1, Drop 1, K5* Repeat around.
18. P around

Continue below, stranding 39 beads for each color change:

Color 1: Repeat rounds 7-12

Color 2: Repeat rounds 1-6

Color 3: Repeat rounds 7-12

Color 1: Repeat rounds 1-6

Color 2: Repeat rounds 7-12

Color 3: Repeat rounds 1-6

Color 1: Strand 78 beads this time, Repeat rounds 7-12

Continue to final rounds with Color 1 only, or continue pattern established above to make your cowl taller.

Color 1 only:

1. K around
2. *P3, place bead* Repeat around
3. Bind off knitwise. Tip: Bind off loosely

FINISHING

Cut yarn and weave in any remaining ends.

I highly recommend blocking your cowl to make the lace design pop.

I would love to see your cowls! Tag me on Instagram [@sarahlizfiberarts](https://www.instagram.com/sarahlizfiberarts) so I can see your work!



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