

# Knitted Jayhawk Finger Puppet

Use size 3 needles. (I also use a crochet hook and double pointed needles for wings and beak. Large needle for sewing together.  
Needs blue, red, scraps of yellow and white yard.

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- Cast on 23 stitches in blue.
- Work stockinette stitch for 6 rows.
- Starting with the 7th row, work KU Pattern (k7 pattern k7).
- On last row of KU pattern join ends together to work rest of project in the round.
- Work stockinette stitch 3 rows. Cut blue yard about 18 inches from end of knitting, for sewing puppet together when knitting is done.
- Add both wings.
- On the body, switch to red yarn and work 7 rows stockinette stitch.
- Add Beak and Eyes.
- \*k2tog k1 repeat to end (15 st)
- k each stitch
- \*k2tog k1 repeat to end (10 st)
- \*k2tog repeat to end (5 st), break yarn and pull through remaining stitches.
- Secure yarn and sew in all loose ends.



## Right Wing (as viewed from front of toy):

Pull through 3 stitches in the row after finishing KU logo, starting 1 stitch after the U (to the right).  
Purl each odd row. Knit each even row ending the row with M1 k. Continue in this pattern until there are 6 knit stitches, this will occur on row 6. Work 4 rows even then bind off.

## Left Wing (as viewed from front of toy):

Pull through 3 stitches in the row after finishing the KU logo, starting 4 stitches after the K (to the left).  
Purl each odd row. Knit each even row beginning the row with k M1. Continue in this pattern until there are 6 knit stitches, this will occur on row 6. Work 4 rows even then bind off.

**Eyes:** Create two eyes with a French knot using blue yarn. Place eyes three rows from the top and evenly spaced over the beak below.

**Beak:** In second row of red, pull though 4 yellow stitches. Cut yellow 18 inches long, pull long end to front under the 4 stitches. With front facing purl 4 st, turn and k2tog twice, turn and p2tog. Pull yarn through last stitch and sew through to the inside of puppet, tie off with short end of yellow.

**Finishing:** Secure all loose yarn, seem the open portion at the back if desired.