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Starbright Kimono

## **MATERIALS:**

- 2 skeins Cotton/Rayon Metallic in Blue Violet
- 2 skeins Confetti in Starbright
- · 2 skeins Beaded Rayon in Parrot

**EQUIPMENT:** Size 11 knitting needles

Size K crochet hook

large tapestry needle

This kimono is knit sideways from sleeve to sleeve. Use all three yarns together as one.

DIRECTIONS: Back: Cast on 28 st. Knit one row.

Unit 1: Row 1. k3, increase 1, k to end of row.

Row 2. k.

Row 3. k3, increase 1, k to end of row.

Row 4. k.

Row 5. k.

Unit 1-5 more times.

Unit 1 rows 1 through 4

Row 5. k to end. Cast on 20 stitches.(62 st)

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Row 6. k.

Unit1-5X (72 st). Mark shoulder.

Knit 28 rows (14 ribs). Mark shoulder.

Unit 2: Row 1: k.

Row 2: k.

Row 3: k 3, k 2 together, k to end of row.

Row 4: k

Row 5: k 3, k 2 together, k to end of row.

Row 6: k

Unit 2-4 more times (62 stitches).

Row 1: k

Row 2: Cast off 20 stitches, k to end of row.

Continue with Unit 2 rows 3 through 6.

Unit 2-6 more times.(28 st).

Knit 1 row. Cast off.

Front: (Make 2). Knit the same as the back to the shoulder mark.

Mark shoulder and knit 8 rows in garter stitch.

Next row: Cast off 12 st, k to end.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: Cast off 3 st, k to end.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: Cast off 2 st, k to end.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: Cast off.

Joining: With the crochet hook slip stitch the sleeve and underarm seams together leaving a 5"

opening at the sides.

Front band: With the confetti and the cotton/rayon/metallic yarn HDC 5 rows along the front

and neck edge. Make 5 rows of HDC around the sleeve edges. Weave in all ends. I tie a knot before

cutting off the excess to secure it.

In this size there is enough yarn left over to make the STARBRIGHT CAMISOLE.

Enjoy your kimono!

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