Fall Bookmarks

You will need:
Orange crochet thread
Black crochet thread
Green crochet thread (if doing pumpkins)
Size 0, 1, or 2 DPNs or regular knitting needles
Scissors, sewing needle, blocking liquid (for finishing)

Black Cat Bookmark

CO 18 sts in main color, which is orange, cat is in black.

The setup will be:
(edge st) (blank stitch) (pattern of 14) (blank stitch) (edge st)

For the edge stitches you knit every round. For the blank stitches you knit on the right side and purl on the wrong side.

Do basic garter stitch for 3 rows.
Do basic stockinette stitch for 4 rows (don't forget your edge stitches get knit every row).

Begin working pattern into the bookmark. Read odd rows right to left, and even rows left to right.
Knit 8 rows of plain stockinette between each cat (beginning on a knit row).

After completing 3 repeats of the cat pattern, do 4 rows of plain stockinette stitch.
Do 3 rows of basic garter stitch.
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Finishing: Weave in all ends with sewing needle and use a 1/2 water, 1/2 blocking fluid or starch solution to wet them. Pin on a blocking board to dry for best results. You could try pressing them after wetting them, but I have not tried that method.

Pumpkin Bookmark

CO 15 sts in main color, which is black.

The setup will be:
(edge st) (2 blank stitches) (pattern of 9) (2 blank stitches) (edge st)

For the edge stitches you knit every round. For the blank stitches you knit on the right side and purl on the wrong side.

Do basic garter stitch for 3 rows.
Do basic stockinette stitch for 4 rows (don't forget your edge stitches get knit every row).

Begin working pattern into the bookmark. Read odd rows right to left, and even rows left to right.
Knit 5 rows of plain stockinette between each pumpkin.
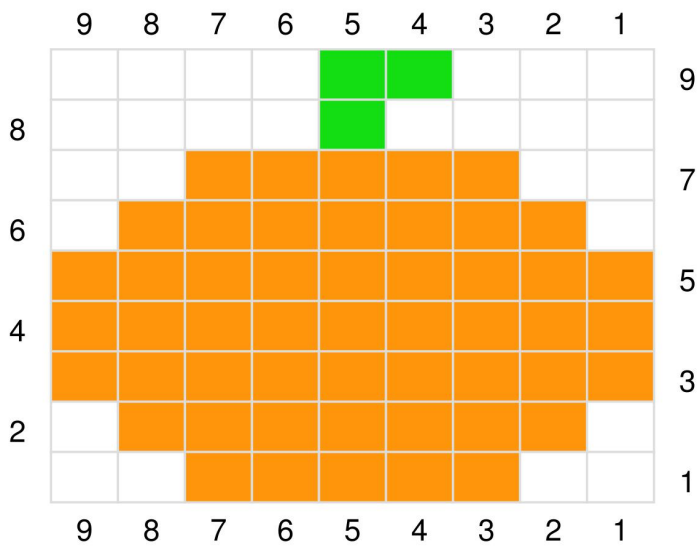
After completing 4 repeats of the pumpkin pattern, do 5 rows of plain stockinette stitch.
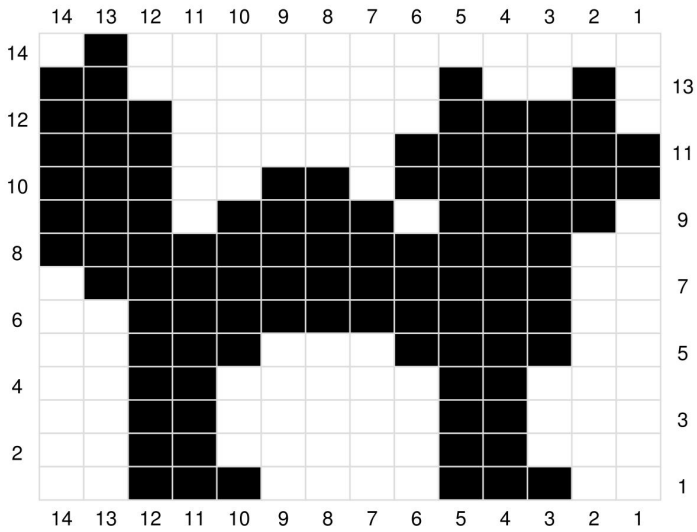Do 3 rows of basic garter stitch.
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Finishing: Finishing: Weave in all ends with sewing needle and use a 1/2 water, 1/2 blocking fluid or starch solution to wet them. Pin on a blocking board to dry for best results. You could try pressing them after wetting them, but I have not tried that method.

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