

Instructor

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Experience Level

Confident Beginner

Sewing Machine Required

Yes

Course Overview

This is going to be the two fabric quilt with a third fabric (the background) – and of course a mystery. The size of the finished quilt is 66” x 66” but could be a bit larger if you want more borders -- more blocks. You will need more fabric to do this.

Fabric Selection

Start by picking a fabric you want to feature in the quilt – doesn’t have to be a solid, just something you really like – and will look good cut up. Next, pick a fabric you want to go with it. Could be a lighter version of your first fabric, and we’ll call it Fabric #2. They will be close neighbors, so you want them to look good by each other. So my first pick will be a medium-to-medium dark, second pick will be a light medium – and the third pick will be the background.

Keep in mind, directional fabrics can be a challenge.

Fabric Amounts

Featured fabric – 2 ¼ yards-- and this includes enough for the binding

Fabric #2 -- 3/4 yards

Background – 3 1/4 yards

Required Notion

Tri Recs Triangle Rulers

Required Supplies

Basic sewing supplies including rotary cutter, cutting mat, rulers.

Along with your sewing machine, have two or three pre-wound bobbins.

Pre-class Cutting Instructions

1. From your Featured Fabric cut a total of 6 – 6 ½" x 42" (WOF) strips.

Using only one of the 6 ½" strips, cut only 4 – 6 ½" x 6 ½" squares.

2. From Fabric #2 cut 1 – 7 ¼" x 42" (WOF) strip. Then cut this into 5 – 7 ¼" x 7 ¼" squares. Cut these on the diagonal both ways getting 4 quarter-square triangles from each square.

Also cut 3 – 3 ½" x 42" (WOF) strips from Fabric #2. Then cut these into 32 -- 3 ½" x 3 ½" squares.

3. From your background cut a total of 10 – 6 ½" x 42" (WOF) strips. Then cut these into 60 – 6 ½" x 6 ½" squares.

Also from your background cut 2 – 3 ½" x 3 ½" x 42" (WOF) strips. Then cut these into 16 – 3 ½" x 3 ½" squares.

And more from your background, cut 5 more – 6 1/2 x 42" (WOF) strips.

Thank you for having the pre-class cutting complete. There will be more cutting in class, along with sewing!