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Quilt 1

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Fabrics in the Top of the Class Collection



Blocks with School Scenes
White – 1704-01



Tossed Books
Blue – 1705-77



Tossed School Items
White – 1706-01



Tossed Letters
White – 1707-01



Colored Pencils
Blue – 1708-77



Math Equations
Black – 1709-99



Science Icons
Black – 1710-99



Hands
White – 1711-01



Protractors
Blue – 1712-77



Doodles
Black – 1713-99



Crayons
Green – 1714-66



Computer and Tech Items
White – 1715-01

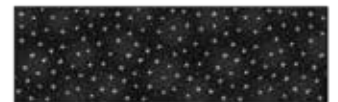


Tossed School Backpacks
Black – 1716-99



Tossed Schoolbuses
Blue – 1717-77

Select Fabrics from the Starlet Collection



Black
6383-Black



Kelly
6383-Kelly



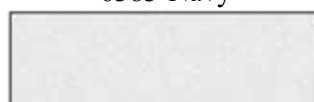
Navy
6383-Navy



Red
6383-Red



Royal
6383-Royal



White
6383-White



Yellow
6383-Yellow

Materials

2/3 yard	Blocks with School Scenes - White (A)	1704-01
1 1/3 yards	Starlet - Black (B)	6383-Black*
1/3 yard	Starlet - Navy (C)	6383-Navy
1/4 yard	Math Equations - Black (D)	1709-99
1/4 yard	Doodles - Black (E)	1713-99
1/4 yard	Tossed School Backpacks - Black (F)	1716-99
1/4 yard	Science Icons - Black (G)	1710-99
1/2 yard	Starlet - Royal (H)	6383-Royal
1/2 yard	Starlet - Yellow (I)	6383-Yellow
1/2 yard	Starlet - Kelly (J)	6383-Kelly
1/2 yard	Starlet - Red (K)	6383-Red
1/2 yard	Starlet - White (L)	6383-White
1/4 yard	Colored Pencils - Blue (M)	1708-77
1/4 yard	Tossed School Items - White (N)	1706-01
1/4 yard	Tossed Letters - White (O)	1707-01
1/4 yard	Hands - White (P)	1711-01
1/4 yard	Computer and Tech Items - White (Q)	1715-01
3 1/4 yards	Tossed Schoolbuses - Blue (Backing)	1717-77

*Includes binding

Batting: 58" x 70"

(Recommended: Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton)

Cutting Instructions

Please note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

From the Blocks with School Scenes - White (A):

- Fussy cut (6) 9 3/4" squares, each centered on a block.

From the Starlet - Black (B), cut:

- (3) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 1/2" x 48 1/2" strips.
- (2) 2 1/2" x 40 1/2" WOF strips.
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 2" x 9 3/4" strips.
- (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 2" x 12 3/4" strips.
- (6) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the binding.

From the Starlet - Navy (C), cut:

- (4) 1" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 1" x 11 1/2" strips.
- (4) 1" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 1" x 12 1/2" strips.

From the Math Equations - Black (D), cut:

- (1) 6 7/8" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (3) 6 7/8" squares. Cut the squares across (1) diagonal to make (6) 6 7/8" triangles.

From the Doodles - Black (E), cut:

- (1) 6 7/8" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (3) 6 7/8" squares. Cut the squares across (1) diagonal to make (6) 6 7/8" triangles.

From the Tossed School Backpacks - Black (F), cut:

- (1) 6 7/8" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (3) 6 7/8" squares. Cut the squares across (1) diagonal to make (6) 6 7/8" triangles.

From the Science Icons - Black (G), cut:

- (1) 6 7/8" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (3) 6 7/8" squares. Cut the squares across (1) diagonal to make (6) 6 7/8" triangles.

From the Starlet - Royal (H), cut:

- (1) 7 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 7 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 7 1/4" triangles.
Note: You will only use (6) 7 1/4" triangles.
- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (11) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Starlet - Yellow (I), cut:

- (1) 7 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 7 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 7 1/4" triangles.
Note: You will only use (6) 7 1/4" triangles.
- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Starlet - Kelly (J), cut:

- (1) 7 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 7 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 7 1/4" triangles.
Note: You will only use (6) 7 1/4" triangles.
- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Starlet - Red (K), cut:

- (1) 7 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) 7 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 7 1/4" triangles.
Note: You will only use (6) 7 1/4" triangles.
- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (11) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Starlet - White (L), cut:

- (2) 7 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (6) 7 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (24) 7 1/4" triangles.

From the Colored Pencils - Blue (M), cut:

- (1) 5 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 5 1/2" squares.

From the Tossed School Items - White (N), cut:

- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Tossed Letters - White (O), cut:

- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (12) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Hands - White (P), cut:

- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (11) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

From the Computer and Tech Items - White (Q), cut:

- (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (11) 2 1/2" x 5 1/2" strips.

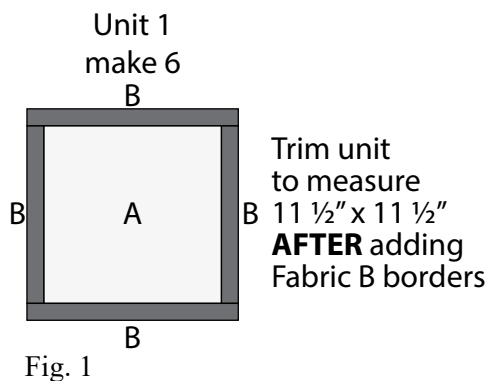
From the Tossed Schoolbuses - Blue (Backing), cut:

- (2) 58" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 58" x 70" back.

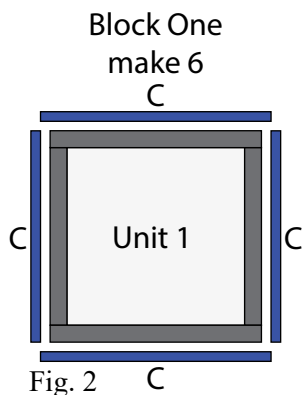
Block Assembly

Note: The arrows figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components. Use a 1/4" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

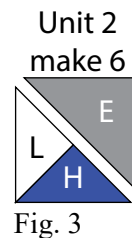
1. Sew (1) 2" x 9 3/4" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 9 3/4" Fabric A square. Sew (1) 2" x 12 3/4" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Fig. 1). **Trim the block to measure 11 1/2" x 11 1/2"**. Repeat to make (6) Unit 1 squares total.



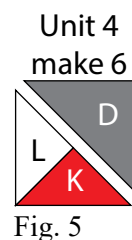
2. Sew (1) 1" x 11 1/2" Fabric C strip to each side of (1) Unit 1 square. Sew (1) 1" x 12 1/2" Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 1 square to make (1) 12 1/2" Block One square (Fig. 2). Repeat to make (6) Block One squares total.



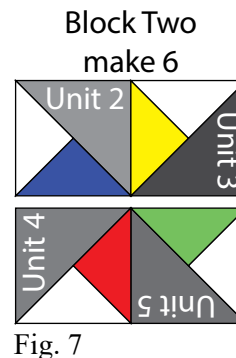
3. Sew together (1) 7 1/4" Fabric L triangle and (1) 7 1/4" Fabric H triangle along short sides. Sew (1) 6 7/8" Fabric E triangle to the long side of the newly sewn triangle to make (1) Unit 2 square (Fig. 3). The unit should measure 6 1/2" square. Repeat to make (6) Unit 2 squares total.



4. Repeat Step 3 and refer to Figures 4-6 for fabric identification, placement and orientation to make (6) Unit 3 squares, (6) Unit 4 squares and (6) Unit 5 squares.



5. Sew (1) Unit 2 square to the left side of (1) Unit 3 square to make the top row. Sew (1) Unit 4 square to the left side of (1) Unit 5 square to make the bottom row. Sew the (2) rows together lengthwise to make (1) 12 1/2" Block Two square (Fig. 7). Repeat to make (6) Block Two squares total.



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- Sew (1) Block One square to each side of (1) Block Two square to make Row One. Repeat to make Row Three.
- Sew (1) Block Two square to each side of (1) Block One square to make Row Two. Repeat to make Row Four.
- Sew together the (4) Rows from Steps 6-7, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the Center Block (Fig. 8).

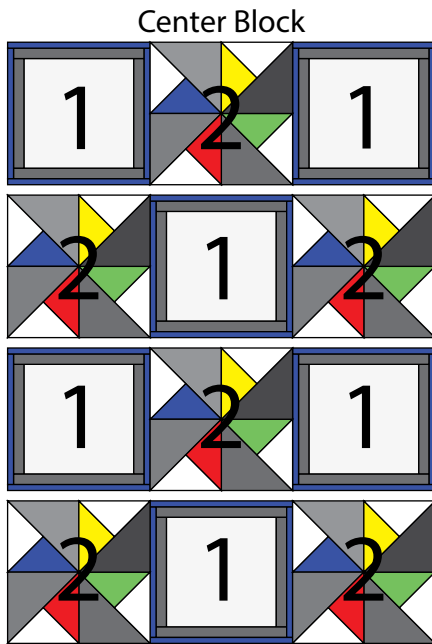


Fig. 8

- Follow Figure 9 and sew together (26) assorted $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " strips lengthwise to make the Left Side Border.
- Follow Figure 10 and sew together (26) assorted $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " strips lengthwise to make the Right Side Border.

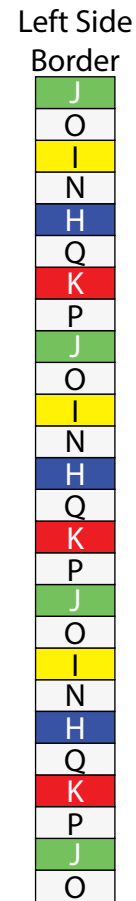


Fig. 9

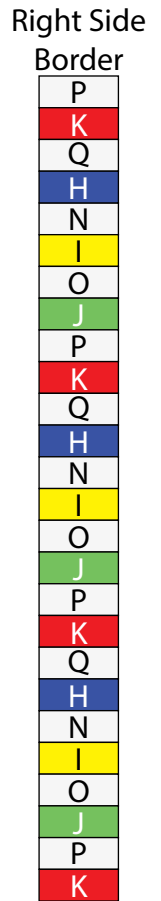


Fig. 10

- Follow Figure 11 below and sew together (20) assorted $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " strips lengthwise. Sew (1) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric M square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Top Border.
- Follow Figure 12 below and sew together (20) assorted $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ " strips lengthwise. Sew (1) $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric M square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Bottom Border.

Top Border



Fig. 11

Bottom Border



Fig. 12

