



Adventure Quilt Quilt Along ... a Road Trip Quilt

General Instructions

Read through all the instructions for each block before beginning. Sew using a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam unless otherwise specified. Seam allowances are built into the cutting directions. All pieces are sewn with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise specified.

Cutting directions are based on fabric 40" wide- adjust quantity as needed to fit your fabrics. Fat Quarter usage is based on fat quarter 17" wide x 20" long. Strips are assumed to be cut along the 20" length of fabric unless otherwise specified.

Fabric requirements for borders allow enough for diagonal piecing. WOF means width of fabric.

The Quilt Along is for 12 weeks. There are 10 different blocks in the quilt. Some blocks have multiple sizes and color-ways. Week 11 and 12 are the filler blocks and the setting.

In the diagrams, we use dotted lines indicate sewing lines and solid lines indicate cutting lines.

Putting the quilt together will require sewing partial seams.

The binding is built into the Fat Quarter fabric amount for a scrappy binding. If you prefer to make your binding out of one fabric, we have listed an optional amount of fabric for binding in the fabric requirements.

Fabric Requirements

Background Fabric:

3 $\frac{3}{8}$ yards- *if you want a little extra wiggle room, get 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards*

Fat Quarters:

You will need a total of 24 Fat Quarters (FQs)

8 green FQs- a range from very dark to very light green

6 blues- 4 in a range from light to dark and then 1 turquoise and 1 teal

3 purples- a range from light to dark

2 reds- a medium red and a darker red

2 golds- a light gold and a darker gold

3 corals- a range from light to dark



Backing:

4 ¾ yards

Binding:

There is enough fabric leftover from the FQs to make a scrappy binding using 2 ¼" strips. If you prefer to use more of the background or another fabric, get ⅝ yard.

Special Tools and Supplies

The only supplies you need to make this quilt, other than your basic quilting supplies such as rotate cutter, mat, ruler, seam ripper, thread, sewing machine, etc.... are paper for paper piecing Block 6 and the Braid Template or template plastic for Block 10.

Here is a list of tools we recommend (and if it is specific for a block, we note that) to make the process easier!

Sewing Guide

Sewing Edge

Best Press or Flatter

Quilter's Magic Wand

Sewline Fabric Pencil or the Clover Chaco Liner

Sandpaper board

Tucker Trimmer or the BlocLok HST ruler or your favorite HST ruler (Block 2)

Paper piecing paper

Add-a-Quarter Plus ruler (Block 6)

Flat Flower head pins

Glue stick

Lightbox (Block 6)

Small Square ruler

8 1/2" x 24 1/2" ruler

Tri Recs ruler OR Creatives Grids Triangle Squared and Perfect Rectangle rulers OR VBlock ruler (Block 9)

Braid Template or template plastic (Block 10)



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The block and setting instructions will be **free for one week only** and then they will be available for sale in the shop section of both of our websites until May 15, 2019. The blocks and setting instructions will only be \$3.00 each.

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