



Rock the Casbah – Before you Begin

Thank you for joining us for our Block's of the Month Rock the Casbah Quilt.



Finished Sizes (does not include borders)

| Hoop Size | Width (inches) | Height (inches) |
|-----------|----------------|-----------------|
| 9" | 54 | 72 |
| 8" | 48 | 64 |
| 7" | 42 | 56 |
| 6" | 36 | 48 |
| 5" | 30 | 40 |



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Requirements

| | 5" blocks | 6" blocks | 7" blocks | 8" blocks | 9" blocks |
|---|------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| White 100% cotton fabric | 1.5m | 2m | 2.7m | 3m | 3.35m |
| Embroiders felt (if you choose to use – but recommended) 150cm wide | 1.2m | 1.4m | 1.6m | 1.7m | 2.2m |
| Wadding (based on 150mm wide) | 1.2m | 1.4m | 1.6m | 1.7m | 2.2m |
| Backing Fabric | 1.5m | 2m | 2.7m | 3m | 3.35m |
| Applique fabric – 4 different colours | Fat quarter each | Fat quarter each | 30cm each | 40cm each | 1/2m each |

- Embroidery Threads – you will need one colour for each different applique fabric plus white for quilting
- Washaway Thread
- Stabiliser (I recommend polymesh for this project, as it is soft and thin, and won't be felt in the finished project)
- Bobbin Fill – you will need lots of this.....
- sharp curved tip scissors for trimming your applique (I recommend the squeeze scissors from Julie Hall Designs)

Preparing your blocks...

Cut your main block fabrics, ready for stitching

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Iron all of your fabrics.

Starch your main 100% cotton fabric with ironing starch

You are now ready to begin your quilt.....