

## GO! Northwoods Medley Holiday Placemats







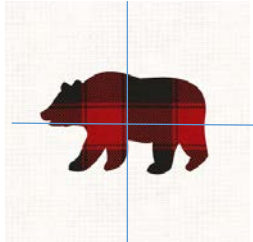
Finished Size 15" x 21"




Pattern makes a set of four placemats



### GO!® Dies Used, Number of Shapes to Cut & Fabric Requirements

\*NOTE: Apply fusible web to the wrong side of asterisked fabrics following manufacturer's instructions before cutting appliqué shapes.

Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
*Red and Green Plaid	   	GO! Northwoods Medley (55483)	Cut 6—6" x 6" squares from each fabric. The die will only cut where the mat is placed. Place the 6" square and mat over only the shape to be cut. To get the shapes in the middle of the fabric square, you will need to fold the 6" square in half and then in half again so there is a crease in the middle going both directions. To center the 6" square over the shape on the die you want to cut, determine where the center of the shape is with a ruler and then mark that spot with painter's tape on the edges and end of the die. You will then be able to line up the creases on the fabric square with the marks on the edges of the die. In cutting the shapes in this manner, you will be cutting an applique shape and a reverse applique shape at the same time. Sub cut 2—red and 2—green bears, 2—red and 2—green moose and 2—red and 2—green trees.	1/4 yard each
	  			

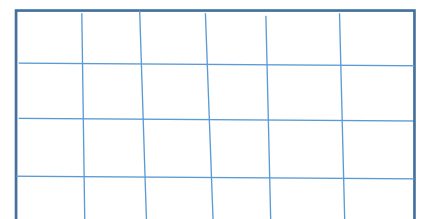
Fabric Color	Shape	GO! Dies Used	Number of Shapes to Cut	Fabric Required
Grey		GO! Strip Cutter-1" (1/2" Finished) (55052)	Cut 8—1" x width of fabric (WOF) strips. Cut strips in half so that they measure approximately 1" x 21."	1/4 yard
White		GO! Strip Cutter-1½" (1" Finished) (55024)	Cut 8—1½" x WOF strips. Cut strips in half so that they measure approximately 1½" x 21".	1/2 yard
Textured Black		GO! Strip Cutter-2½" (2" Finished) (55017 or 55014)	Cut 8—2½" x WOF strips.	2/3 yard

### Additional Fabrics Needed:

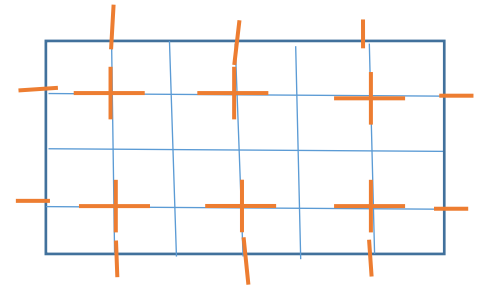
- Background and Backing: White—54" x WOF.
  - 4 background rectangles, cut 2 pieces at 12" x WOF, then cut each of those pieces into 2 rectangles that measure 12" x 18".
  - 4 backing squares, cut 2 pieces at 15" x WOF, then cut each of those pieces into 2 rectangles that measure 15" x 21".
- Fusible batting—30" x 48". Cut into 4 rectangles that measure 15" x 21".
- Fusible web—12" x 42"

### Sewing Directions:

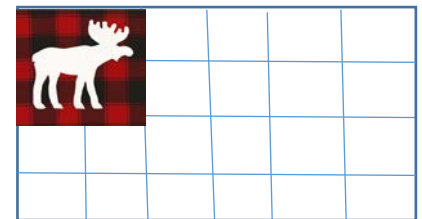
1. Fold the background rectangles in half on the 12" side to make a crease down the middle. Fold along the 18" edge at 6" and 12", from the left side, to section the background rectangle into 6" segments. Fold again along the 12" edge at 3" and 9" by folding the outside edges to meet at the middle crease line.



Fold one more time along the 18" edge at the 3", 9" and 15" from the left side. This will make crease lines in the middle of all (6) 6" boxes on the background rectangle. Your background rectangle will look like the one above with creases in it.



- Use an erasable pen and mark the center intersections of each 6" square and, also, the outside edges that are directly lined up with those intersections like the diagram to the right.
- Appliqué edges as desired. Detailed instructions using machine embroidery are included with the free machine embroidery download found at [www.accuquilt.com/northwoodsmedley55483](http://www.accuquilt.com/northwoodsmedley55483).



- To get the appliqué shapes centered in the 6" squares, hoop a tearaway stabilizer in the appropriate sized hoop. Next float the background rectangle on top of the hooped stabilizer and use the marks made in step 2 to center one of the 6" squares in your embroidery hoop.

- Continue fusing shapes onto the background rectangle as shown. 2 red and 1 green reverse appliqué or 2 green and 1 red reverse appliqué shape on each placemat.



- When finished with the machine appliqué, your background rectangle will look like the diagram to the right. Make four of these.
- Square up your placemat to 12" x 18". Add grey inner border strips to the top and bottom of each placemat. Then add grey border strips to the sides. Add white border strips to the top and bottom of each placemat. Then then add white border strips to the sides.



8. Fuse the batting to the wrong side of the backing fabric. Pin the placemat top to the other side of the batting and quilt as desired. Trim the placemat top, batting, and backing to approximately 15" x 21".
9. Bind the placemats with the 2½" strips.

