

The Very Hungry Caterpillar - Alphabet

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Light Blue Version

White Version

Dark Blue Version

My ABC's Quilt designed by: **Heidi Pridemore**
Quilt Size: **38" x 58"** • Skill Level: **Advanced Beginner**



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 Quilt designed by Heidi Pridemore of The Whimsical Workshop

Quilt finished 38" x 58"

Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus 1/4" seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

- Fabric A** Fussy cut (1) 22 1/2" x 42 1/2" rectangle, centered on the panel.
- Fabric B** Cut (3) 6 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (14) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (56) 6 1/4" triangles. Cut (2) 2 1/2" x 42 1/2" WOF strips, piece as needed. Cut (2) 2 1/2" x 26 1/2" WOF strips. Cut (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2" x 55 1/2" strips. Cut (2) 2" x 38 1/2" WOF strips.
- Fabric C** Cut (1) 5 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 5 1/2" squares.
- Fabric D** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (6) 6 1/4" triangles.*
- Fabric E** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (3) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (12) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (6) 6 1/4" triangles due to the directional fabric.*
- Fabric F** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (5) 6 1/4" triangles.*

Fabric Requirements

| | | Yardage | Fabric |
|---|-----------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Fabric A (Light Blue Version) | center | 1 panel | 480-T |
| Fabric A (White Version) | center | 1 panel | 480-L |
| Fabric A (Dark Blue Version) | center | 1 panel | 480-B |
| Fabric B | blocks, borders | 1 1/3 yards | CS-10-Cottonball** |
| Fabric C | border | 1/4 yard | P0260-3474-M* |
| Fabric D | blocks | 1/4 yard | CS-10-Redwood** |
| Fabric E | blocks | 1/4 yard | P0260-3476-R* |
| Fabric F | blocks | 1/4 yard | CS-10-Carrot** |
| Fabric G | blocks | 1/4 yard | P0260-3476-Y* |
| Fabric H | blocks | 1/4 yard | CS-10-Sunshine** |
| Fabric I | blocks | 1/4 yard | P0260-3476-G* |
| Fabric J | blocks | 1/4 yard | CS-10-Water** |
| Fabric K | blocks | 1/4 yard | P0260-3476-B* |
| Fabric L | blocks | 1/4 yard | CS-10-Lilac** |
| Fabric M | blocks | 1/4 yard | P0260-3476-P* |
| Binding | | 1/2 yard | 7915-X* |
| Backing | | 3 3/4 yards | 8239-X* |

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- Fabric G** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (3) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (12) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (5) 6 1/4" triangles due to the directional fabric.*
- Fabric H** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (5) 6 1/4" triangles.*
- Fabric I** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (3) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (12) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (5) 6 1/4" triangles due to the directional fabric.*
- Fabric J** Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (6) 6 1/4" triangles.*

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Cutting Directions - Continued

Fabric K Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (3) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (12) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (6) 6 1/4" triangles due to the directional fabric.*

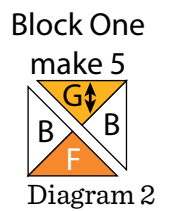
Fabric L Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (8) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (6) 6 1/4" triangles.*

Fabric M Cut (1) 6 1/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (3) 6 1/4" squares. Cut the squares across both diagonals to make (12) 6 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will use (6) 6 1/4" triangles due to the directional fabric.*

Binding Cut (5) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the binding.

Backing Cut (2) 66" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make (1) 46" x 66" backing.

2. Follow Diagram 2 and sew together (2) 6 1/4" Fabric B triangles, (1) 6 1/4" Fabric G triangle and (1) 6 1/4" Fabric F triangle to make (1) 5 1/2" Block One square. Repeat to make (5) Block One squares total.

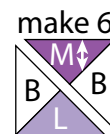


3. Repeat Step 2 and refer to Diagrams 3-6 for fabric identification, placement and orientation to make (6) Block Two squares, (6) Block Three squares, (6) Block Four squares and (5) Block Five squares.

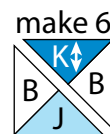
Block Two



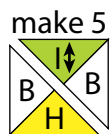
Block Three



Block Four



Block Five



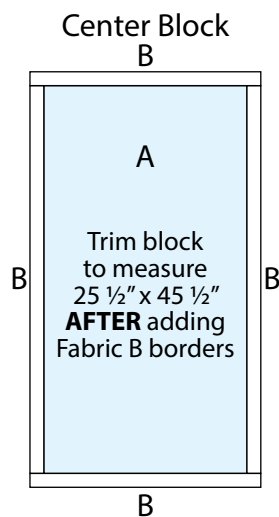
4. Refer to Diagram 7 and sew together (9) assorted Blocks to make the Left Side Border.

5. Refer to Diagram 8 and sew together (9) assorted Blocks to make the Right Side Border.

Making the Quilt

1. Block Assembly

Sew (1) 2 1/2" x 42 1/2" Fabric B strip to each side of the 22 1/2" x 42 1/2" Fabric A rectangle. Sew (1) 2 1/2" x 26 1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A rectangle to make the Center Block (Diagram 1). **Trim the block to measure 25 1/2" x 45 1/2"**.



Left Side
Border



Diagram 7

Right Side
Border



Diagram 8

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- Refer to Diagram 9 and sew together (5) assorted Blocks. Sew (1) 5 1/2" Fabric C square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Top Border.



Diagram 9

- Refer to Diagram 10 and sew together (5) assorted Blocks. Sew (1) 5 1/2" Fabric C square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Bottom Border.



Diagram 10

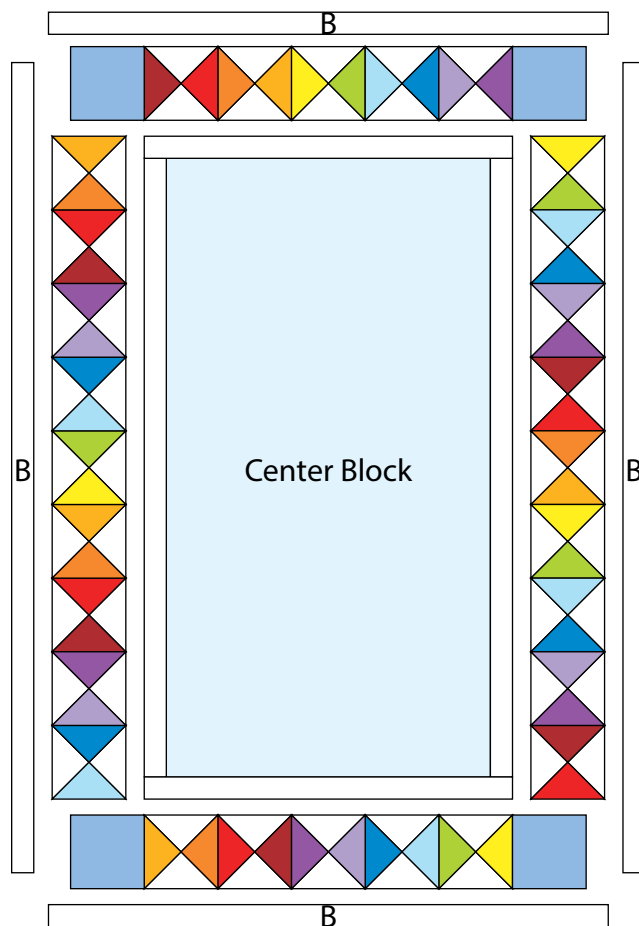
Quilt Top Assembly

(Refer to the Quilt Layout when assembling the quilt top.)

- Sew the Left Side Border and the Right Side Border to the left and to the right sides of the Center Block.
- Sew the Top and Bottom Borders to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- Sew (1) 2" x 55 1/2" Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2" x 38 1/2" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

Finishing the Quilt

- Layer and quilt as desired.
- Sew the (5) binding strips together, end to end with a 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
- Bind as desired.



Quilt Layout

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480-B 1 panel



480-L 1 panel



480-T 1 panel



7915-X* 1/2 yd
(includes binding)



8239-X* 3 3/4 yds
(includes backing)



PO260-3474-M* 1/4 yd



PO260-3476-B* 1/4 yd



PO260-3476-G* 1/4 yd



PO260-3476-P* 1/4 yd



PO260-3476-R* 1/4 yd



PO260-3476-Y* 1/4 yd



CS-10-Carrot** 1/4 yd



CS-10-Cottonball** 1 1/3 yds



CS-10-Lilac** 1/4 yd



CS-10-Redwood** 1/4 yd



CS-10-Sunshine** 1/4 yd



CS-10-Water** 1/4 yd

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