

Stars and Stripes Quilt



FEATURING
KALEIDOSCOPE &
CONFETTI COTTONS IN
CRAYOLA™ COLORS

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STARS AND STRIPES QUILT INSTRUCTIONS

Finished Quilt Size is approximately – 43" x 55"

Please read **ALL** instructions before beginning project. Because seam allowances vary, measure through center of quilt before cutting border pieces.

Please check our website www.rileyblakedesigns.com for any revisions before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting techniques and terminology. Quilt and block diagrams portrayed are virtual images. Layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric.

QUILT FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

One Crayola™ 4th of July Fat Quarter Box
or one Fat Quarter of the following:
CR480-Crayola™ Kaleidoscope Mahogany
CR480-Crayola™ Kaleidoscope Navy Niblet
CR480-Crayola™ Kaleidoscope Midnight Blue
CR480-Crayola™ Kaleidoscope Wild Blue Yonder
CR480-Crayola™ Kaleidoscope Granite
C120-Crayola™ Mahogany Solid
C120-Crayola™ Right-on Red Solid
C120-Crayola™ Navy Niblet Solid
C120-Crayola™ Pacific Blue Solid
C120-Crayola™ Blizzard Blue Solid
1 Yard C120-Crayola™ Space Shuttle White
5/8 Yard CR480-Crayola™ Kaleidoscope Navy Niblet for binding

HELP ALONG THE WAY

Fabric quantities are for 41"/42" wide, 100% cotton fabrics.

All seams are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.

RST = Right-Sides-Together

WSoF = Wrong Side of Fabric

FQ = Fat Quarter

LoFQ = Length of Fat Quarter

HST = Half Square Triangle

Identify fabric cuts, as shown in **Fabric and Cutting Requirements Table-Page 5**, with alphabet-pins or sticky-notes when cutting for ease in placement..

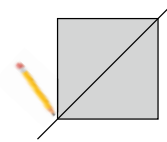
PRIOR to cutting any fabric (FQ or yardage) review cutting diagrams shown on **Fabric and Cutting Requirements Table-Page 3**, as there is little waste.

Press seams to darkest side, unless otherwise noted.

FABRIC AND BLOCK PREP

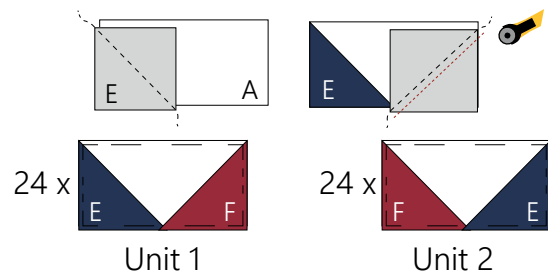
Flying Geese:

- Using a pencil, draw a line across diagonal on **WSoF** on 48 Mahogany Kaleidoscope and 48 Navy Niblet Solid squares.



- Lay rectangle A with right-side-facing up. With RST align square E, on left side of rectangle. Match sides/corners. Stitch needle width to outside of drawn line. Flip inside corner to outside. Press. Leave seam allowances intact for now.
- Place square F on opposite side of rectangle; repeat process. Leave seam allowances intact and square block to unfinished size (2" x 3 1/2"). Press.
- After pressing, open "wings" and trim seam allowances to 1/4".

Note: A total of 48 flying geese are required; 24 with square E as the left wing (Unit 1) and 24 with square F as the left wing (Unit 2). Set aside.



- Add a square B to each side of Unit 1 flying geese. Set flying geese aside. Twenty-four units are needed. Set aside.



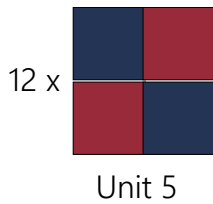
Four Patch:

- Create twelve 4-Patch units by first sewing a square E to a Fabric F. Repeat. Twenty-four units are needed.



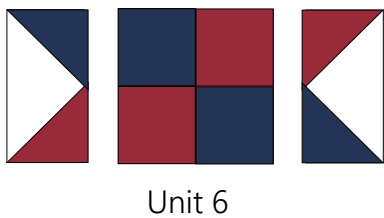
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1. Flip half of the units (12). Sew two units together with square E and square F on opposite corners. Twelve units are needed.

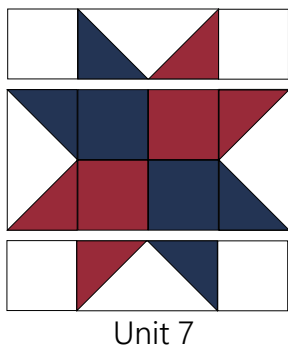


Star Unit for Block Center:

1. Sew Unit 2 to each side of Unit 5, making sure "like" fabrics are aligned.

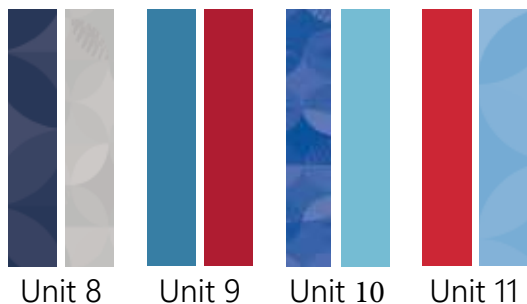


2. Sew Unit 3 to top and bottom of above Unit 6. Again, make sure "like" fabrics are aligned.



Block Strip Sets:

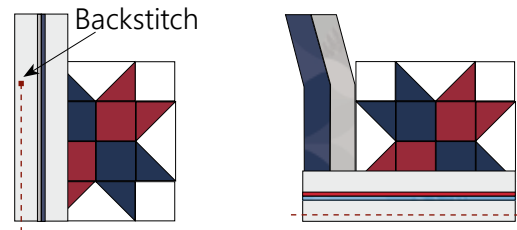
1. Sew N strip to I strip, L strip J strip, a G strip M strip and K strip to H strip. Twelve sets of each combination are needed.



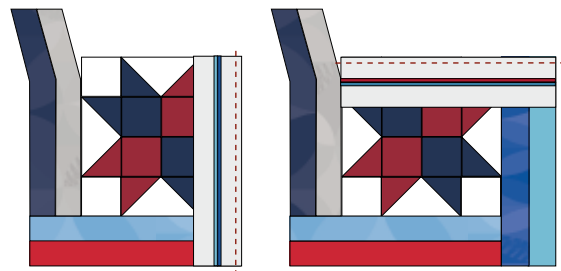
Completing the Block:

Sewing the strips to Unit 7 will require a partial seam. Diagrams start with left side and work clockwise.

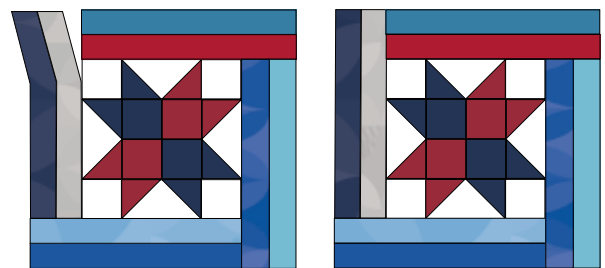
1. Align Unit 8 to left-side bottom-corner of star Unit 7. Stitch seam to within 2" of end of star unit. Backstitch to secure. Open and press seam toward strip.
2. Add Unit 9 to bottom of star unit. Sew across entire strip. Open and press seam toward strip.



3. Add Unit 10 to right-side of star unit. Again, sew across entire strip. Open and press seam toward strip.
4. Sew Unit 11 to top of star unit. Sew across entire strip. Open and press seam toward strip.



5. Complete block by sewing seam, on Unit 8, from backstitch to end of strip. Square-up block to 12 1/2" x 12 1/2"

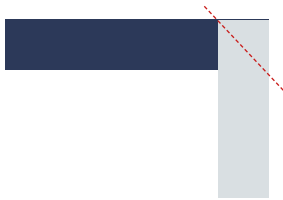


Note: A total of twelve blocks are needed. After completing all blocks, use picture of quilt to align rows. Rows are complete by turning blocks (on each row) 90 degrees. Start first row with blocks in color order shown above. Second row, turn original block 90 degrees and add two additional blocks. Repeat for row three and four.

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PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER

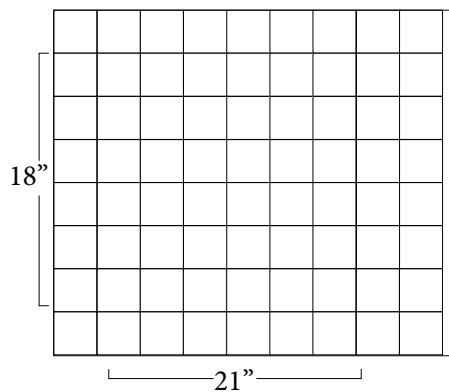
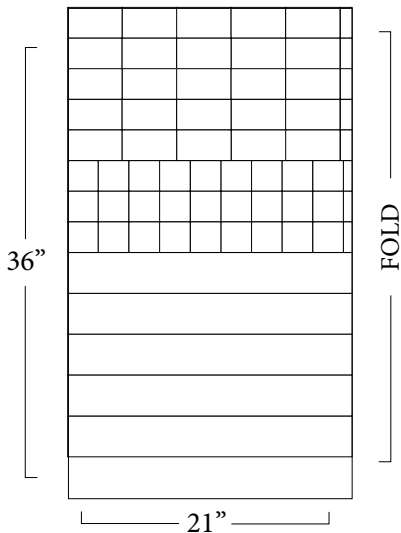
1. Sew blocks together in each row. Press seams in opposite directions on each row so that seams nest together when sewing rows together.
2. Sew Row 1 to Row 2 and Row 3 to Row 4.
3. Sew units together. Press.
4. Measure through center of top vertically. This will be the measurement of side borders. Cut side borders to measurement and sew to sides of quilt.
5. Measure through center of quilt top horizontally. This will be the measurement for top and bottom borders. Cut top/bottom borders to this measurement.
6. Sew borders to top and bottom of quilt top.
7. Quilt. Trim excess batting and backing.
8. Sew binding strips together end to end on diagonal. Trim seams to 1/4" seam allowance. Press seams to one side.



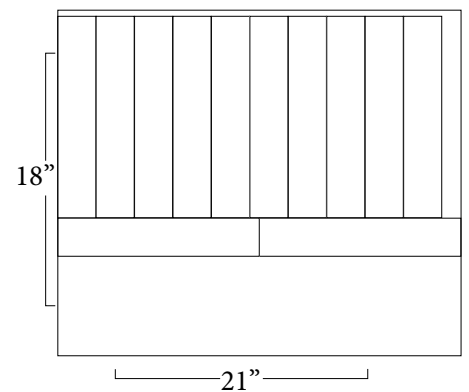
9. Fold binding in-half. Press. Sew binding around quilt, mitering corners. Stitch binding closed.
10. Enjoy!

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Fabric Image	SKU	Yardage	Description	Quantity & Size		
	CR120 Crayola Space Shuttle White *Cut eight 2" x WoF strips; sub-cut three strips into 48 - 2" x 2" squares and five strips into 48 - 2" x 3 1/2" rectangles. *Cut five 3 1/2" x WoF strips for borders, sew strips together and, for accuracy, measure quilt top prior to cutting	1 Yard	Background	A	48	2" x 3 1/2"
				B	48	2" x 2"
				C	2	3 1/2" x 48 1/2"
				D	2	3 1/2" x 42 1/2"
	CR120 - Navy Niblet Solid	FQ	Star**	E	72	2" x 2"
	CR480 -Kaleidoscope Mahogany	FQ	Star**	F	72	2" x 2"
	CR480-Kaleidoscope Midnight Blue	FQ	Blocks***	G	12	2" x 9 1/2" (from each Fat Quarter)
	CR480-Kaleidoscope Wild Blue Yonder			H		
	CR480-Kaleidoscope Granite			I		
	CR120-Mahogany Solid			J		
	CR120-Right-on Red			K		
	CR120-Pacific Blue Solid			L		
	CR120-Blizzard Blue Solid			M		
	CR480-Kaleidoscope Navy Niblet			N		
				5/8 Yard		



**Star Cutting Diagram



***Block Strip Cutting Diagram

*Background Cutting Diagram