

The Phoebe Foundation Charity Bee Sew-A-Long

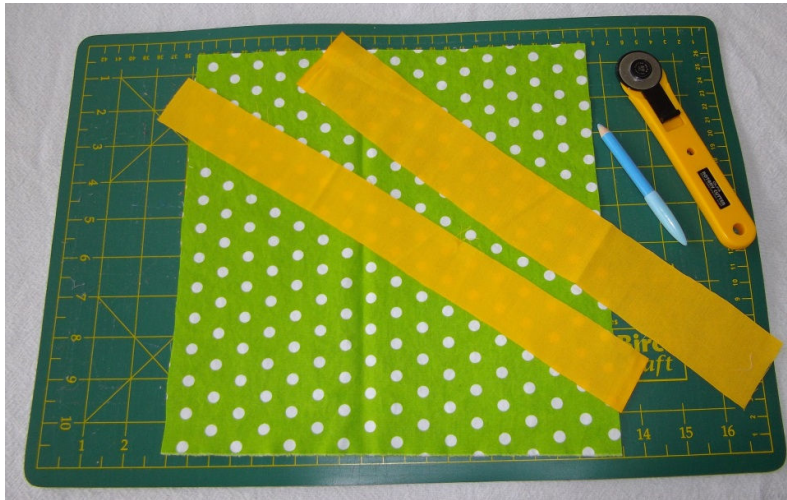
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Guidelines:

All seam allowances are $\frac{1}{4}$ ".

These blocks will be incorporated into quilts for children under long term hospital care and/or palliative care, so think bright and cheery! Solids, stripes, polka dots are all great and simple choices for your blocks.

It's important to use fabric that does not include any FOOD or DRINK related items, as children in the hospital are often under fluid and dietary restrictions and reminders of these items can be distressing.



1. Start with a 10.5" square of fabric, and two contrasting strips of fabric measuring 12" long by 1.5" to 2.5 " wide.
2. Lay the 10.5" square onto your cutting mat and make one wonky vertical cut, dividing the square into two halves, one left and one right.



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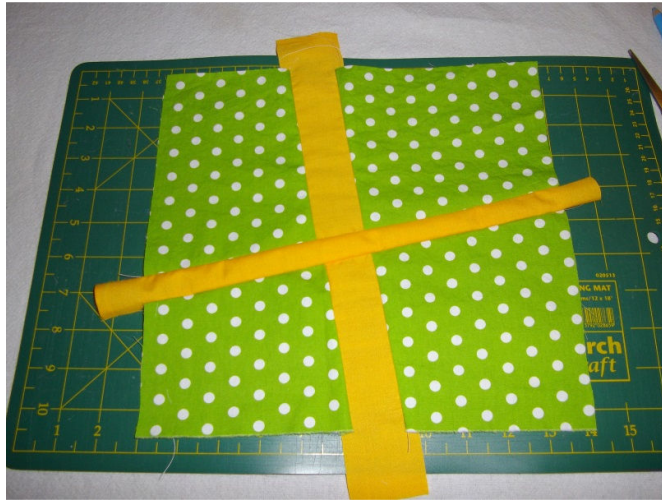
3. Place your strip of contrasting fabric between the left and right halves. Right sides facing, sew the two halves to the contrasting strip one at a time. It should look like the one in the example above.



4. Lay your fabric square again onto your cutting mat and make a horizontal wonky cut, this time through the center of the square. Sew the two halves to the contrasting strip, right sides facing one at a time.

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5. Trim the contrasting strip ends so that they are even with the block.
6. Press
7. Trim the square so that it measures 10.5"
8. Stand back and admire your work!

Thank you to all that participated in this very special charity bee!

xx Julia, The Phoebe Foundation

Please mail completed blocks or fabric donations to:

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