## Part Thirteen: Borders \& Sashing

## Sampler Quilt Beginner Quilt Class 2023

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Quilt Size: 53" x 41"<br>Block Size: 9" (finished size in quilt)<br>Cornerstones: 3" (finished)<br>Sashing: 3" x 12" (finished)


"Sashing" ( $3.5 "$ x 9.5" unfinished)
"Cornerstones" ( 3.5 " x 3.5" unfinished block size)
Make (20) Cornerstones

Fabric Requirements for the Quilt:
Background (Light blue): $1-1 / 4$ yards Bright blue: 1/8 yard
Medium pink (B): $1 / 2$ yard Backing: 2 yards

Medium blue (A): 1/8 yard Light pink: 3/8 yard Dark pink: $1 / 8$ yard Binding: $1 / 2$ yard

Make (31) Sashing strips


Medium blue (B): 7/8 yard Medium pink (A): 7/8 yard

Batting: Approx. $60 " \times 45 "$

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## Cutting:

Always substitute the color of fabrics you plan to use for those listed below.
Light Blue background: (80) 1.5" squares; (31) 1.5" x $9.5 "$ rectangles
Medium Blue: (80) $1.5 "$ squares; (62) $1.5 "$ x $9.5 "$ rectangles
Dark Pink: (20) 1.5 " squares
Medium Pink: Outside border (2) $1.5 " \times 51.5 "$ strips; (2) $1.5 " \times 41.5 "$ strips
Cornerstones: ( 3.5 " x 3.5 " unfinished) Make 20
Sashing: (3.5" x 9.5" unfinished) Make 31
Directions: (PRESS ALL SEAM ALLOWANCES TO THE DARK AS YOU SEW.)

1. Strip sets for sashing; Sew 1.5 " WOF strips of Light Blue Background between (2) Medium Blue 1.5" WOF strips. Sub-cut those Strip sets into $9.5 "$ sections for the
 sashings. Those strip sets should measure $3.5 "$ x 9.5."
2. Make as many strip sets as necessary from your stash to acquire a total of (31) $3.5 " \times 9.5 "$ sets. Press SA to the dark.
3. Construct a 9-patch with (4) Lt. blue background $1.5 "$ squares, (4) Med blue $1.5 "$ squares \& (1) Dark Pink 1.5 " square. Make (20) Cornerstones. Press to the dark SA. Cornerstones should measure 3.5 " square.
4. 



Cornerstone/Sashing Rows: Now sew (4) Cornerstone blocks \& (3) Sashing strips together as shown in diagram.
5. Make a total of (5) of those Cornerstone/Sashing Rows.
6.


Sashing/Block Rows: Now sew (4) Sashing strips with (3) Sampler Blocks (as shown in diagram). Have fun deciding where you'd like each of your sampler blocks placed within the quilt!
7. Make a total of (4) Sashing/Block Rows using your Sashing strips and Sampler blocks.
8. Now, simply sew those Cornerstone/Sashing Rows with your Sashing/Block Rows to create the quilt center.
9. Outside Borders: First sew the (2) longer 1.5 " x 51.5 " Medium Pink borders to the sides of the quilt center. Then, sew the last (2) shorter 1.5 " x 41.5 " Medium Pink borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.
10. Congratulations! Your Sampler Quilt is ready to be pressed, quilted, bound \& labeled!!

NOTE: Larger OUTSIDE Border; in the video you saw that I used an ADDITIONAL 3.5" border on the outside of my quilt. You'll need approximately $3 / 4$ yard of fabric for this additional border. I cut (6) 4 " WOF cuts from my fabric; pieced them together \& then sub-cut them for the length and the width of the quilt. I pressed the SA to the dark!

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