

Miniature Quilting Supplies Quilt

This quilt is designed for paper piecing. If you wish to use traditional piecing, trace each numbered section and add $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowances.

Follow the numbers for the order in which to piece the pieces. Once all sections have been completed, put sections together in alphabetical order. The gray area around each section is the seam allowance. Match sides with like number of arrows.

Note: arrows indicate the sides to put together. The arrows may not match.

Feel free to add embellishments!

Month 1 – Due at February Meeting Ruler

Fabric suggestions: Use 3 fabrics. One each for the heart, background and ruler

Finishing suggestions: Use a pigma pen (permanent ink) or embroidery for the ruler markings.

Month 2 – Due at March Meeting Needle

Fabric suggestions: Use a solid or subtle print for the background.

Finishing suggestions: Use a pigma pen (permanent ink) or embroidery to add thread running through the eye of the needle.

Month 3 – Due at April Meeting Button Jar

Finishing suggestions: Sew buttons onto block to "fill" the jar, or draw them in using a pigma pen.

Month 4 – Due at May Meeting Quilt Inspector (Cat)

Fabric suggestions: Two possibilities:

1. The cat is sitting on a quilt. Use one fabric for the background above the cat. Use another fabric for the "quilt" under the cat.
2. The cat is looking out the window. Use a nature print or sky fabric for the window. Use a 2nd fabric for the ledge the cat is sitting on.

Finishing suggestions: Draw or embroider whiskers. If the cat is on the quilt, facial features can be drawn or embroidered.

Month 5 – Due at June Meeting Rotary Cutter

Finishing suggestions: If you don't want to appliqué the small circles for the nut, use a button instead.

Month 6 – Due at July Meeting Sewing Basket

Fabric suggestions: Use a "basket weave" fabric for the basket. Put several different fabrics "in" the basket (sections 2 & 4 on pieces B & C).

Month 7 – Due at August Meeting Thimble

Fabric suggestions: Use the same fabrics for section 1 in piece A, section 6 in piece B and section 2 in pieces C & D. Alternate 2 fabrics for the decorative ring formed by sections 1-5 in piece B.

Month 8 – Due at September Meeting Pincushion

Fabric suggestions: Traditional choices would be red for the "tomato" section 1 in pieces B & C, and green for the "stem" piece 4 in pieces B & C and section 1 in piece A.

Finishing suggestions: Use a pigma pen or embroidery to add some pins to the pincushion.

Month 9 – Due at October Meeting Quilt Shop

Finishing suggestions: Use a pigma pen to make a sign over the door.

Month 10 – Due at November Meeting Scissors

Fabric suggestions: The scissors are cutting fabric. Section 2 in piece C and section 7 in piece E are the fabric.

Finishing suggestions: Pieces G & H are background fabric. Appliqué them to the finished block. Piece F is the screw holding the scissors together. You may appliqué it to the block or sew a button in its place.

Month 11 – Due at December Meeting Buttons

Fabric suggestions: Make each "button" out of a different fabric.

Finishing suggestions: Use a pigma pen or embroidery to add button holes or loops.

Month 12 – Due at January ²⁰²² Meeting Sewing Machine

Fabric suggestions: Use a contrasting fabric for section 4 on piece A – if you want your machine to be sewing fabric.

Finishing suggestions: Use a pigma pen or embroidery to add a "needle" to the sewing machine. If you're really brave you can also "thread" the machine.