# 2024 CHRISTMAS SEW-ALONG Part 1- Materials List

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A QUILT PATTERN BY ANTONIE ALEXANDER

#### **BEFORE THE FUN BEGINS**

- Please read all instructions before you begin.
- WOF (width of fabric) = 42/44in (112cm).
- USA Fat Quarter = 18in x 21in (46cm x 54cm).
- USA Fat Eighth = 9in x 21in (23cm x 54cm).
- Pre-washed 100% cotton fabrics are recommended. Fabric requirements may differ from person to person due to differing fabric widths, plus individual sewing and cutting methods. If in doubt, it is a good idea to purchase a little extra fabric.
- 1/4in seam allowances are used throughout unless otherwise stated. Press all seams towards the darker fabric or in the direction that creates the least bulk.
- Use the photograph and quilt diagrams as a guide to colour choices and the layout of the project throughout.
- To ensure the templates print to scale, please set your print options to "No Scaling" or "Print at 100%". Look for the option in the print menu that says "Auto-Centre" and tick this box. This will centre your pattern on the print page and should fix any unnecessary cropping of text and templates. Please use the 1in square (provided on the template page/s) to ensure you have printed the templates to scale.
- For appliqué patterns, fusible webbing requirements will vary greatly between products and projects making it difficult to estimate the exact amount needed for each project. I recommend purchasing 2-3 yards/metres to begin with.
- All appliqué and quilt templates are provided at their full size and are reversed where necessary for your convenience. Some templates may be split into two or more sections and will need to be joined to make the complete shape.
- I recommend using an appliqué mat with all but the most simple appliqué shapes.
- Our patterns are proof-read and made by our lovely testers, but sometimes an error will slip by us. If you find an error, please let us know so we can correct it.
- This design plus its instructions, diagrams and templates are protected by copyright. The instructions and information contained in this pattern are given in good faith, but no guarantee is given as we have no control over the techniques and materials used.
- This pattern is not intended to replace a class.

## BUTTONS

- I like to use buttons on my projects but they aren't suitable for children under three years of age because they are a choking hazard. Replace buttons with appliqué or embroidery when you are making the project.
- Safety eyes are available from all good craft stores. Please remember to follow the manufacturer's instructions and age guidelines.

### BASIC STITCH GUIDE













Backstitch

Chain Stitch

Running Stitch Blanket Stitch

Cross Stitch

Satin Stitch

French Knot

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#### MATERIALS LIST - 2024 CHRISTMAS SEW-ALONG

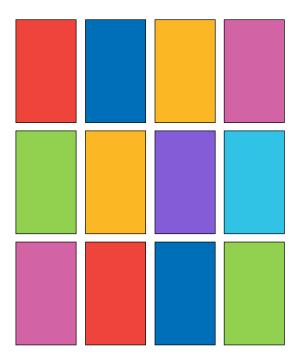
#### FINISHED SIZE 45 1/2in x 52 1/2in (116cm x 134cm)

The finished size of the project is subject to small changes.

The materials list provided below is approximate only. You will be advised of any further materials required as we sew along.

Supplement the fabrics in the materials list with fabrics from your stash to add visual interest to your quilt. Use the photographs, illustrations, and diagrams as a guide to colour choices throughout the sew-along. Choose an assortment of solid and print fabrics. I used small tonal print fabrics for the background blocks.

- 3/4 yard (70cm) in total of an assortment of soft white small print fabrics for the sashing strips and border.
- A total of (12) fat eighths in the following colours for the background blocks and borders:
  (2) red, (2) green, (2) blue, (2) pink, (2) yellow, (1) purple, and (1) aqua fat eighth.
- Assorted scraps in a variety of colours for the appliqué and border.
- Complimentary backing fabric to suit the project.
- A piece of batting (wadding) measuring at least 51 1/2in x 58 1/2in (135cm x 150cm).
- Lightweight fusible webbing.
- Appliqué mat or Teflon sheet (optional, but highly recommended).
- Thread to suit your preferred appliqué stitching method.
- General sewing supplies.



Colour Layout for the 2024 Christmas Sew-Along.