

Trick or Treat Quilt-a-long Lap Quilt Setting Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

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Mix and match the thirteen blocks for this Trick or Treat Quilt. This lap quilt setting uses 12 of the thirteen blocks. Fabric requirements listed below are for the setting only. See the Overview for the project for fabric requirements for this setting and the thirteen blocks.



Fabrics Needed:



Fabric A - Moda Marbles Gray 988012

Fabric B - Moda Monster Bash Sandy Solids Pumpkin 7521 522

Fabric C - Moda Marbles Cosmos 9881 33

Fabric H - Moda Crackle Black 574661

Fabric I - Moda Happy Howloween Purple 1955516

Fabric Q - Moda Origins Grunge Vanilla 3015091

Backing

Binding

5/8 yard

3/8 yard

3/8 yard

1/4 yard straight cut

Fat quarter

1 yard

3 yards

1/2 yard

Materials Needed:

Legacy™ by Pellon® Eco-Cotton Blend Batting

1 1/2 yards

Supplies Needed:

Sewing machine and related supplies

Rotary cutter and related supplies

Ruler with 60° lines on it

Optional: Marti Mitchell™ 60° triangle - Ruler™ 2" - 6"

Cutting and Assembly Instructions

Sashing

Fabric B Cut thirty-one 2" x 9-1/2" rectangles

Cornerstones

Fabric I Cut twenty 2" squares

First Border

Fabric H Cut two 1-1/2" x 34-1/4" strips.
Cut two 1-1/2" x 16-1/4" strips.
Cut two 1" x 35-1/2" strips.

Second Border (Candy Corn Border)

Fabric A Cut four 3-1/8" x 5-7/8" rectangles
Cut twenty-eight 5" x 5-7/8" rectangles
Fabric B Cut four 2-1/2" strips
Fabric C Cut four 1-3/4" strips
Fabric I Cut four 4-7/8" squares
Fabric Q Cut four 1-3/4" strips

Place blocks in a pleasing layout. The layout is three blocks across and four blocks down.

Place one 2" x 9-1/2" fabric B sashing rectangle on each side of the three blocks in each row. Stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seams toward the sashing.

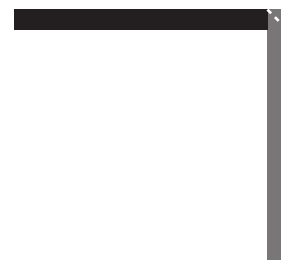


Make five rows of cornerstones and sashing rectangles.

Starting with one 2" fabric I square, alternate with one 2" x 9-1/2" sashing rectangle across the row, ending with a 2" fabric I square. Stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seams toward the sashing rectangles. Each row will have four fabric I squares and three fabric B rectangles.



Place one 1-1/2" x 34" fabric H strip right sides together with one 1-1/2" x 16" fabric H strip having the strips at 90°. Draw a line diagonally across the top strip. Stitch on that line. Cut seam allowance to 1/4". Press strip and cut it exactly 44" long.



Repeat with remaining 1-1/2" x 34" fabric H strip and the 1-1/2" x 16" fabric H strip. Set aside.

Sew the rows of cornerstones/sashing and the rows of sashing/blocks together using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seams open.



Sew one 1-1/2" x 44" fabric H strip on each side of the quilt using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press the seams toward the borders. Piece the 44" strip if necessary.

Sew one 1" x 35-1/2" fabric H strip on the top and one on the bottom of the quilt using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press the seams toward the borders.



Place one fabric B 2-1/2" strip right sides together with one fabric C 1-3/4" strip. Sew using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward fabric B strip. Place one fabric Q 1-3/4" strip on the other side of the fabric B strip. Sew using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward fabric B strip. Strips will measure 5" across.

Repeat three more times.

Cut these candy corn strips into 5-7/8" inch pieces.

Place one 5" x 5-7/8" candy corn rectangle on the table. Place a ruler with a 60° line on the fabric C 5-7/8" edge aligning the 60° line with the raw edge. The edge of the ruler should align with the corner of the candy corn rectangle. Cut along the line as shown.

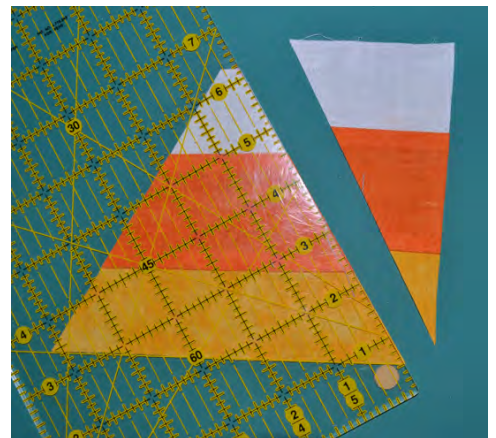
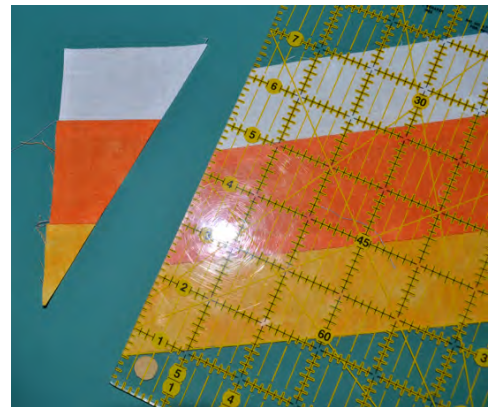
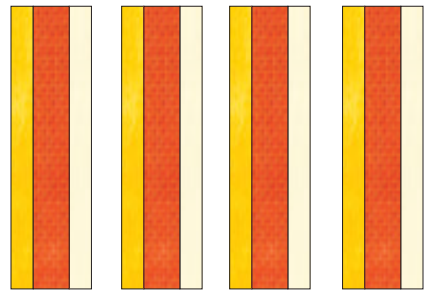
Flip the ruler 60° line in the opposite direction and align with the raw edge and corner of the rectangle. Cut along the line as shown.

Repeat for all thirty-two candy corn rectangles.

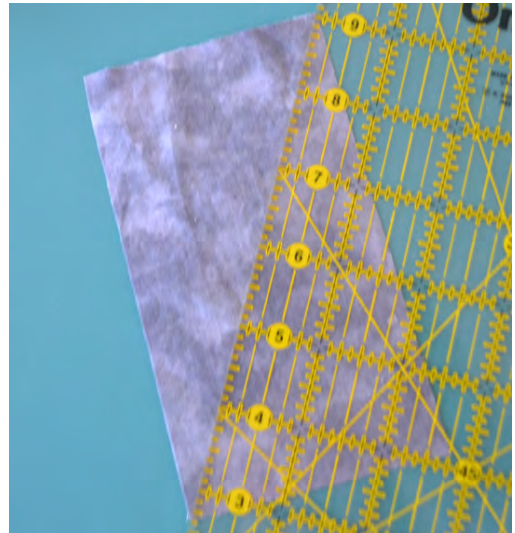
Repeat for all twenty-eight fabric A 5" x 5-7/8" rectangles.

Optional: The 60° lines can be cut using Marti Michell™ 60° Triangle-Ruler™ 2"-6" as shown.

Align the top edge of the ruler with the raw edge of the fabric Q strip and center the ruler on the candy corn rectangle so both sides are completely equal. Cut as shown.



Place one 3-1/8" x 5-7/8" fabric A rectangle on the table. Cut in half diagonally as shown. Repeat for the remaining 3-1/8" x 5-7/8" fabric A rectangles.



Place one candy corn triangle right sides together with one fabric A triangle. The small flat top of the triangles should be in opposite directions. Stitch one side using a 1/4" seam allowance.



Press seam toward the fabric A triangle.



Place the next candy corn triangle on the other side of the fabric A triangle, matching 1/4" points. See below for hints on making perfect matches with triangles.

After matching triangle points, stitch the seam using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward fabric A triangles.

Repeat adding triangles and make two rows of nine candy corn triangles/eight fabric A triangles and two rows of seven candy corn triangles/six fabric A triangles.



Matching Points on Triangles Made Easy

Use a ruler and place a short line on the wrong side of the fabric on the 1/4" line in both directions at the point of a triangle.



This step is particularly important for the eight right triangles at the end of the border rows.



Place the two pieces together, aligning the triangle points by pushing a pin through the exact spot where the two lines cross and matching it up with the center of the X on the other piece.



After completing all four rows of the candy corn border, add the fabric A right triangles to both ends of each row, orienting them in the same direction as the other fabric A triangles.

Press seams toward fabric A triangles.



Place one fabric I 4-7/8" square on each end of the seven candy corn triangle rows. Stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward the fabric I square.



Place one nine candy corn triangle border strip on each side of the quilt right sides together and aligning the fabric C raw edge with the quilt edge. Stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward the first border.



Place one seven candy corn triangle border strip on the top and on the bottom of the quilt, right sides together and aligning the fabric C raw edge with the quilt edge. Stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Press seam toward the first border.



Piece backing. Layer quilt backing, batting and quilt top. Quilt as desired. Bind quilt.

Trick or Treat Mini Quilt has an excellent front to back binding tutorial if needed.