

October Fall Star

Finished size: 12" block

Materials needed:

Light blue print fabric for the background, medium gold, and dark red print fabrics (or colors of your choice).
Suggestion: for the center square consider using a focus fabric instead of the medium gold center (see photo)

Light blue print background fabric – 1 fat quarter (18" x 20"):

Cut **1** 5-1/4" square. Cut this square in half diagonally in both directions to make 4 quarter square triangles.

Cut **1** 4-1/2" strip, from this strip, cut **4** 4-1/2" squares

Medium gold fabric – 6" x 11" strip:

Cut **1** 5-1/4" square. Cut this square in half diagonally in both directions to make 4 quarter square triangles.

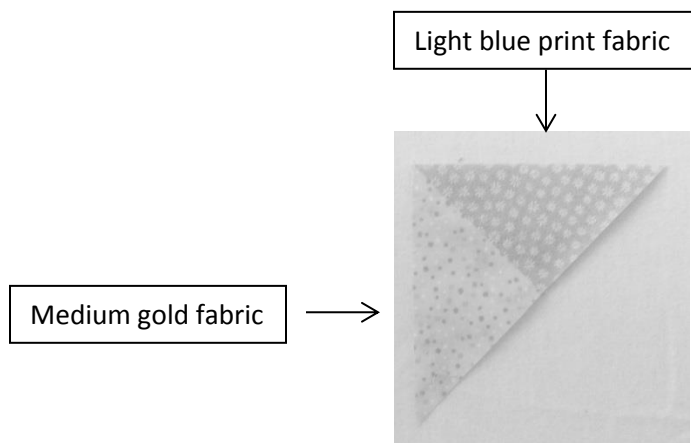
Cut **1** 4-1/2" square for the center of the block.

Dark red fabric – 6" x 11" strip:

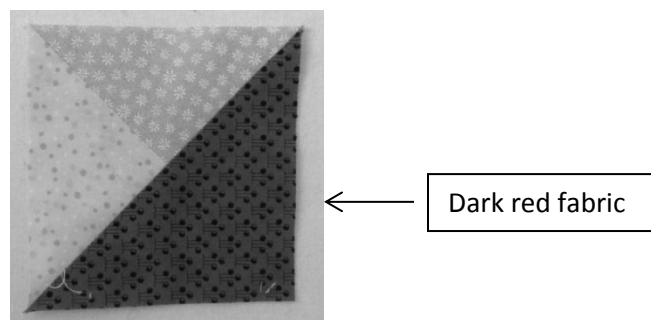
Cut **2** 4-7/8" squares. Cut squares in half diagonally to make 4 half square triangles.

Assembly:

Take one light blue print triangle and one medium gold triangle, place right sides together and sew together with the medium gold triangle on the left and the light blue print on the right (see below). Press seam towards the medium gold fabric.



Sew the medium gold and light blue print fabrics onto the long edge of the dark red triangle. Press seams towards the dark red fabric. Trim dog ears. Makes 4 star points.

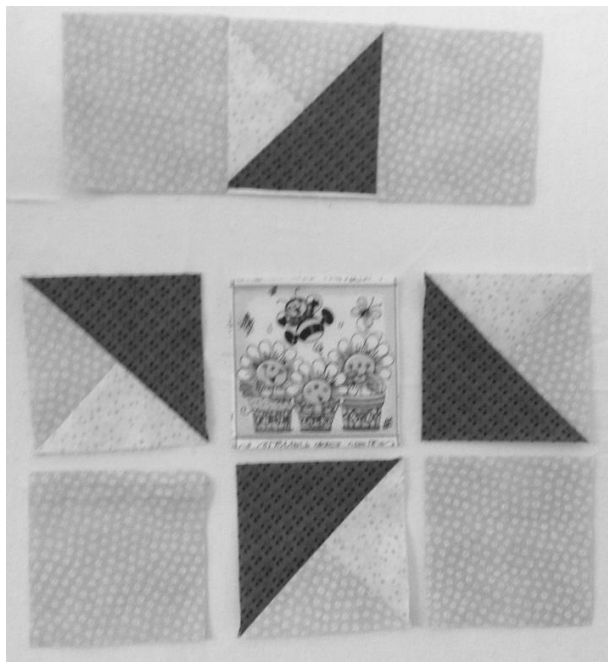


Referring to the picture below:

Row 1: Sew together a light blue print 4-1/2" square to a star point to a light blue print 4-1/2" square, press seams towards the star point.

Row 2: Sew together a star point to the 4-1/2" center square to a star point, press seams towards the star points.

Row 3: Sew together a light blue print 4-1/2" square to a star point to a light blue print 4-1/2" square, press seams towards the star point.



Row 1

Row 2

Row 3

Press seams towards the star points.

Sew all 3 rows together.

Finished block:

