# Blockheads Round 4 Setting Option for (25) 9" blocks 72" x 72" 

## Fabric Requirements

(these requirements are in addition to the fabrics needed to complete the blocks)
3 yards of gray fabric
$13 / 4$ yards of white fabric
$41 / 2$ yards of backing fabric
$2 / 3$ yard binding fabric
$80^{\prime \prime} \times 80^{\prime \prime}$ piece of batting

## Cutting Instructions



Corey has provided a YouTube tutorial for this setting on her YouTube Channel.
In addition to showing how to piece the blocks in the setting, the video provides additional pressing tips for the quarter square triangles that will increase your accuracy.

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## block assembly

RST=right sides together
use a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance
read through all instructions before beginning
press as illustrated by the arrows

## Quarter Square Triangle Sashing

1. Mark a diagonal line across the back of a background (A) square. Layer an (A) square right sides together with a gray (E) square. Sew $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ away from each side of the marked line.

Cut the units apart on the drawn line. You will have two half square triangles.

Do not worry about trimming these up just yet.

2. Mark a diagonal line on the back of one of the half square triangles, perpendicular to the seam.

Nesting the seams, layer the two half square triangles together and sew $1 / 4$ " away from both sides of the marked line.

Cut the units apart on the drawn line. You will have two quarter square triangles.


After completing step 2, make sure to visit Corey's "Moda Blockheads Layout Pressing" video for pressing tips that will provide you with perfectly nested seams in step 4.
3. Trim the quarter square triangles to 5 " square. The center point of each quarter square triangle will be at $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

Repeat steps 1-3 to make a total of 80 quarter square triangles.
4. Sew the quarter square triangles together in pairs. Make 40 pairs. Each pair will measure $5^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.


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## Outer Border Blocks

1. Draw a diagonal line across the back of one gray (B) square. Place the (B) square RST on the corner of a background (F) rectangle.

Orient the diagonal as illustrated. Sew on the marked line. Press away from the center.
Make sure all raw edges align. Trim out the bottom two layers leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.

2. Repeat step 1 on the opposite corner as illustrated. Press this seam toward the center.

The completed flying geese unit will measure $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{\prime \prime}$.

Repeat to make 40 flying geese units.

3. Sew the flying geese units together in pairs. Make 20 flying geese pairs.

Each pair will measure $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

4. Sew a gray (C) rectangle to the top of each flying geese pair. The outer border block will measure $5^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.

Make 20 outer border blocks.


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## quilt center

use $1 / 4$ " seam allowances and press as indicated by arrows.
Sew the quilt together as indicated below.


## finishing

Baste the quilt top, batting, and backing fabric together using your preferred method.
Quilt as desired.

Bind using the $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ prepared binding.

For tips on machine binding, visit Corey's machine binding tutorial on her YouTube channel.

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