Mini Ninja

designed by Robert Kaufman Fabrics

FREE PATTERN

featuring I AM NINJA by ILLUSTRATION INK!

This quilt is a digital rendering. Actual fabric placement will vary.

35" x 40"

Pattern will be available to download free directly from Robert Kaufman Fabrics' website beginning March 2013
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Quilt approximate size 35" x 40"

All border strip length measurements are approximate. Please measure your quilt top before cutting the length of each border.

Fabric Requirements

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Cutting Instructions

Fabric A
- Fussy cut two Pagoda strips 18 ½" wide x 6" high
- Fussy cut two Yin-yang columns 4" wide x 22" high
- Fussy cut two Sun & Word squares 8" x 8"
- Fussy cut eight Ninja squares 6" x 6"

Fabric B**
- Cut four 3" x WOF strips
- Sub cut into two 3" x 22" and two 3" x 27"
- Cut two 1 ½" x WOF strip
- Sub cut into eight 1 ½" x 6" strips
- Cut two 2" x WOF strips
- Sub cut into two 2" x 27" and four 2" x 6"
- Cut two 2" x WOF strips
- Sub cut into two 2" x 22" and four 2" x 8" strips

Fabric C**
- Cut one 2" x WOF strips
- Sub cut into two 2" x 9" and four 2" x 6"
- Cut two 3" x WOF strips
- Sub cut into two 3" x 22" and two 3" x 9"

Fabric D
- Cut (5) 2 ½" x WOF strips for binding

**On the kanji fabric, no additional yardage is required if you want all of the kanji the same direction. Do not cut WOF strips. Lay out and plan your cutting accordingly.

Assembly Instructions:

1) Sew together two 2" x 6" fabric B strips, two 2" x 6" Fabric C strips, two 6" Fabric A squares and one 18-1/2" x 6" Fabric A strip to make the top block border (Fig. 1). Repeat to make the bottom block border.

   ![Fig. 1](image1)

2) Sew one 3" x 22" Fabric B strip to each side of one 4" x 22" Fabric A strip to make the left pieced side border (Fig. 2)

3) Sew one 3" x 22" Fabric C strip to each side of one 4" x 22" Fabric A strip to make the right pieced side border (Fig. 3)

   ![Fig. 2](image2)  ![Fig. 3](image3)
4) Sew one 1 1/2" x 6" Fabric B strip to each side of one 6" x 6" Fabric A square. Repeat to make four framed Fabric A squares total (Fig. 4).
5) Follow Figure 5 to sew together two framed Fabric A squares, two 2" x 8" Fabric B strips and one 8" Fabric A square to make the left center strip.
6) Follow Figure 6 to sew together two framed Fabric A squares, two 2" x 8" Fabric B strips and one 8" Fabric A square to make the right center strip.

**Quilt Top Assembly (Refer to Figure 7 while assembling)**

7) Sew one 2" x 9" Fabric C strip to the right side of one 2" x 27" Fabric B strip to make one narrow sashing strip. Repeat to make a second narrow sashing strip.
8) Sew one 3" x 9" Fabric C strip to the right side of one 3" x 27" Fabric B strip to make one wide sashing strip. Repeat to make a second wide sashing strip.
9) Sew together the two pieced side borders, left center strip and right center strip to make the middle section of the quilt.
10) Sew together the narrow sashing strips, wide sashing strips, top block border, bottom block border and middle section of the quilt to make the quilt top.
11) Layer and Quilt as desired
12) Sew the five 2-1/2" x 42" Fabric D strips together end-to-end with 45° seams to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
13) Bind as desired.