

Mystic Kitty Library

Quilt Designed by eQuilter



71" x 59"

Skill Level: Confident Beginner**Finished Quilt Size:** 86" x 74"*Please read all instructions before beginning. Pre-washing NOT recommended.*

Yardages and Cutting

WOF is width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. Remove as little fabric as possible when removing selvages and squaring strip ends.

1 yard Mystic Kitty Library Panel

- Trim panel to 40 1/2" x 28 1/2".

1 yard map print

- Fussy-cut (4) 8 1/2" squares, centering a sun motif in each.

1 yard book print

- 2 strips 5" x WOF; trim to (2) strips 5" x 37 1/2".
- 3 strips 5" x WOF.

1 yard pale cream pages

- 4 strips 3 1/2" x WOF; trim to 2 strips each 31 1/2" and 37 1/2".
- 5 strips 3 1/2" x WOF.

1 yard brown texture

- 4 strips 2" x WOF; trim to 2 strips each 40 1/2" and 31 1/2" for panel framing.
- 7 strips 3 1/2" x WOF for outer border.

3/4 yard teal texture

- 7 strips 2 1/4" x WOF for binding.

4 1/2 yards of 44/45" backing fabric

- 2 strips 74" x WOF

OR

2 1/4 yards wide backing fabric

- 1 piece 86" x 74"

Batting

- 1 piece 86" x 74"

Completing the Quilt

Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press seams as directed.

1. Sew the (2) 2" x 40 1/2" brown strips to the top and bottom of the library panel. Press seams toward the strips. Stitch the (2) 2" x 31 1/2" strips to the sides. Press seams toward the strips.
2. Sew the (5) 3 1/2" x WOF cream pages strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 4 strips 3 1/2" x 49 1/2".
3. Stitch the (2) 3 1/2" x 31 1/2" cream pages strips to the sides of the framed square and (2) 3 1/2" x 49 1/2" strips to the top and bottom to complete the 49 1/2" x 37 1/2" quilt center. Press seams toward the strips.
4. Sew the (3) 5" x WOF book print strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips 5" x 49 1/2".
5. Sew a 3 1/2" x 37 1/2" cream pages strip to the edge of the 5" x 37 1/2" book print strip to complete (2) 8 1/2" x 37 1/2" side border strips. Press seams toward the book strips. Repeat with the remaining (2) 3 1/2" x 49 1/2" cream pages strips and the 5" x 49 1/2" book print strips to complete (2) 8 1/2" x 49 1/2" top/bottom strips.
6. Stitch the side border strips to the sides of the quilt center. Press seams toward the strips.
7. Stitch sun motif squares to the ends of the top/bottom border strips. Press seams toward the border strips. Stitch the pieced strips to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press seams toward the strips.
8. Sew the (7) 3 1/2" x WOF brown strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips each 53 1/2" and 71 1/2". Sew the shorter strips to the sides of the quilt center and the longer strips to the top and bottom to complete the top. Press seams toward the strips.
9. If using 44/45" backing fabric, remove the selvage edges from the backing pieces. Join the pieces on the long edges with a 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam open. Trim to make the 86" x 74" backing piece.

10. Layer the quilt top with the backing and batting pieces. Quilt as desired. Trim batting and backing even with the top.

11. Join the teal texture binding strips on the short ends with diagonal seams to make a long strip. Press seams open. Press the strip in half along the length with wrong sides together.

12. Bind the quilt edges using your favorite method to complete the quilt.

