

Four Block Brick Quilt, Child to Teen

Five different prints are used, 4 for the blocks and 1 for the border.

Fabric #1 – Cut fifteen 4 ½” x 8 ½” blocks [½ yard fabric]

Fabric #2 – Cut ten 4 ½” x 8 ½” blocks [¼ yard fabric]

Fabric #3 – Cut ten 4 ½” x 8 ½” blocks [¼ yard fabric]

Fabric #4 – Cut ten 4 ½” x 4 ½” blocks [¼ yard fabric]

Border, Fabric #5 – 2/3 yard – Cut four 4 ½” strips

Backing – 42/44” x 50 “

Batting – 45” x 50”

Teen – cut 20

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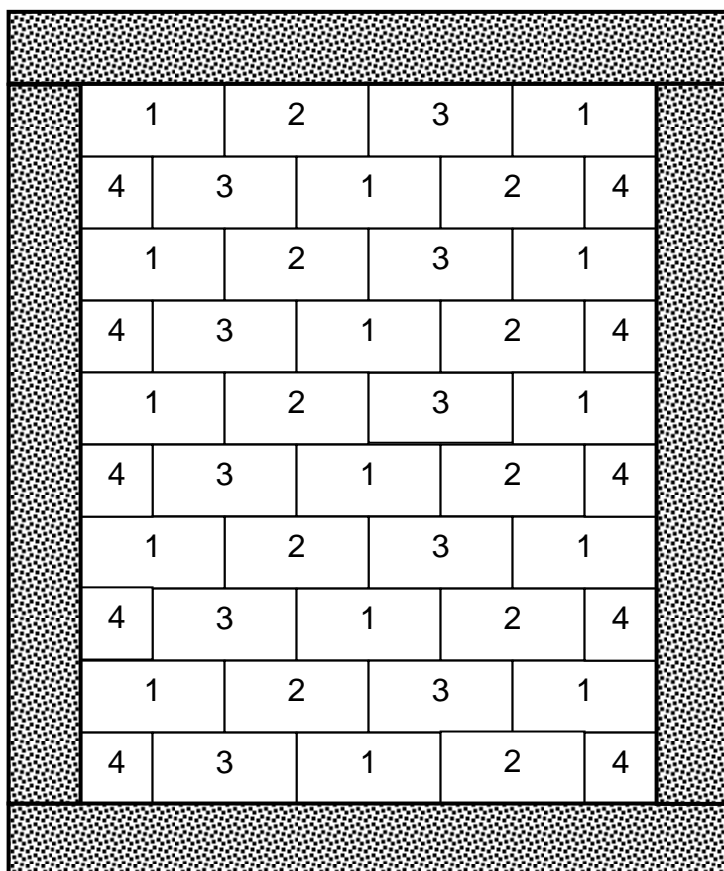
Teen – cut 12

Teen – cut 5 strips

Teen – 42/44” x 62”

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Sew each row in the order shown. First row will be even numbered, all with 8 ½” strips. Second row will be odd numbered with first and last block being 4 ½” x 4 ½” squares. Continue until you have all 10 rows sewn together. Press seams, using ease of construction. Add side borders, then top and bottom borders. Trim and press seams to outside.



This blanket can be finished using the traditional method, which uses a binding, or the 'envelope' method, which uses no binding. Quilt or tie at least every 3 ½ to 4 inches. Quilting in the ditch looks nice and reinforces the blanket. Quilting ½” around the outside edges gives a more finished look when using the 'envelope' method.

Finished CHILD size is approximately 40” x 48”.

Tip:
Consistent sizes
require sewing
using ¼” seams.

Teen size: Rows 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13: sew 4 rectangles together.

Rows 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12: sew 3 rectangles together and add a square [fabric #4] to each end.

Note: Teen size may require slightly more fabric.

Side borders may have to be pieced with a 5th strip if not long enough. Sew side borders on first, add top and bottom last. Finished TEEN size is approximately 40” x 60”.

*Fabric requirements and cutting instructions are included for those wishing to make this pattern at home.