



## 4.5 inch I SPY QUILT

Finishes 40 x 51

(no cornerstones)

We use this pattern for I spy quilts with 4.5 inch squares because the sashing helps unite the diversity

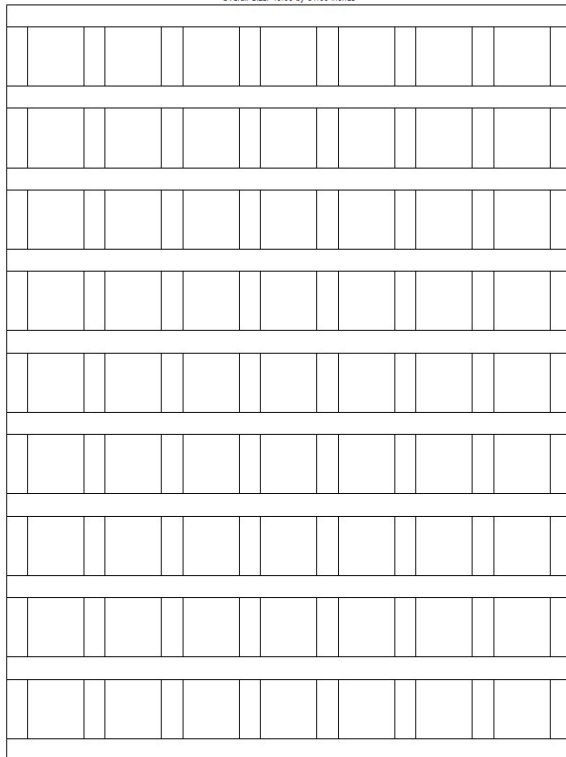
### Approximate Yardage:

sashing: 1yard

If making all squares the same fabric instead of using fussy cut designs for I spy: 7/8 yard

4.5 inch I spy with sashing - no cornerstones

Overall Size: 40.00 by 51.00 inches



**CUTTING:** Sashing is cut 2 inches wide. Cut 10 strips 40.5 x 2 for horizontal sashing. (no cornerstones) Cut 8 more strips 2 inches wide and then Cut these strips into 72 pieces 4.5 x 2 for vertical sashing

Center blocks are 4.5" squares. You need 63. If using all one fabric, you can cut 7 strips 4.5 inches wide and then cut those into 9 squares each. We fussy-cut fabric into I spy squares.

**SEWING:** We recommend laying out all the blocks to see that they are well arranged before you sew.

Be careful about directional prints. Sew vertical sashing in rows to I spy squares. The vertical sashing is the short strips and should be sewn to the sides of the print. It should look like this: all prints facing the same way and short strips on the sides of the prints.



Then sew in the long strips for horizontal sashing. You will need to take some care to align the vertical sashing so that the columns look straight after sewing.