

Bricks and Squares Teen and Child

Four different prints are used, 2 for the bricks, 1 for the blocks and 1 for the border.

TEEN SIZE (40"x 56")

Fabric #1 – Cut twelve 4½" x 8½" blocks

Fabric #2 – Cut twelve 4½" x 8½" blocks

Fabric #3 – Cut twelve 8½" x 8½" blocks

Border, Fabric #4:

Cut 5 strips, 4½" x width of fabric

Backing – 42/44" x 60 - 62"

Batting – 45" x 60"

Sew brick 1 to brick 2 as shown to make 12 – 8½" x 8½" segments; press. Sew the 12 segments and 12 blocks into rows as shown. Press seams, using ease of construction. Add side borders (piece with 5th border strip). Press and trim seams to outside. Add top and bottom borders. Press and trim.

CHILD SIZE (40"x 48")

Fabric #1 – Cut ten 4½" x 8½" blocks

Fabric #2 – Cut ten 4½" x 8½" blocks

Fabric #3 – Cut ten 8½" x 8½" blocks

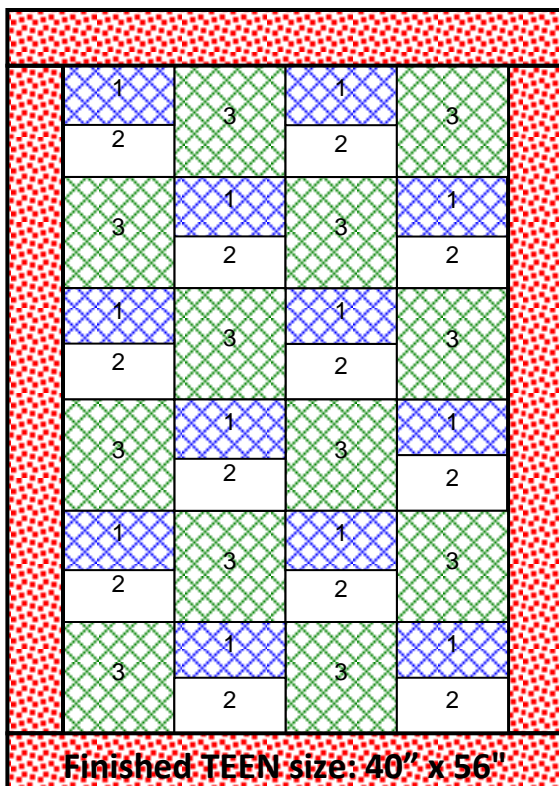
Border, Fabric #4:

Cut 4 strips, 4½" x width of fabric

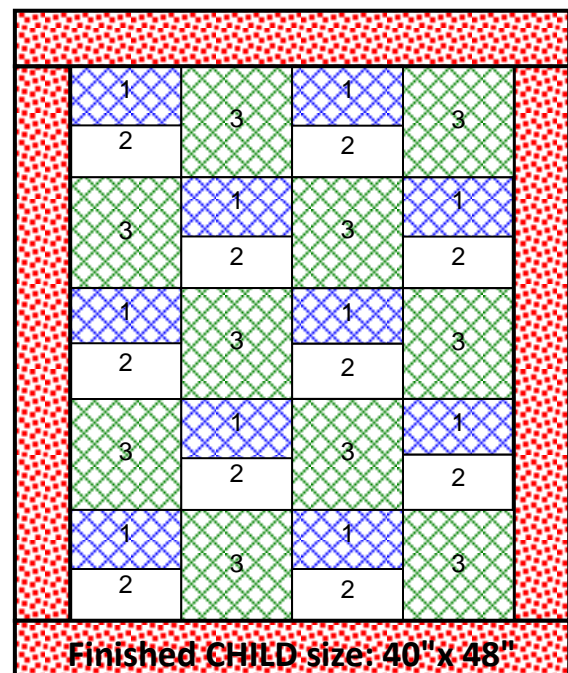
Backing – 42/44" x 52 – 54"

Batting – 45" x 52"

Sew brick 1 to brick 2 as shown to make 10 – 8½" x 8½" segments; press. Sew the 10 segments and 10 blocks into rows as shown. Press seams, using ease of construction. Add side borders. Press and trim seams to outside. Add top and bottom borders. Press and trim.



Tip: Consistent sizes require sewing using ¼" seams.



Blankets can be finished with binding or using the 'envelope' method (no binding). Quilt or tie at least every 3½ 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.