

Adding Borders

Plain Borders – Use these instructions for the Inner Border and the Outer Border.

- 1. Sew all of the strips for the border together, end-to-end, into one log piece. Press the seams open.
- 2. Measure through the center of the quilt from top to bottom. Use this measurement to cut two strips for the sides of the border.
- 3. Pin and sew these strips to the long sides of the quilt top, easing the edge of the quilt to fit the quilt and help it lie flat. Press the seam allowances to the border strip.
- 4. Measure side-to-side across the center of the quilt top, including the newly added border.
- 5. Use this measurement to cut two more strips for the top and bottom of the border.
- 6. Pin and sew these strips to the top and bottom of the quilt. Ease the edges of the quilt to fit the border strips. Press the seam allowances to the borders.

Finishing your quilt

- 1. Prepare you backing, batting and binding for finishing your quilt.
- 2. Sandwich your quilt with the Quilt top, batting and backing then pin. Quilt as desired.
- 3. Square up your quilt.
- 4. Add the binding. Magic Binding Tutorial

Mystery Solved!



** This ends Clue #6 **