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NAME: Bloomsbury Cupcake

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Bloomsbury ~ Collection by Franny & Jane.

Bloomsbury was made with Cupcake Recipe 2

Fabric Requirements:

1 - Bloomsbury Charm Pack

1 - Charm Pack + $\frac{1}{4}$ yard for background and border **or** $\frac{7}{8}$ yard of background

1 FQ for binding

$\frac{3}{4}$ yard for backing

Prints:

- Blocks - Select 25 print charm squares for the half-triangle squares.

Background:

- Blocks - Select 25 background charm squares for the blocks **or** cut 4 strips from the yardage - 5" x 42" wof. From the strips, cut 25 squares - 5" x 5".
- Borders - Cut 4 strips - 2" x 42" wof.

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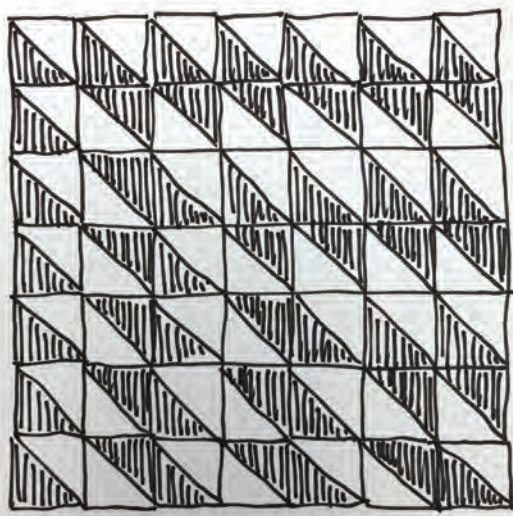
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Assembly: After stitching the recipe cards - all seams are a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ ".

Layer 1 Print and 1 Background square - 5" x 5" - with right sides together. Make 25 pairs. Pin the Recipe 2 paper on top of the lighter fabric and stitch on the dotted lines - stitch 25 recipe cards. Cut the grid apart on the solid lines. Press the seams to the darker fabric with paper still on. Remove paper. Trim the points on the half-triangle squares!

Bloomsbury was made using four quarter-blocks - color placement can be planned or random.



To make one quarter-block. Select 49 HTSs. Lay them out in seven rows of seven HTSs each - paying attention to the placement. (It's easy to get one or more turned around... ask me how I know.)

Using a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance, join the HTSs to make a row. Press the seams in one direction, alternating the direction of the seams on alternating rows. Or press the seams open.

Join the rows to complete the quarter-block. Press the seams in one direction - or press them open.

The quarter-block will now measure - 11" x 11". Repeat to make four.

Assembling the Top. Lay out the four quarter-blocks. Join them to make two rows. Depending on how you've pressed the seams, it might be necessary to re-press some seams. Press the single seam in one direction - or press it open.

Join the two halves to complete the quilt top. Re-press as necessary. Press the middle seam in one direction - or press it open. The quilt top will now measure 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Cutting the Borders: From the 2" x 42" wof strips, cut the following:

- Side borders: Cut 2 strips - 2" x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".
- Top & bottom borders: Cut 2 strips - 2" x 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Using a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance, attach the 2" x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips to the sides of the quilt top. Press the seams toward the border.

Using a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance, attach the 2" x 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top. Press the seams toward the border.

Quilt and bind as desired.