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## Month 2

### Step 1: Cut Fabrics 1 & 2 for the Foundations

#### *Fabric 1.*

Cut six strips measuring 4½" x WOF. From the strips, cut 36 pieces measuring 3" and 36 pieces measuring 3¾".

(If piecing by hand, use Template Q/Qr to cut 36 regular and 36 reversed. To cut a reversed patch, simply flip the template marked side down on the fabric; alternatively place two strips RST or WST to cut a regular and a reversed at the same time.)

#### *Fabric 2.*

Cut one strip measuring 4½" x WOF. From the strip, cut 6 pieces measuring 3" and 6 pieces measuring 3¾". (If piecing by hand, use Template Q/Qr to cut six regular and six reversed.) The remaining fabric will be used in a future month.

### Step 2: Make the Foundations

Follow the instructions on Page 17 to copy the foundation masters. When sewing the foundations, use a smaller stitch length.

Securely pin an N-piece (made in Month 1) on the wrong (unprinted) side of one of the foundations, covering the shaded area. (The patch and the shaded area should be same size.)

Place a smaller Fabric 1 patch on the pinned patch, right sides together, aligning the raw edges near the seam line. Make sure the patch is positioned so that when sewn, the full area of Position ② will be covered and the fabric will extend beyond the seam line separating it from Position ③. Pin in place.

Working from the printed side of the paper, stitch along the sewing line dividing Template N from Position ②. Flip the patch over and press. Trim the Fabric 1 patch ¼" beyond the solid sewing line between Positions ② and ③.

Repeat the process using a larger Fabric 1 patch to cover Position ③. Press. Trim the fabric and paper along the outer solid line. Do not remove the paper at this time.

Repeat to make 36 using Fabric 1 and six using Fabric 2.



#### **Video Lesson**

*Jinny demonstrates some of the techniques used this month at:*

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