



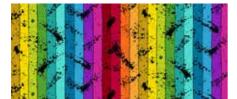


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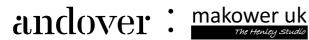




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## **Alphabet Soup Quilt**

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Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: **AND Z** by Kim Schaefer Quilt designed by Kim Schaefer

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What a cool and colorful way to teach the alphabet. Bright juvenile prints, including stripes, prints with everyday objects and animals, little stars, and abstract circles add to the fun. The printed alphabet patches already include their eye-popping frames, so piecing is easy-peasy.

#### **Cutting Directions**

**Note:** Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include ½" seam allowances. A fat ½ is a 9" x 20"-22" cut of fabric. Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus ½" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fabric A	Fussy-cut (23) alphabet blocks 5½" x 5½				
	Fussy cut (1) "and" patch 5½" x 11½"				

Fabric B	Cut (2) side borders 4½" x 79½", cut lengthwise			
	(cut first)			
Cut (2) top/bottom borders $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 60	Cut (2) top/bottom borders $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x $60\frac{1}{2}$ ",			
	cut crosswise and pieced			

Fabric C	Cut (16) sashes $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ", cut crosswise	
	Cut (68) rectangles 1½" x 5½"	
	Cut (2) strips 2" x 5½"	
	Cut (146) rectangles 1½" x 2½"	

Fabric D	Cut (6) strips $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF pieced to make the following:
	$2 \text{ side borders } 2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $69\frac{1}{2}$ "
	$2 \text{ t/b borders } 2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $46\frac{1}{2}$ "

Fabric E	Cut (7) strips $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF pieced to make the following:
	$2 \text{ side borders } 3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $73\frac{1}{2}$ "
	$2 \text{ t/b borders } 3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $52\frac{1}{2}$ "

Fabric F	Cut (6) strips 11/2" x WOF pieced to make the following:
	$2$ side borders $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $67\frac{1}{2}$ "
	$2 t/b$ borders $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $42\frac{1}{2}$ "

Fabric G	Cut (8) strips 2½" x WOF for binding
	Cut (12) squares 21/2"

13 Fat ½s	From each: Cut (12-13) squares 2½"				
	(172 squares total, including Fabric G squares)				

Backing	Cut (2) panels 34" x 95", pieced to fit quilt to					
	with overlap on all sides					

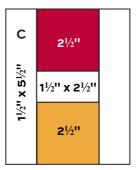
#### **Fabric Requirements**

		Yarda	ıge	Fabric
Fabric A	setting	1 pane	el (¾ yard)	8560-K
Fabric B	border 4	2½ ya	rds	8561-K
Fabric C	sash, setti	ng 2 yard	S	8562-X
Fabric D	border 2	½ yar	d	8563-K
Fabric E	border 3	3/4 yar	d	8564-K
Fabric F	border 1	3/8 yaro	d	8537-K
Fabric G	binding	3/4 yaro	d	8537-T1
13 Fat ½s	setting	Fat 1/8	Fat 1/8 yd each	
	*8565-T	8565-Y	8583-B	8583-O
	8583-P	8537-G1	8537-G2	8537-G4
	8537-P1	8537-R	8537-Y1	8537-Y2
*Backing		5½ yards		8565-T

#### **Making the Quilt**

1. Referring to the diagram, choose 2 bright 2½" squares for each Sash Unit.

Join the squares with Fabric C strips as shown. Make 34 Sash Units.



Sash Unit - Make 34

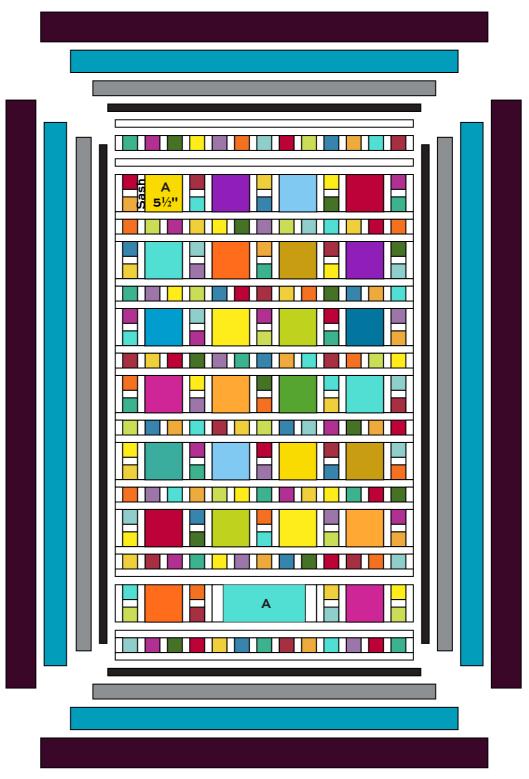
- 2. Referring to the Quilt Diagram, join 13 bright 2½" squares with 14 Fabric C 1½" x 2½" strips to make a pieced sash. Make 8 sashes like this.
- **3.** To make a block row, join 4 Fabric A alphabet patches alternately with 5 Sash Units. Make 6 rows like this. Note the order of the alphabet patches in each row.

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- 4. To make the bottom block row, sew a Fabric C 2" x 5½" strip to opposite sides of the Fabric A "and" patch. Sew 2 Sash Units and a bright 5½" square to each side of the A patch unit in the order shown.
- **5.** Join the block rows alternately with the sash rows.
- **6.** Add the borders in the order shown, sewing the side borders on first in each round.

#### **Finishing the Quilt**

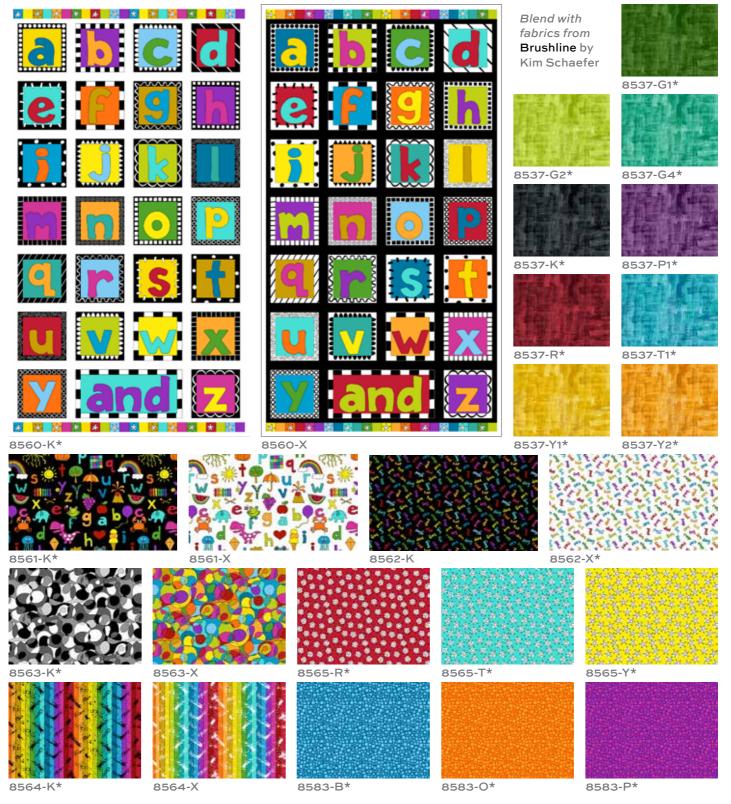
7. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Quilt around the printed motifs in the blocks and borders as you wish. Bind to finish the quilt.



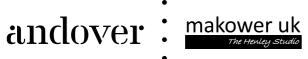
**Quilt Diagram** 

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\*Indicates fabrics used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 10% of actual size.



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