

One Block Wonder Supply List Please take time to read this information!

Book Required: For this class you **may** (encouraged – but not required) purchase either book 1 or 2, both contain the process I will be teaching you. Maxine Rosenthal has written 4 <u>One Block Wonder books</u> which can be purchased on Amazon.com & CTPub.com: The 1st is "One Block Wonders"

The 2nd is "One Block Wonders, Encore!" The 3rd is "One Block Wonders Cubed" The 4th is "One Block Wonders of the World"

<u>Fabric Required</u>: The Formula for the amount of fabric required is 6 repeats of fabric for the blocks. So if you have a 24" repeat you would multiply 6 X 24 which = 144", divided by 36" = 4 yards for the blocks (but buy 4 ¼ to be safe). If you are going to use the original fabric in the borders buy at least **6 YARDS**.

Fabric Option 2: You may choose to use a panel. Panels are often 24" wide by the Width of fabric (WOF). When using panels I buy 7 panels, six are for the 6 repeats needed. The 7th panel can be placed somewhere on the front with hexagons designed around the panel.

To find the repeat, lay the fabric in front of you with the fold line near you. Find a design element which is easily identifiable near the fold, when it comes up again you have found the repeat.

DO NOT PRE-WASH THE FABRIC!!!!

Fabric Considerations: The best fabrics for this process are **large prints** with little background, especially leaves or animals. The rule of thumb is once the repeats are aligned, we will be cutting them in $3 \frac{3}{4}$ " strips. If the design elements in your fabric are smaller than 4" you will not be taking the design apart and your blocks will look like the original fabric. So choose LARGE PRINTS.

Basic Supplies:

- Sewing Machine in good working order, Not Needed for the 1st Class. The sewing is completed at home.
- Rotary Cutting tools: a rotary cutter with a <u>new blade</u>
- **Rulers:** one 6" x 24" long for cutting the WOF Strips. **&** a 6" x 12" with <u>TWO</u> 60 degree lines on the ruler. *My favorite for cutting the triangles is the Olfa Frosted 6" x 12".*
- Mats: you will need a <u>36" and a 18" mat that can be taped together with painters tape</u> as we will be cutting fabric strips the Width of the Fabric (WOF)
- Flower Pins. These pins lay flat; flat enough for a ruler to be over them and the ruler will still be flat against the fabric
- Small Safety pins For a quilt using a 24" repeat you will need **100 to 120 small safety pins**. You can also use straight pins. Approximately **300 Straight** pins for pinning rows together.

Pre Cutting: No precutting is required.

Check out the Facebook group called "One Block Wonder Quilt Forum" for inspiration!

Note: Class I - Each student needs 48" of cutting space, and 6 square feet for design space. If design walls are not supplied, each student should bring 6 square feet of batting or flannel to tape to the wall for design the hexies.