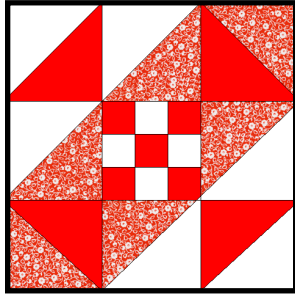


Quilters' Sew-ciety 2018 Red & White Lotto Blocks



#11 Shortcut to School

Finished block measures 9"

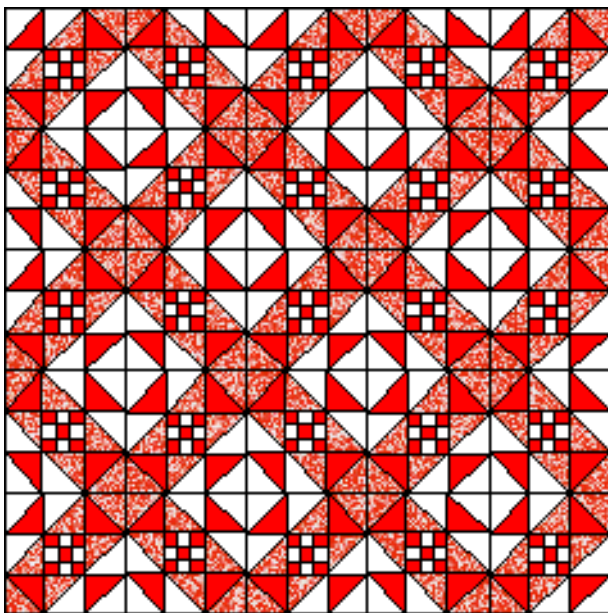
Cutting directions

LIGHT	Cut three 4" squares (HST) Cut four 1 1/2" squares
DARK	Cut two 4" squares (HST) Cut five 1 1/2" squares
MEDIUM	Cut three 4" squares (HST)

Bring this block to Dec meeting for the drawing

HST = half square triangle
RST = right sides together

1. Make the center 9-patch by sewing together the light and dark 1 1/2" squares—three rows of three squares each, arranged as shown in above diagram with dark corners. Sew rows together, pressing rows in alternating directions so they nest
2. Pair up a light and a dark 4" square, RST. Draw a diagonal line corner to corner. Sew a scant 1/4" on each side of drawn line. Cut on drawn line and press resulting two HSTs open, squaring up to 3 1/2". You will have two HSTs.
3. Repeat Step 2, but pairing up a medium square with a dark. Again, you will have two HSTs.
4. Repeat Step 2, but pair up the two remaining light squares with the two remaining medium squares. You will have four HSTs.
5. Sew together into three rows of three units, arranging HSTs and the 9-patch as shown in diagram above. Press seams for the center row away from 9-patch and other two rows toward center.
6. Sew rows together.



This is an option for arranging and sewing blocks together: five rows of five blocks

2018 QS Red & White Lotto blocks.

- Use red and white/cream fabrics for all blocks
- All blocks should finish at 9"
- Make as many blocks as you want, more blocks = more chances to win
- Bring blocks to the meeting **WITH YOUR NAME PINNED TO EACH BLOCK**