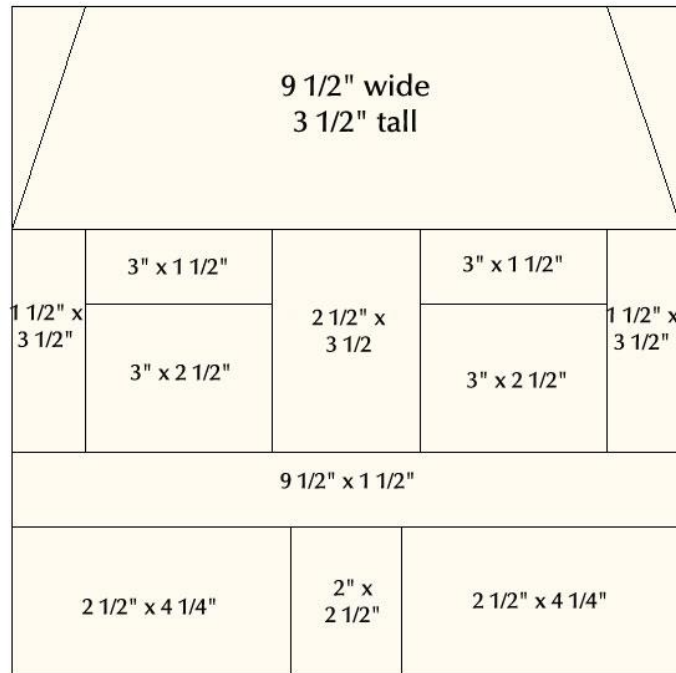


Pixie Summer Home Quilt Along
 The Big House on the Block
 By Julie Dueck of The Intrepid Thread



Cutting:

Background Fabric:

2 - $2 \frac{1}{2}$ " by 4" Rectangles

Roof Fabric:

1 - $3 \frac{1}{2}$ " by $9 \frac{1}{2}$ " Rectangle

1 - $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " by $9 \frac{1}{2}$ " Rectangle

House Fabric:

2 - $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " by $3 \frac{1}{2}$ " Rectangles

2 – 1 ½" by 3" Rectangles
1 – 2 ½" by 3 ½" rectangle
2 – 2 ½" by 4 ¼" Rectangles

Door and Window Fabric
2 – 2 ½" by 3" Rectangles
1 – 2 by 2 ½" Rectangle

**All seams are ¼ inch unless otherwise specified.

Assembly:

1. On the top of the roof fabric make a mark 1" from each edge. Line up the edge of one background piece and the bottom corner of the roof fabric with RST. It should hang over the top and the bottom. Just make sure it is about ¼" over the top and leave the largest portion hanging over the bottom.



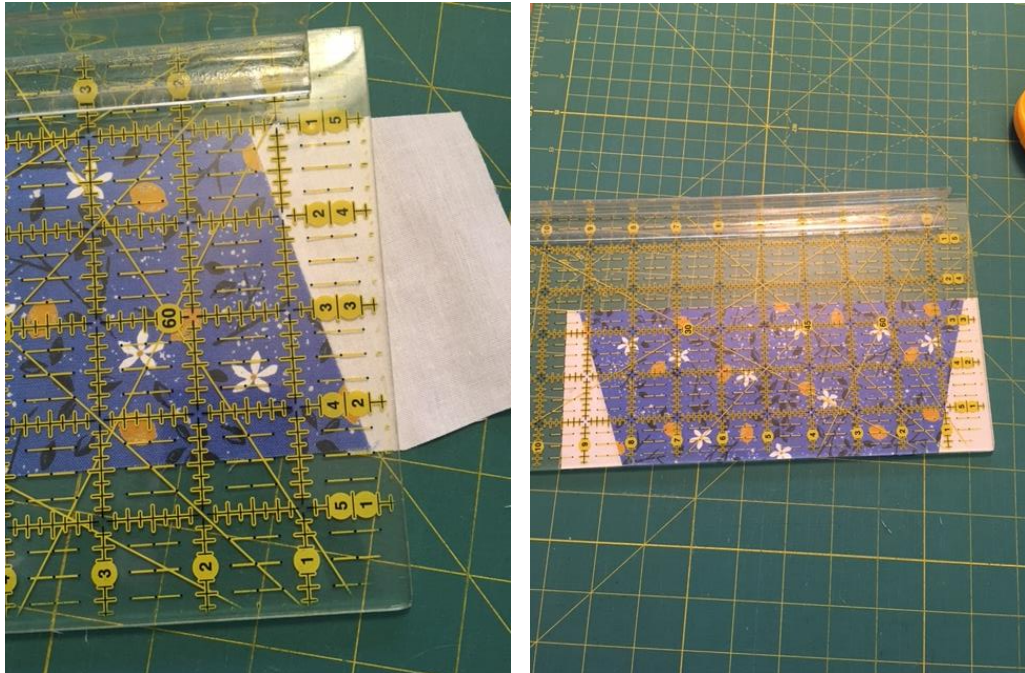
2. Sew 1/4" seam along the edge of the background fabric. Repeat steps one and two in the opposite side.

You will have this when you are done:

3. Using your roof rectangle as a guide straighten the top and bottom edges.



4. Square up to 9 1/2" by 3 1/2" leaving at least 1/4" of background past the bottom edge of the roof.
(this might come out to be a little bigger than 1/4" depending on the accuracy of your 1/4" seam)



Now that that hard part is out of the way (I know it wasn't that hard) ...

5. Sew the two 1 1/2" by 3" rectangles of house fabric to the top of the 2 1/2" by 3" rectangles of Door/Window fabric.



6. Sew the top floor of the house together in this order:

1 ½" by 3 ½" rectangle of house fabric – Window unit – 2 ½" by 3 ½" rectangle of house fabric – Window unit - 1 ½" by 3 ½" rectangle of house fabric

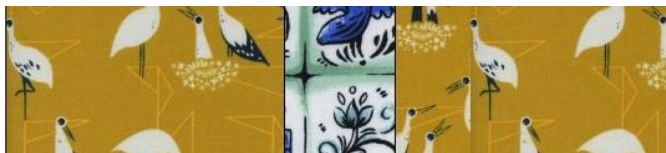
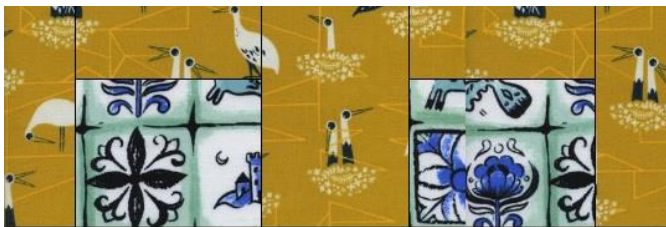


7. Sew the bottom floor together in this order:

2 ½" by 4 ¼" rectangle of house fabric – 2" by 2 ½" rectangle of Door/Window Fabric - 2 ½" by 4 ¼" rectangle of house fabric



8. Sew the rows together in this order: Roof unit, Second Floor unit, 1 ½" by 9 ½" rectangle of roof fabric, Bottom Floor unit.



And you're done!