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Quilt As You Go Placemats

Instructions/ Tips & Tricks

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- I recommend that you iron and starch all your fabric before class and before cutting. This will help/cut down on fraying/shrinking when later ironed and will help your fabric lay smooth and flat.
- All seams will be $\frac{1}{4}$ ince
- We will be “finger pressing” our seams. It only gets ironed once at the end of the project so you don’t need to bring an iron. This will save some table space. Bernina has one you can use.
- You may want to open the batting package and cut out the placemat pattern prior to class. **DO NOT CUT ON THE PATTERN LINES.** Leave at least $\frac{1}{2}$ inch around the pattern line.
- **DO NOT IRON THE BATTING.** Gently smooth the batting with your hands but do not stretch it. We can do this at the beginning of class if you are more comfortable with that.
- You will learn to cut and join binding to finish the project.