

Mitered Facings, an Alternative Edge Finish to Bindings - Shannon Shirley

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Supplies needed:

Two separate pre quilted pieces, (these can be scrap practice pieces, pre-quilted fabric or actual small quilts) at least the size of a placemat but larger would be great especially for the unusual shaped facings. Nothing larger than about 24".

Straight Facings

Quilted piece

Facing strips of fabric, 2 1/2" x length and width of quilted piece, ex. 2 - 14", 2 - 20"

(You need fabric strips long enough for all four sides of your quilt)

Optional, trim to set into the knife edge seam

Shaped Facings

Quilted piece no larger than 24" square

3/4 yard of fabric for facing

(you may not use all of this, it depends on what shape facing you decide to put on your quilt)

Thread for your sewing machine

Ruler with a 45° line

Pencil

Point turner

Pinking shears if you own them

Sewing machine in good working order, manuals, cords, extra needles.

Basic sewing supplies

Paper scissors

Iron (unless provided)

You do not need to cut the facing strips in advance but the items to be faced must be pre quilted.

Please feel free to contact me in advance if you have any questions.

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Thank you,
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