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What to bring and have done for class:

Mexican Star pattern from Southwind Designs

a neutral thread

rotary cutter

Small cutting mat

small ruler(at least 8 ½ “ square)

basic sewing supplies

sewing machine in good working order with new needle (Make sure you know how to

 use the machine) Each person needs a machine. This pattern uses a scant ¼ “.

 Make sure you machine can do a scant not a fat ¼ “ seam. We will check this in class

According to the fabric requirements you need 1/8 yard of bright gold. FYI if you have a bright gold in your stash us it. You only need 8-1 ½” squares of this fabric.

**Page 1** gives all the cutting instructions. I’d like for you to have all your fabric cut according to these instructions. It’s nice to have each group marked. I use post-a-notes pinned to each group. **FYI** from the background you are to cut four 2 ½” strips for the border. **Don’t cut this.** You may want to make your border larger. You can cut this later. Please also have the **triangles pressed** as shown on page 1. Stop after you have everything cut and triangles pressed.

Remember we won’t be taking a lunch break so you need to bring a sack lunch. If you have any questions feel free to call or email me. I look forward to having a great class.