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## FINISHED QUILT SIZE 61" x 73"

### Finished Block Size 9" x 9"

Measurements include 1/4" seam allowance.

Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated.

Please check our website [www.rileyblakedesigns.com](http://www.rileyblakedesigns.com) for any revisions before starting this project. This pattern requires a basic knowledge of quilting technique and terminology. The quilt and block diagrams portrayed are virtual images. The layout and look of your project may differ when using actual fabric.

## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

1 Little Flyers Fat Quarter Stack (FQ-4570-21)

1 1/8 yards (1.5 m) blue main (C4570 Blue)

3/4 yard (70 cm) gray gear (C4575 Gray)

1 7/8 yards (1.75 m) cream shade (C200-02 Cream)

Binding 5/8 yard (60 cm)

Backing 3 7/8 yards (3.55 m)

## CUTTING REQUIREMENTS

Please read instructions first before cutting. Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces.

### Fat Quarter Stack

Cut 2 squares 4" x 4", 2 squares 3 1/2" x 3 1/2", and 4 rectangles 2" x 3 1/2" from each of the following prints:

blue beep, yellow beep, blue patches, gray patches,  
yellow patches, blue talk, red talk, blue gear, gray gear,  
yellow gear, blue flight, gray flight

Cut 2 squares 4" x 4", 1 square 3 1/2" x 3 1/2", and 4 rectangles 2" x 3 1/2" from each of the following prints:

blue main, cream main, gray main, gray beep, gray talk,  
blue stripe, gray stripe, yellow stripe

### Blue Main

Cut 7 strips 5 1/2" x WOF for Border 2.

### Gray Gear

Cut 6 strips 3 1/2" x WOF for Border 1.

### Cream Shade

Cut 4 strips 4" x WOF. Cut the strips into 40 squares 4" x 4".

### Cream Shade (Continued)

Cut 4 strips 3 1/2" x WOF. Cut the strips into 80 rectangles 2" x 3 1/2".

Cut 8 strips 3 1/2" x WOF. Cut the strips into 31 rectangles 3 1/2" x 9 1/2" for sashing.

## QUILT ASSEMBLY

Refer to the quilt photo for placement of fabrics.

### Flyers Block

These instructions are to make 1 block. Refer to quilt photo for fabric placement as each block is a different combination of fabrics. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of 2 cream shade 4" squares. Place a cream shade 4" square on top of an assorted print 4" square. Sew 1/4" on each side of the line. Cut on the line to make 2 Half Square Triangles. Press. Repeat to make 4 Half Square Triangles. Square up the Half Square Triangles to 3 1/2".



Half Square Triangle

Sew a cream shade 2" x 3 1/2" rectangle to an assorted print 2" x 3 1/2" rectangle to create Unit A. Press. Repeat to make 4 Unit As.



Unit A

Referring to quilt photo for placement of fabrics, sew together 4 Half Square Triangles, 4 Unit As, and 1 assorted print 3 1/2" square to create the Flyers Block. Repeat to make 20 Flyers Blocks.



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## Flyers Block and Sashing

Refer to Quilt Center Diagram for block placement. Sew a Flyers Block to a cream shade  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $9\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle. Repeat to make a row with 4 Flyers Blocks and 3 sashing rectangles. Make 5 block and sashing rows.

## Sashing and Posts

Refer to Quilt Center Diagram for fabric placement. Sew a cream shade  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $9\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangle to an assorted print  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square. Repeat to make a row with 4 sashing rectangles and 3 posts. Make 4 sashing and post rows.

## Quilt Center Assembly

Refer to Quilt Center Diagram for row placement. Sew rows together to complete the center of the quilt.

## Borders

Seam allowances vary so measure through the center of the quilt before cutting border pieces. Sew border strips together end to end if necessary to get the length needed. Sew side borders first.

### Border 1

Side borders should be  $57\frac{1}{2}$ ". Top and bottom borders should be  $51\frac{1}{2}$ ".

### Border 2

Side borders should be  $63\frac{1}{2}$ ". Top and bottom borders should be  $61\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Finish quilt by layering the quilt top, batting, and back. Bind with your favorite Riley Blake fabric from the Little Flyers Collection. Have fun with your colors and enjoy the journey of making your quilt.

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Quilt Center Diagram

