

MONTH SIX – BLOCK 24 - JULY

This block is called *TWIN SISTERS* and is 4” square finished.

Fabric requirements for this block

This block requires three fabrics, I chose yellow spot, plain orange and red print

- A is plain orange
- B is yellow spot
- C is red print

Cutting

- A – orange – cut 2 x 3¼” squares, cross cut corner to corner twice, discard 2 triangles = 6 triangles
- B – yellow spot – cut 1 x 3¼” square, cross cut corner to corner twice = 4 triangles
- C – red print – cut 2 x 3¼” squares, cross cut corner to corner twice, discard 2 triangles = 6 triangles

Construction

- Lay one B yellow spot triangle right sides together on top of an A plain orange triangle matching all sides. Stitch with the A/orange triangle on top starting at the 90° corner. Repeat with a second B yellow spot and A plain orange triangle. This will create two outer corner units as shown to the right
- Repeat the process with two B yellow spot and two C red print triangles, with C/red on top, creating the other two outer corners of the block as shown on the right
- Repeat the process with two A plain orange and two C red print triangles, with C/red on top, to form the centre of the block also shown on the right
- Join the two A/C units together as shown on the right, to form the centre square, matching the 90° points accurately.



- The centre is a square in a square block. Add a C red print triangle, finger press to find the centre of each side, to the red print sides of the centre square, as shown below. Then add an A plain orange triangle to the other two orange sides of the centre square as shown



- Another square in a square, join the four corner units to the centre square as shown below, matching the centre of each side.



The block is complete and measures 4½" square which will be 4" square finished.