

Singer Featherweight Club

Fall 2026

Fabric

There are multiple color options for the blocks in this session, and your preferences will determine the number of fabrics you use. You will need $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ of a yard of fabric for the background. If you want a scrappy look, and do not want to repeat fabrics, you will need 12 different prints. You may repeat fabrics if you want your blocks to coordinate. You may use fabrics left over from previous blocks. I used fabrics from my “stash,” including yardage and 10” squares from a layer cake. The minimum cut at The Old Country Store is $\frac{1}{4}$ yard.

Supply List

1. Singer 221 “Featherweight” sewing machine in good working order
2. Thread in a neutral color
3. Rotary Cutter
4. *Ruler (6” x 12” or 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ” x 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ”) I prefer this size because it allows you to place your whole hand on the ruler for stability. You may use whatever size with which you are comfortable.
5. *Studio 180 Tucker Trimmer I and a *12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ” inch ruler for squaring up blocks

OR

*Studio 180 Tucker Trimmer III

6. *Studio 180 Magic Wand or other tool for marking one-quarter inch seams such as the *Creative Grids Seam Guide Tool or *Fons and Porter’s Quarter Inch Seam Marker
7. Tool for sewing a quarter-inch seam. If you have the vintage seam guide that came with your machine, you may use that. Other options are the seam guide and square (available at The Old Country Store) or a quarter-inch foot (available at singer-featherweight.com.) Tape is not recommended for use on Featherweights because it will damage the protective clear coat.
8. If you are using a cross-wound thread such as Aurifil, a *thread stand or *thread post is recommended to prevent the thread from twisting.
9. Basic sewing supplies: pins, small scissors, seam ripper, etc.
10. Marking pen or pencil

11. *Studio 180 Designs Wing Clipper Ruler

*Available at The Old Country Store