

Supply List for Underground Railroad Sampler:
Underground Railroad and Monkey Wrench Blocks

1. Sewing machine in good working order.
2. *Book: Underground Railroad Sampler by Eleanor Burns and Sue Bouchard
3. Thread in a neutral color
4. Rotary Cutter
5. *Ruler (6" x 12" or 6 ½" x 12 ½") 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.
6. *Studio 180 Tucker Trimmer I and a *12 ½" inch ruler for squaring up blocks

OR

*Studio 180 Tucker Trimmer III

7. *Studio 180 Magic Wand or other tool for marking one-quarter inch seams such as the *Creative Grids Seam Guide Tool.
8. Quarter-inch presser foot
9. Basic sewing supplies: pins, small scissors, seam ripper, etc.
10. Marking pen or pencil

*Available at The Old Country Store

Fabric Requirements

You may use the fabric requirements listed on p. 6 as a guideline, or you may choose your own colors. The blocks you will make in class will finish at 12". You may coordinate your fabrics or use scraps. It is totally up to you!

It is important to pre-cut your fabrics, following the directions below, so you will be able to complete the blocks in class.

Underground Railroad

Fabric 1 (shown as purple)

Two 5" squares

Fabric 2 (shown as yellow)

Two 5" squares

*Two strips 2½" x 15"

Background

Two 5" squares

*Two strips 2½" x 15"



*You may cut one 30" strip as directed in the book, but you may find it easier to work with shorter strips.

Monkey Wrench

Inner Wrench

Fabric 1 (shown as red)

Two 2½" squares

Two strips 1¼" x 15"

Fabric 3 (background)*

Center square – One 3½" square

Two 2½" squares

Two strips 1¼" x 15"



*You may choose to use 1 background fabric for the center square and a second one for the corners and sides.

Outer Wrench

Fabric 3 (shown as blue)

Two strips 2" x 14"

Fabric 4 (shown as gold)

Two 4" squares

Fabric 4 (background – you may repeat one of the fabrics in the inner wrench or choose another one)

Two 4" squares

Two strips 2" x 14"