# How to Make a Baby Quilt



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#### Introduction

Have you ever heard someone say to you "that's hanging by a thread" well all of your clothes are actually sewn together by piece of thread. Or you can think of your favorite blanket as same thing. Have you ever seen the process of making a quilt? Do you ever wonder how people do it? Today I'm going to show you how to make one and the process. Are you wondering what the difference of a baby quilt and a normal quilt? A baby quit is a small version of a normal quilt used for mostly babies or dolls but I am making one just because of the time. A baby quilt is usually 30" by 30" but they are all different.

## My Quilt

I made this quilt using the fresh diamond quilt pattern. First we sewed lines down, then cut it so it was a triangle, then when you put four triangles together, then I put in the batting. It is in my room.



### Vocabulary

Rotary cutter: at tool used mostly by quilters and sewers, able to cut fabric

Seam: a line along which two pieces of fabric are sewn together.

Seam Ripper: a small sewing tool used for cutting and removing stitches.

Batting: used as a layer of insulation between fabrics, most often used in quilt

making.

## Step 1

The first step is to pick out all of your fabric. When picking out fabric make sure to always pick colors that go together. For example one common theme for a baby quilt is shade of blue and white or pink and white. Next you have to think of the kind of pattern you want like disappearing nine square or fresh diamond quilt.

https://www.faveguilts.com/Patterns-for-Quilting/Traditional-Quilt-Patterns-Free-Traditional-Quilt-Blocks

## Step 2

Then you have to cut everything out it depends on what the pattern is though. I like to do the fresh diamond quilt pattern but I also like the disappearing nine square. After you cut all your fabric cut the same amount of batting. The batting goes in between the two layers of fabric. Then pin it all together. After you have pinned everything you will have to sew everything. Once you have sewed the whole quilt together you should cut off all of the extra string.



### Fun Tips

- 1. Always make sure to cut the threads
- 2. Make sure to line everything up
- 3. Make sure to sew strait
- 4. Make sure to cut strait
- 5. Always iron before anything
- 6. Never cut wrinkled fabric

#### References

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fl2AnkGboml Easy baby quilt, video

I chose this video because it teaches you all about how to make a baby quilt. It talks you through all the steps and all the sizes.

https://www.favequilts.com/Patterns-for-Quilting/Traditional-Quilt-Patterns-Free-Traditional-Quilt-Blocks
24 traditional quilt patterns

I chose this website because it has all different patterns.

#### 350 Quilting by Susan Briscoe

I chose this book because it teaches you all about tips, techniques, trade secrets, and how to be better at quilting.

### Video

The video shows you that how to make a baby quilt the right size and the right colors. The video shows you tips and things to do when making a quilt.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fl2AnkGboml

#### Website

The website shows you all the different kinds of quilts you can make and how to make each quilt. It also gives you ideas of what kind of quilt to do.

Fresh diamond quilt

Disappearing Nine square quilt

https://www.faveguilts.com/Patterns-for-Quilting/Traditional-Quilt-Patterns-Free-Traditional

### Book

In the book 350 quilting the author susan briscoe shows

Readers how to quilt and all techniques that help you make

All different kinds of quilts. This book also shows you trade

Techniques and tips on how to make a beautiful soft quilt.



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