

Jelly Roll Dresden Options Supply List Teacher Anelie Belden

Using 1 package of a Jelly Roll with 40 fabrics or cutting 2 ½” strips from fabrics can make a large variety of lap quilts. (Approx. 53” by 63”) There are many ways to lay out the blocks, combine the colors and change the borders to create a one of a kind Dresden Design. Following is a guideline of total yardage needed for a “General” Dresden Design.

20 2 ½” strips in shades of Light or fabric contrasting the other 20 strips being used		Pair the strips together. Sew with ¼” seam and press open.
20 2 ½” Strips in shades of Dark or fabric contrasting the other 20 strips being used		
Background fabrics- This can be one fabric or multiple fabrics Blocks, Center circles	1 1/2 yards	Cut 8 6 ½” strips Sub cut into 48 6 ½” squares
Inner Border	1/4 yard	5 cut @ 1 ½” wide
Outer Border	1 1/4 yard	6 cuts @ 6 ½” wide
Binding	1/2 yard	6 cuts @ 2 ¼” wide
Backing (Only one seam in the back)	3 1/4 yards	
Batting		57”” by 69” approximately

You will also need the following:

- Jelly Roll Split Blade Pattern (Will bring to class)
- Thread to match for piecing
- Rotary cutting tools-Board, cutter and rulers
- Dresden Template by Fast2cut or Template plastic
- Basic sewing supplies such as Seam ripper, scissors (fabric and paper) , straight pins, etc.
- Iron and small ironing surface
- Water Soluble Fabric glue
- Freezer Paper (I will bring some to use)
- Starch (I will have in class to use)
- Turning tool such as "Purple Thang"
- Fabric marking tool (Blue water soluble pen)
- Sewing machine in good working order- Please knows how to use your machine.



Do before class: Cut background blocks. 48- 6 ½” by 6 ½” squares

- 1) Pair strips together in a color combination that works for your fabrics. Sew them together and press seams open. Cut the strips into 5 1/4” Lengths. *You should get 7-8 sections cut per strip.*

Below are additional layouts that can be made using the same yardages for all of them.

