

# Peek-a-BOO! Halloween Cat

## Supply list

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When pumpkins scowl, and black cats yowl, and ghosties can be seen. When skeletons dance and witches prance, you know it's Halloween! This Halloween cat may not be yowling but he's ready to pounce on all those Halloween treats. You can make him into a lone wall quilt, or a small table runner; or make a clowder of cats to hand out as treats to those special cat-loving friends or family. This cat block goes together quickly and easily and can be finished with a border of dancing paw prints if you want to make the project larger.

**Please be courteous to others by arriving for class with the correct supplies. Contact me at 503-631-8806 or [helene.m.knott@gmail.com](mailto:helene.m.knott@gmail.com) if you have any questions.**

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Thank you, Helene

- **Pattern:** Included in the cost of the class.
- **Fabric:** You will need a fat quarter of the background fabric, the fabrics for the cat can also be fat quarters, but for some, good sized scraps may do. If you want to make a paw print border, two fat quarters in harmonious contrasting colors and a quarter yard (not a fat quarter) for a final outer border. Colors can be anything you like but Halloween colors would be appropriate See sample pictures for suggestions).
- **Fusible web of choice:** you will only need about a sheet about the size of copy paper, there is very little applique in this project.
- **Sewing Machine:** with a 1/4" piecing foot and a zig-zag presser foot.
- **Thread:** In a neutral color or colors to match your fabrics for the piecing. Thread to match the cat's tail, paws and eyes fabrics for the applique.
- **Rotary cutter, mat and ruler:** An 11" x 17" cutting mat, and 6" x 12" and 6" x 24" cutting rulers would be ideal.
- **Scissors:** Craft scissors for the applique pieces.
- **Pencil to trace fusible web**
- **Seam ripper**
- **Tear away embroidery stabilizer:** This is recommended to stabilize the applique areas for edge stitching and keep your work from distorting as you stitch. A 12" x 18" piece of light to medium weight will do.
- **Batting and backing:** 3/4 yard of backing and a 24" x 30" piece of batting should suffice for most arrangements. You may not get to the quilting stage, particularly if you want the make the paw print border, but having these will facilitate quilting if you do want to quilt your project in class.

