

# A Place Mat For My Pet

## Supply list (2 pages)

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Pets are not known for fastidious eating habits, you can't get them to wash their paws before a meal. Well – OK – cats wash their face and paws *after* eating, but both cats and dogs tend to scatter their food outside the bowls. Protect your floors with these adorable place mats styled specifically for your pet. Choose the cat face for your feline friends or a doggy mat for your canine companion. They are fast and easy to make and would make thoughtful Holiday gifts for your human friends and their pets too.

**Please be courteous to others by arriving for class with the correct supplies. Contact me at 503-888-9784 or [helene.m.knott@gmail.com](mailto:helene.m.knott@gmail.com) if you have any questions.**

**A Note to Students:** Many students do not realize that once the teacher is paid, the shop offering a class makes little if any income on the class itself. The shop is relying on product sales to continue offering quality classes to you. Therefore, I urge you to patronize this shop when buying your supplies for this class as much as possible and remind you that big chain stores do not offer the variety of classes that the smaller shops do. Keep quilt classes alive by supporting this shop.

Thank you, Helene

### TOOLS/MATERIALS:

- **Fabrics for place mat:** You will need an assortment of prints for each pet place mat. Fat Eighths will be ample for everything other than the borders which will require  $\frac{1}{4}$  yard and for some pieces, but larger scraps may even do. Follow the materials legend below for each mat. **Note:** suggested sizes are generous, however you may need more to fussy cut specific prints or textures.

For the Dog Place Mat, you will need:

- Fabric A (pupils and nose) - 6" x 6" square
  - Fabric B (eyes) - 6" x 8" rectangle
  - Fabric C (head and nose fur) - 6" x 14" rectangle
  - Fabric D (jowls) - 6" x 14" rectangle
  - Fabric E (background) - 6" x 10" rectangle
  - Fabric F (ears) - 6" x 12" rectangle
  - Fabric G (tongue) - 4" x 4" square
  - Fabric H (borders) – Fat Quarter or  $\frac{1}{4}$  yard cut
- OR**
- 26 (twenty-six) 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " squares of assorted prints (for scrappy borders)



For the Cat Place Mat, you will need:

- Fabric A (pupils) - 4" x 8" rectangle
  - Fabric B (eyes) - 8" x 12" rectangle
  - Fabric C (face and nose fur) - 8" x 12" rectangle
  - Fabric D (nose) - 3" x 5" rectangle
  - Fabric E (cheeks) - 8" x 14" rectangle
  - Fabric F (background) - 4" x 6" rectangle
  - Fabric G (borders) – Fat Quarter or  $\frac{1}{4}$  yard cut
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- **Fusible web (for the Cat only):** A small sheet will do, it will be used to fuse the pupils to the eyes.
- **Quilters marking pencil:** In a color that will show up on your fabrics.
- **Backing and batting:** A Fat Quarter of each will do.
- **Rotary cutter, mat and ruler:** A 6" x 12" ruler should be adequate for all the cuts, and 11" x 17" mat.
- **Sewing thread:** In a neutral color that blends well with your fabrics.
- **Sewing pins**
- **Craft Scissors**
- **Sewing machine:** With a 1/4" piecing foot and standard accessories. Note: a Zig Zag stitching foot may be needed to machine applique the pupils on the cat.
- **Machine Quilting supplies:** Free motion and Walking feet to quilt with, and quilting thread in the colors of your choice; you may also need about a dozen safety pins too. These mats go together very quickly and there's a good chance you will be able to start quilting them in class.
- **Thread snips**