

**Technique:** Appliqué, Piecing, Quilting

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**Skill Level:** Beginner

**Crafting Time:** Weekend

**Finished size:** 14" x 44" (35.56cm x 111.76cm)

## Featuring Coats® Cotton Machine Quilting Thread

Colorful appliquéd Easter eggs bounce along this bordered runner—a perfect accessory for that special brunch.

### Supplies

- Coats Dual Duty XP® All-purpose Thread
- Coats® Cotton Machine Quilting Thread
- 5" x 7" (12.70cm x 17.78cm) scraps of 5 assorted prints for eggs  
**Featured:** Kaffe Fassett Classics in Paperweight PWGP020.GOLD, BLUE, RED; Roman Glass PWGP001. EMERA, and Millefiori GP92.GREEN
- ½ yd (11.43cm) each of 5 assorted pastel solids  
**Featured:** FreeSpirit Designer Essentials Solids
- ¾ yd (34.29cm) white solid fabric for background
- ½ yd (30.48cm) binding fabric
- 1½ yd (1.03m) backing fabric
- ½ yd (45.72cm) batting
- Paper-back fusible web

## Cutting

**WOF = Width Of Fabric**

**From each of the 5 assorted pastel solids, cut:**  
(2) strips, 2½" x 8½" (6.35cm x 21.59cm)

**From 2 of the pastel solids, cut:**  
(1) strip, 2½" x 14½" (6.35cm x 36.83cm)

**From the white solid, cut:**  
(1) strip, 10½" x 40½" (26.67cm x 102.87cm)

**From the binding fabric, cut:**  
(4) strips, 2¼" x WOF (5.72cm x WOF)

**From the backing fabric, cut:**  
(2) strips, 18" x WOF (45.72cm x WOF)

## Preparation

1. Trace 5 egg shapes onto the paper backing of fusible web. Rough-cut the shapes ¼" (.64cm) outside the line.
2. Fuse each egg to the wrong side of a 5" x 7" (12.70cm x 17.78cm) scrap and cut out on the marked line.

## Assembling the Center

1. Peel off the backing paper from the egg shapes and arrange as desired down the center of the white fabric strip.
2. Following the manufacturer's instructions, fuse the eggs in place.
3. Using a narrow zigzag and matching thread, appliqué the eggs in place. Bring the thread ends to the back and tie off.

**Note:** Seam allowances are ¼" (.64cm).

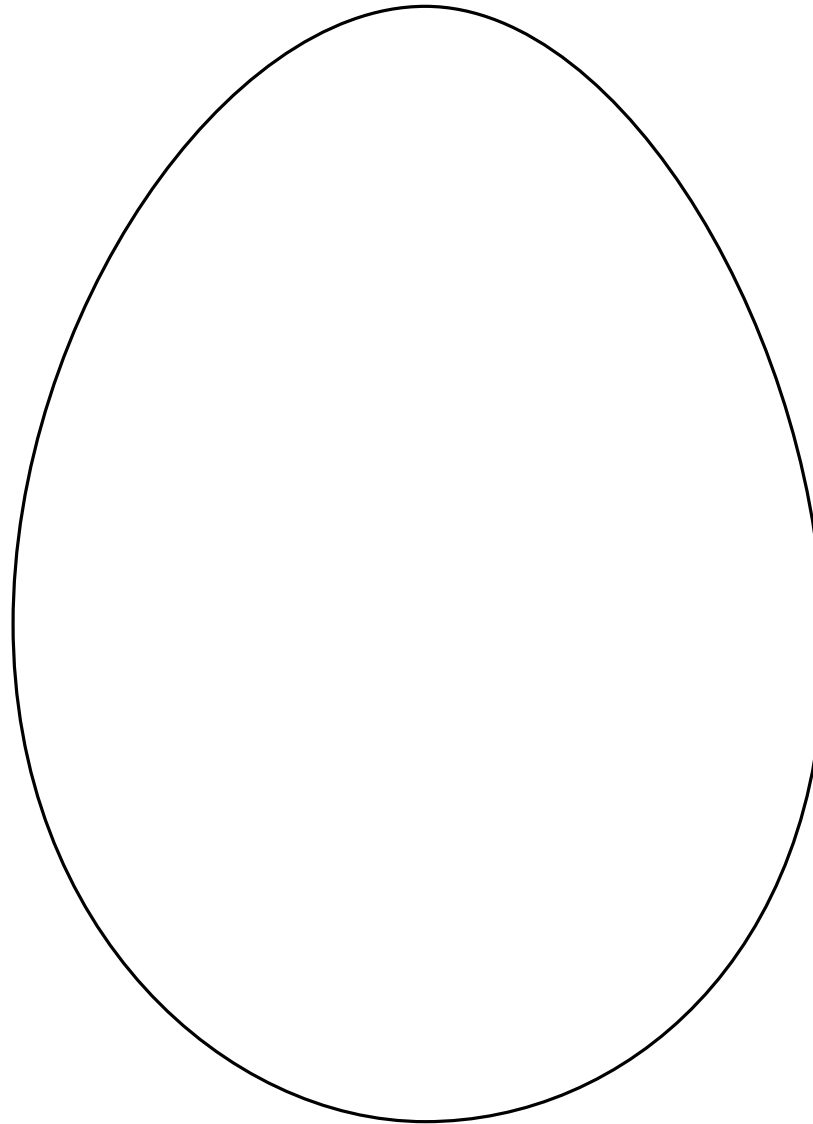
## Assembling the Borders

1. Randomly sew together (5) 2½" x 8½" (6.35cm x 21.59cm) pastel strips end to end. Press the seams open. Repeat to make a second strip.
2. Sew (1) strip to each long edge of the appliquéd runner center. Press seams toward the borders.
3. Sew (1) 2½" x 14½" (6.35cm x 36.83cm) pastel strip to each end of the runner. Press seams toward the border.

## Assembling the Runner

1. Sew together the short edges of the two backing pieces and trim to 52" (132.08cm) long. Press seams open.
2. Layer the runner (right side up) over the batting and backing (wrong side up) and quilt as desired using Coats Machine Quilting thread in contrasting colors.
3. Trim the backing and batting to match the runner edges.
4. Sew the binding strips end to end using diagonal seams. Trim the seam allowances to ¼" (.64cm) and press open. Press the binding in half, wrong sides together.
5. Bind the runner outer edges, mitering the corners.
6. Turn the binding to the runner underside and hand-stitch the folded edge in place.





This square should  
measure 1" x 1"  
(2.54cm x 2.54cm)  
when printed.

\*\*\* Measure templates before cutting to confirm printing at 100%\*\*\*