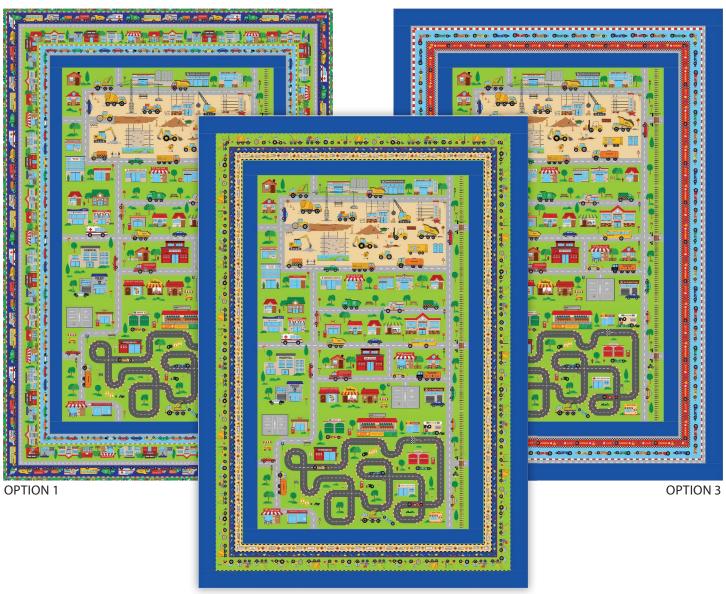


## CONNECTOR PLAYMATS

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**OPTION 2** 

FREE PATTERN • Busy Town • 671/2" x 94" • By Elaine Theriault for Northcott

## **Busy Town**

Finished Size: 67.5 by 94 inches

WOF = width of fabric

Fabric requirements	Meters	Cutting Instructions
Fabric A - #21471-72	1 panel	<ul> <li>Fussy cut the panel so it measures 23 ½" high by 43" wide.</li> </ul>
Race Track Panel		
Fabric B - #21474-72	1 panel	• Fussy cut the panel so it measures 23 ½" high by 43" wide.
Construction Panel		
Fabric C - #21136-72	1 panel	• Fussy cut the panel so it measures 23 ½" high by 43" wide.
Around Town Panel		
OPTION 1		Cut 7 strips measuring 3" by WOF
Around Town border		<ul> <li>Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for inner border)</li> </ul>
ColorWorks – Royal		Cut 9 strips measuring 2 ½" by WOF
#9000-45	1½ yards	<ul> <li>Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for binding)</li> </ul>
Inner border and binding		
		• Fussy cut two strips measuring approximately 100" long by 10 ½".
Around town border print		• Fussy cut two strips measuring approximately 70" long by 10 ½".  • ♦ △ ○ ♠ ○ ◆ P ▼ ○ ♦ △ ← ♠ ○ ◆ P ▼
#21137-72	3 yards	HOSPITAL HOS
OPTION 2		Cut 7 strips measuring 4" by WOF
Construction Border		<ul> <li>Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for inner border)</li> </ul>
ColorWorks – Royal		Cut 8 strips measuring 4" by WOF
#9000-45	2 ½ yard	<ul> <li>Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for outer border</li> </ul>
Borders and binding		Cut 9 strips measuring 2 ½" by WOF
		Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for binding)
		<ul> <li>Fussy cut two strips measuring approximately 93" long by 6"</li> <li>Fussy cut two strips measuring approximately 64" long by 6"</li> </ul>
Construction border print		
#21475-72		
	2 ¾ yards	

OPTION 3		Cut 7 strips measuring 4" by WOF
Race Car Border		<ul> <li>Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for inner border)</li> </ul>
ColorWorks – Royal		Cut 8 strips measuring 4" by WOF
#9000-45	2 ½ yards	<ul> <li>Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for outer border)</li> </ul>
Borders and binding		Cut 9 strips measuring 2 ½" by WOF
		Join end to end using a diagonal seam (for binding)
Race Car border print #21472-42	2 ¾ yards	<ul> <li>Fussy cut two strips measuring approximately 93" long by 6"</li> <li>Fussy cut two strips measuring approximately 64" long by 6"</li> </ul> RACE SE
Fabric G - #21138-42	5 ¾ yards	Pieced lengthwise
Tossed cars – (backing)		

## Assembly:

**Center section:** Join the three panels together along the long sides, carefully matching where the roads meet. The panels can be assembled in any order as the roads were designed to interconnect with each other on all four sides. The center should measure approximately 43" by 69 ½". (See note below.)

Inner border: Using the strips cut from ColorWorks #9000-45, cut two border strips measuring 69 ½" long or the length that corresponds to the length of your quilt. Sew a border strip to either side of the center section. Press towards the border. Cut two more border strips for the top and bottom that correspond to the width of your quilt and sew them to the top and bottom. Note the size of borders varies depending on which option you have chosen.

**Themed border:** Using the appropriate border print, sew on the themed border using a mitered corner. If you prefer, make a straight butted corner (sew the side borders on first and then the top and bottom).

**Outer border:** If you are sewing Option 2 or Option 3, the final outer border will be added the same way that the inner border was added.

NOTE: It is best to NOT prewash preprinted fabrics such as panels and border prints. The fabric goes through many processes to be delivered to the consumer and there may be some size variations. If you're unable to cut the panels to the size mentioned above, cut the pieces to a size that works for your panels and adjust any other measurements accordingly.