

# TARTAN TRADITIONS *of Canada*

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## CANADIAN TARTANS

FREE PATTERN • 54" x 39" • By Northcott Studio

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Featuring Northcott's *Tartan Traditions of Canada* Collection

## Requirements & Cutting:

Fabric	Yardage	Cutting Instructions
DP25586-11	3/4 yd (1 Panel)	Trim to 27 ½" x 42 ½"
W25572-23 W25573-24 W25574-76 W25575-54 W25576-76 W25577-76 W25578-24 W25579-24 W25580-44 W25581-74 W25582-76 W25583-76 W25584-96 W25585-42	1/8 yd (or Fat Eighth) each	From each, cut 1 – 3 ½ X WOF strip ➤ From each strip, sub-cut 3 to 4 3 ½" squares (You will need 54 squares)
25587-24 (Outer border)	1/3 yd	Cut 5 – 2" x WOF strips ➤ Join strips as needed to sub-cut 2 – 2" x 51 ½" strips and 2 – 2" x 39 ½" strips
9030-24 (Inner Border & Binding)	2/3 yd	Cut 4 – 2" x WOF strips ➤ Sub-cut 2 – 2" x 42 ½" strips and 2 – 2" x 30 ½" strips Cut 5 – 2 ½" x WOF strips (Set aside for binding)
Backing (Choose your favorite plaid from the collection)	2 yds	No cutting required.

## Instructions:

1. Add top & bottom inner borders to trimmed panel, pressing seams toward the borders; then add side borders in the same manner.

**NOTE: Visit the Resources section on our website for tips on trimming panels and adding coping strips.**

2. Randomly join the 3 ½" tartan squares (or refer to the quilt image for placement). Join 15 squares for each top & border border and 12 squares for each side border. Measure and trim the length of each pieced strip if necessary.
3. Add top & bottom tartan borders to the quilt top, then add side borders, pressing toward the inner border.
4. Add outer borders in the same manner, pressing toward the outer border.
5. Join binding strips using diagonal seams. Fold in half, wrong sides together, along the length of the strip and press.
6. Layer quilt top with batting & backing. Quilt as desired. Bind using your favorite method.