I Spy (Teenager Version)

CREDIT

First created by Didi at DidiQuilts.com who was (maybe still is) a member of Greenville Modern Quilt Guild. Then it was made into a quilt and posted by Paige of Bee Inspired also of Greenville Modern Quilt Guild. Paige posted this on her website on March 1, 2018. Paige made this for a teenage girl who was in foster care at the time.

Here is a picture of two blocks. Two community quilts for the Okanagan Modern Guild were shown at guild on February 25, 2025.



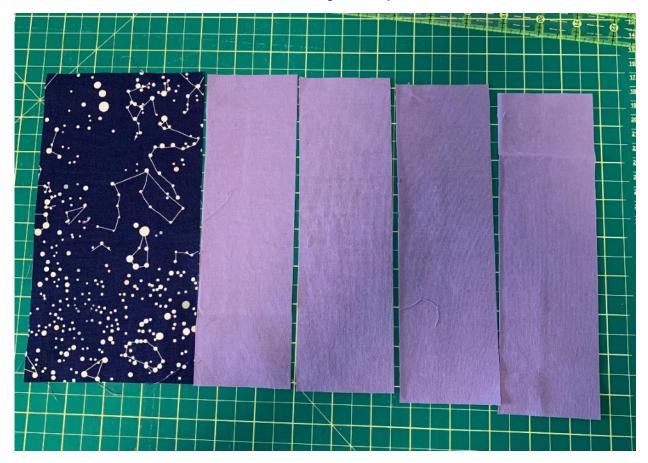
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- 1 rectangle of novelty prints or other prints that inspire you! The size is 4 ½ inches by 8 ½ inches. Preference is for gender neutral fabrics and please, no flowers.

4 rectangles 2 ½ inches by 8 ½ inches of solid fabric that contrasts or "goes with" the first rectangle. Colours are limited to pink, purple, blue, aqua, and grey. You can use lights, mediums and darks in any shade or tone of these colours. I used light grey and dark purple for my blocks.

SEW

- 2 of the 2 ½ inch by 8 ½ inch solid fabric rectangles to each long side of the print fabric. Press the seams towards the solid fabric.
- The third and fourth 2 ½ inch by 8 ½ inch rectangles are then sewn to the top and bottom of the block. Press outward to the solid fabric again and you are finished.



DOUBLE CHECK

Your block should measure at 8 ½ inches by 12 ½ inches. Pat yourself on the back! You are contributing to another quilt for the former residents of Hadgraft Wilson Place!

Personal note: The quilts made with these blocks feel like quilts for people of any age – not just teenagers. If you have any questions, please see me at guild. – Phyllis Janzen