# The Very Hungry Caterpillar

BY ERIC CARLE



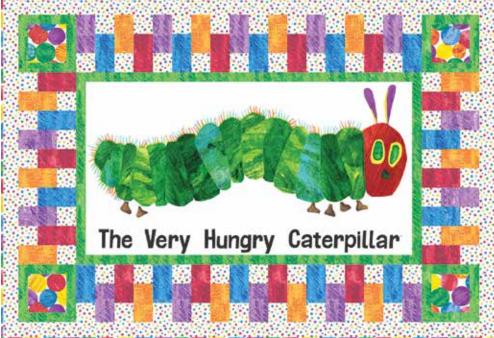


Dashing Play Mat Quilt Design:

**Heidi Pridemore** 

Quilt Size: 66" x 44"

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## **Dashing Play Mat**

Featuring Andover Fabrics new Collection: The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle Quilt designed by Heidi Pridemore



Quilt finished 66" x 44"

## **Cutting Directions**

Fabric A

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. Borders are cut to exact length required plus 1/4" seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Fussy cut (1) 23" x 43"

Fabric B	Cut (3) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the
	strips together end to end, with
	diagonal seams, and cut

(2) 2 ½" x 47" strips. Cut (2) 2 ½" x 23" strips.

Cut (1) 8" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8)  $1\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8" strips and (8)  $1\frac{3}{4}$ " x  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.

**Fabric C** Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 5 ½" squares.

**Fabric D** Cut (1)  $5 \frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF strip.

**Fabric E** Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip.

**Fabric F** Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip.

**Fabric G** Cut (1) 5 ½" x WOF strip.

**Fabric H** Cut (4) 3" x WOF strips.

Cut (4) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end, with diagonal seams, and cut (2) 2 ½" x 64 ½" strips.

Cut (2) 2 ½" x 40 ½" WOF strips.

**Fabric I** Cut (6) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

**Backing** Cut (2) 52" x WOF strips. Sew the

strips together and trim to make  $\,$ 

(1) 52" x 74" backing.

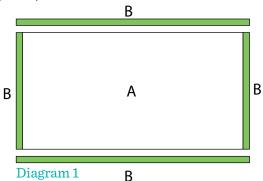
### **Fabric Requirements**

		Yardage	Fabric
Fabric A	center	1 yard	7914-X
Fabric B	frames	²⁄₃ yard	P0260-3476-G
Fabric C	corner blocks	1/4 yard	7916-X
Fabric D	blocks	1/4 yard	P0260-3476-P
Fabric E	blocks	1/4 yard	P0260-3476-B
Fabric F	blocks	1/4 yard	P0260-3477-Y
Fabric G	blocks	1/4 yard	P0260-3476-R
Fabric H	background	1 yard	7674-X
Fabric I	binding	½ yard	7915-X
Backing		3 yards	7762-G

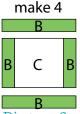
## Making the Quilt

#### 1. Block Assembly

Sew (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 23" Fabric B strip to each side of the 23" x 43" Fabric A strip. Sew (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 47" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A strip. Trim the block to measure  $25\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $45\frac{1}{2}$ " to make the Center Block (Diagram 1).

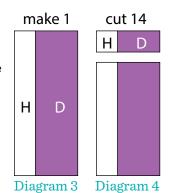


**2.** Sew (1) 1 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 5 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 5 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" Fabric C square. Sew (1) 1 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 8" Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric C square to make (1) 8" Corner Block (Diagram 2). Repeat to make (4) 8" Corner Blocks total.



## **Dashing Play Mat**

3. Sew (1) 3" x WOF
Fabric H strip and (1)
5 ½" x WOF Fabric D
strip together lengthwise
(Diagram 3). Sub-cut
this strip into (14) 3" x 8"
DH strips (Diagram 4).



4. Sew (1) 3" x WOF
Fabric H strip and (1)
5 ½" x WOF Fabric E
strip together lengthwise
(Diagram 5). Sub-cut
this strip into (14) 3" x 8"
EH strips (Diagram 6).

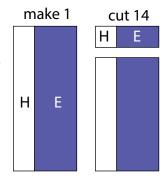
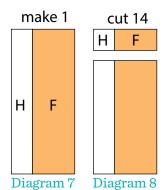
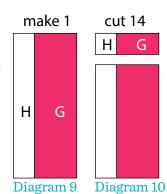


Diagram 5 Diagram 6

5. Sew (1) 3" x WOF
Fabric H strip and (1)
5 ½" x WOF Fabric F
strip together lengthwise
(Diagram 7). Sub-cut
this strip into (14) 3" x 8"
FH strips (Diagram 8).



6. Sew (1) 3" x WOF
Fabric H strip and (1)
5 ½" x WOF Fabric G
strip together lengthwise
(Diagram 9). Sub-cut
this strip into (14) 3" x 8"
GH strips (Diagram 10).



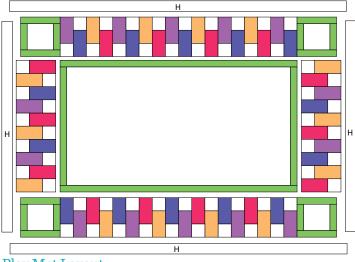
7. Play Mat Top Assembly
(Refer to the Play Mat Layout when assembling
the Play Mat top.)

Sew (10) assorted strips together lengthwise to make (1) strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew (1) strip to each side of the Center Block.

- 8. Sew (18) assorted strips together lengthwise to make (1) strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew (1) Corner Block to each end of both strips. Sew the resulting strips to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the Play Mat top.
- **9.** Sew (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $40\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric H strip to each side of the Play Mat top. Sew (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $64\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric H strip to the top and to the bottom of the Play Mat top.

## Finishing the Quilt

- 10. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 11. Sew the (6) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric I strips together, end to end with a 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
- 12. Bind as desired.

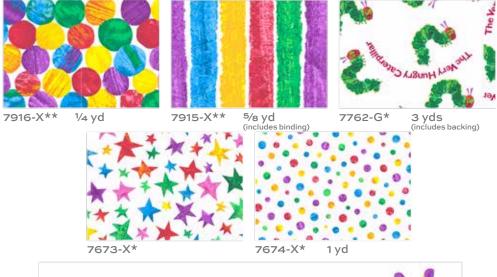


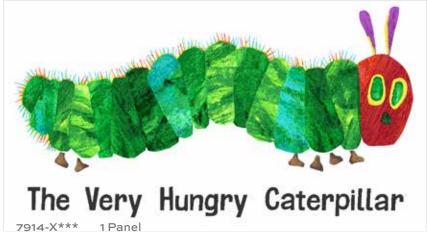
Play Mat Layout

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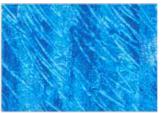




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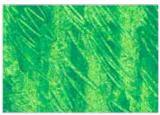
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P0260-3476-B\* 1/4 yd



P0260-3476-R\* 1/4 yd



P0260-3476-G\* <sup>2</sup>/3 yd



P0260-3474-M\*

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