



# Easy Pieced Envelope Quilt Pattern

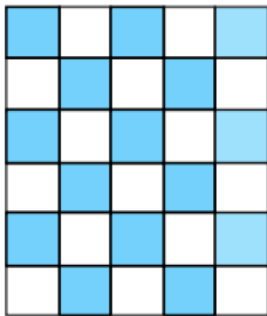
This pattern works up quick and easy and is a wonderful way to quilt our 'Kids Helping Kids' squares!

## Fabric Requirements:

- [15] 8 1/2" decorated kids helping kids squares
- [15] 8 1/2" cotton fabric squares (can be all the same or different patterns - wash before cutting)
- 1 1/2 yards solid fleece (for backing)

## Sewing directions:

- 1) Using 1/4" seams, sew the 8 1/2" squares together in 6 rows of 5, alternating the decorated kids helping kids squares with the cotton fabric squares. Press seams in alternating directions on each row.



- 2) Sew rows together and press seams in one direction.
- 3) Place fleece, right side up on large surface. Place pieced quilt top, right side down on top of fleece. Pin layers together.
- 4) Stitch 1/4" seam around all sides of the blanket, (removing all pins as you sew) leaving a 7" opening.
- 5) Trim off extra fleece backing and turn right sides out. Topstitch 1/8" seam all around edge of blanket to quilt pieces together and close opening.
- 6) After top stitching around the edge and turning right side out, add embroidery floss hand ties every six inches or so.

## Additional Options:

You can add 2" wide strips to all sides of the quilt top to border it. Use this method to envelope other types of smaller quilt tops.

