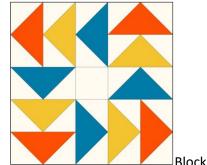
A Quilting Life Block of the Month 2018: February—Flying Geese

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Cutting:

February: Flying Geese	12 1/2" Block (finished)
Fabric 1 (orange in block)	(4) 3" x 5 1/2" rectangles
Fabric 2 – 7 (yellow in block)	(4) 3" x 5 1/2" rectangles
Fabric 3 (blue in block)	(4) 3" x 5 1/2" rectangles
Background	(25) 3" x 3" Squares

- 1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of 24 of the background squares 3" x 3".
- 2. Place a background square right sides together with a $3'' \times 5 \frac{1}{2}''$ print rectangle. Sew along the line and press out. Trim the seam allowance to $\frac{1}{4}''$ (figure 1).
- 3. Sew another $3'' \times 3''$ background square to the other side of the unit from step one using the same technique (figure 2).





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Fig. :

Block Diagram

Assemble the Flying Geese Block:

- 1. Sew three flying geese together as shown in the top left corner of the block (orange, yellow, and blue in the block diagram). Then sew two flying geese together as shown in the top right corner of the block (orange and yellow in the block diagram). Sew these two units together as shown to make the top of the block. Repeat to use for the bottom of the block (section will be turned upside down for use at the bottom of the block).
- 2. Make the center section of the block by sewing two flying geese units to the center square as shown. Make sure the flying geese units are facing the opposite directions as shown (blue geese units in the block diagram).
- 3. Sew the three block sections together to make the block, making sure to reverse the section made in step one as shown in the block diagram. Press seams toward the center section.

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