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# Cat Tales

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SIZE: 80" x 96"

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PROJECT









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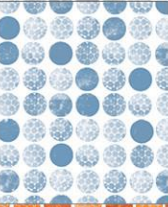





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KEY	FABRIC	SKU	YD	CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS
A		31835S - White *Solid White	1/2	<b>Inner border #2:</b> (8) 1 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 1 1/2" x 70 1/2" and (2) 1 1/2" x 84 1/2" strips.
B		37098-03 Smoke *Palette	2 1/2	<p><b>Block A:</b>            (1) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles.            (3) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 2 1/2" x 14 1/2" rectangles.            (2) 3 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" and (5) 3 1/2" x 5" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block B:</b>            (2) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2") and (3) 1 1/2" x 14 1/2") rectangles.            (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3" x 4" rectangles.            (1) 20" x WOF. Subcut (2) G, (2) H, (2) I and (2) L and (1) G-Reverse, (1) H-reverse, (1) I-reverse, and (1) L-reverse pieces from provided templates.</p> <p><b>Block C:</b>            (5) 1 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (6) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" and (6) 1 1/2" x 14 1/2" rectangles.            (1) 2" x WOF. Subcut (6) 2" x 4 1/2" rectangles.            (2) 3" x WOF. Subcut (6) 3" x 8" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block D:</b>            (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares and (3) 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles.            (1) 3 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" and (3) 3 1/2" x 5" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block E:</b>            (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3" x 3 1/2" rectangles.            (1) 14 1/2" x WOF. Subcut 3 (1 1/2" x 14 1/2") and 3 (9 1/2" x 13 1/2") rectangles.</p>
D		42836-2 Grey	1 3/4	<p><b>Block D:</b> (1) 4 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 4 1/2" x 11 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Outer border:</b> (9) 5 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 5 1/2" x 80 1/2" and (2) 5 1/2" x 86 1/2" strips.</p>
E		42837-1 White	3/8	<b>Block A:</b> (1) 11 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 4 1/2" x 11 1/2" rectangles.
F		42837-2 Grey	1/4	<b>Block B:</b> (1) 3 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangles.
G		42837-3 Blue	3/8	<b>Block C:</b> (1) 10" x WOF. Subcut (6) 4" x 10" rectangles.
H		42838-1 White	5/8	<p><b>Blocks A &amp; D:</b> (1) 10" x WOF. Subcut (8) 3 1/2" x 10" (5 for Block A and 3 for Block D).</p> <p><b>Block C:</b> (1) 8 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (6) 4 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles.</p>



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I		42839-4 Aqua	3/8	<p><b>Block B:</b> (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block C:</b> (2) 3" x WOF. Subcut (6) 3" x 12 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block E:</b> (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p>
J		42839-5 Chartreuse	1/4	<p><b>Block B:</b> (1) 4" x WOF. Subcut (2) K pieces using provided template.</p> <p><b>Block D:</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p>
K		42839-6 Tangerine	1/2	<p><b>Block A:</b> (2) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 2 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block B:</b> (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3" x 10" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block D:</b> (1) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block E:</b> (1) 3" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3" x 10" rectangles.</p>
L		42840-2 Grey	1/8	<p><b>Block D:</b> (1) 3 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 3 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p>
M		42840-3 Blue	5/8	<p><b>Block A:</b> (2) 3 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (5) 3 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Block B:</b> (2) 2 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (3) 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles. Cut 1 (K) piece from remaining fabric, using provided template.</p>
N		42840-6 Tangerine	1/2	<p><b>Block C:</b> (2) 4 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (6) 4 1/2" x 13 1/2" rectangles.</p>
O		42841-7 Light Grey	2 1/4	<p><b>Sashing rectangles:</b> (1) 14 1/2" x WOF. Subcut (15) 2 1/2" x 14 1/2" rectangles.</p> <p><b>Sashing strips:</b> (7) 2 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (4) 2 1/2" x 62 1/2" strips.</p> <p><b>Inner border #1:</b> (8) 3 1/2" x WOF. Piece strips and subcut (2) 3 1/2" x 68 1/2" and (2) 3 1/2" x 78 1/2" strips.</p> <p><b>Block :</b> 3 cat shapes using provided template (please note orientation of cats) using applique method of choice</p>
P		37098-19 Pumpkin *Palette	3/4	<p><b>Binding:</b> Cut into 2 1/4" strips. Piece strips to make a continuous binding strip.</p>
		Backing	5 3/4	
				88" x 104" Batting

*Designer's Note: Due to each block having different pieces, it is advisable to cut the pieces, and organize them by blocks to help piecing the blocks more easily and efficiently.*



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## Constructing Block A

1. Section 1. Sew (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 4\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle on top of (1)  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 11\frac{1}{2}''$  **E** rectangle.
2. Section 2. Sew together (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 13\frac{1}{2}''$  **M** rectangle and (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 13\frac{1}{2}''$  **K** rectangle. Add (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 5\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle on top of the sewn unit.
3. Section 3. Sew (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 5''$  **B** rectangle on top of (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 10''$  **H** rectangle.
4. Sew Sections 1-3 together. Add (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 14\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle to the right to complete (1) block. Sq to  $14\frac{1}{2}''$ .
5. Repeat to make (5) blocks.



## Constructing Block B

1. Slanted Book Section. Sew (1) **B L** piece to the left of, and (1) **B I** piece to the bottom of (1) **M K** piece; followed by (1) **B G** piece to the left of, and (1) **B H** piece to the top and right of the same **M K** piece to complete section. Sq to  $8\frac{1}{2}'' \times 9\frac{1}{2}''$ .



2. Section 1. Sew together (1)  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  **B** rectangle to the left of (1)  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}''$  **M** rectangle. Add sewn unit to the bottom of slanted book section, followed by (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}'' \times 9\frac{1}{2}''$  **F** rectangle.





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3. Section 2. Sew together (1) 3" x 4" **B** rectangle on top of (1) 3" x 10" **K** rectangle. Add (1) 3" x 13 1/2" **I** rectangle to the left of sewn unit.



4. Sew Sections 1-2 together, followed by 1 (1 1/2" x 14 1/2") **B** rectangle on top to complete 1 block. Sq to 14 1/2".



5. Repeat to make a total number of blocks in the following color ways and orientations.

1 Block





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## Constructing Block C

1. Section 1. Sew (1) 2" x 4 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of (1) 4 1/2" x 8 1/2" **H** rectangle.
2. Section 2. Sew (1) 4" x 10" **G** rectangle to the left of Section 1. Add (1) 3" x 8" **B** rectangle to the top of sewn unit.
3. Section 3. Sew (1) 3" x 12 1/2" **I** rectangle to the left of Section 2. Add (1) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of sewn unit.
4. Sew (1) 4 1/2" x 13 1/2" **N** rectangle to the left of Section 3. Add (1) 1 1/2" x 14 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of sewn unit to complete 1 block. Sq to 14 1/2".



5. Repeat to make a total of (3) blocks, and (3) reverse blocks.

## Constructing Block D

1. Section 1. Sew (1) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" **B** square to the top of (1) 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" **K** rectangle.
2. Section 2. Sew (1) 3 1/2" x 5" **B** rectangle to the top of (1) 3 1/2" x 10" **H** rectangle.
3. Section 3. Sew (1) 2 1/2" x 13 1/2" **J** rectangle and (1) 3 1/2" x 13 1/2" **L** rectangle together. Add (1) 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of sewn unit.
4. Section 4. Sew (1) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of (1) 4 1/2" x 11 1/2" **D** rectangle.
5. Sew Sections 1-4 together to complete 1 block. Sq to 14 1/2" Repeat to make a total 3 blocks. Sq to 14 1/2".





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## Constructing Block E

1. Section 1. Sew (1) 3" x 13 1/2" **I** rectangle to the right of (1) 9 1/2" x 13 1/2" **B** rectangle.
2. Section 2. Sew (1) 3" x 3 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of (1) 3" x 10 1/2" **K** rectangle.
3. Sew Section 1 and 2 together. Add (1) 1 1/2" x 14 1/2" **B** rectangle to the top of sewn unit to complete 1 block. Sq to 14 1/2".



4. Repeat to make a total of 2 blocks and 1 reverse block.

1 Block



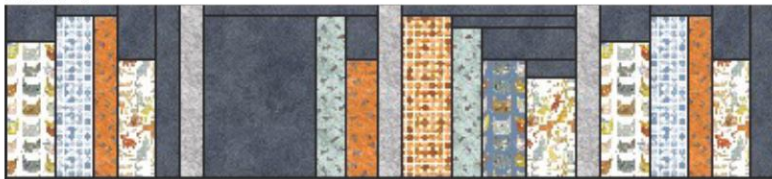
2 Blocks



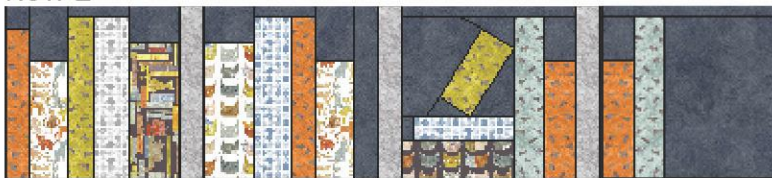
## Quilt Center Assembly

1. Arrange and sew together (4) pieced blocks and (3) 2 1/2" x 14 1/2" **O** sashing rectangles to make a pieced row.

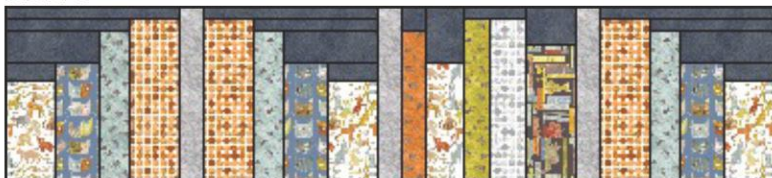
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Row 2



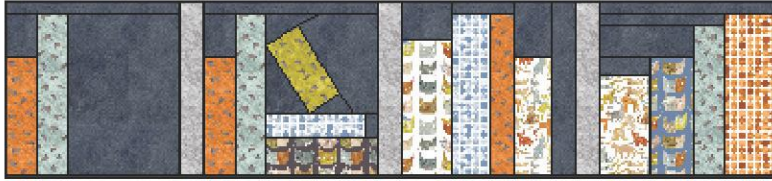
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Row 4



Row 5



2. Sew pieced rows and (4) 2 1/2" x 62 1/2"  strips together to complete quilt center.







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3. Use method of choice to prepare applique pieces. Use diagram below as a placement guide for cat applique pieces. Sew applique pieces in place using method of choice.





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## Quilt Top Assembly

1. Inner border #1. Sew (2) 3 1/2" x 78 1/2" **O** strips to the opposite long sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 3 1/2" x 68 1/2" **O** strips to the remaining opposite short sides.
2. Inner border #2. Sew (2) 1 1/2" x 84 1/2" **A** strips to the opposite long sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 1 1/2" x 70 1/2" **A** strips to the remaining opposite short sides.
3. Outer border. Sew (2) 5 1/2" x 86 1/2" **D** strips to the opposite long sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 5 1/2" x 80 1/2" **D** strips to the remaining opposite short sides.



## Quilting Instructions:

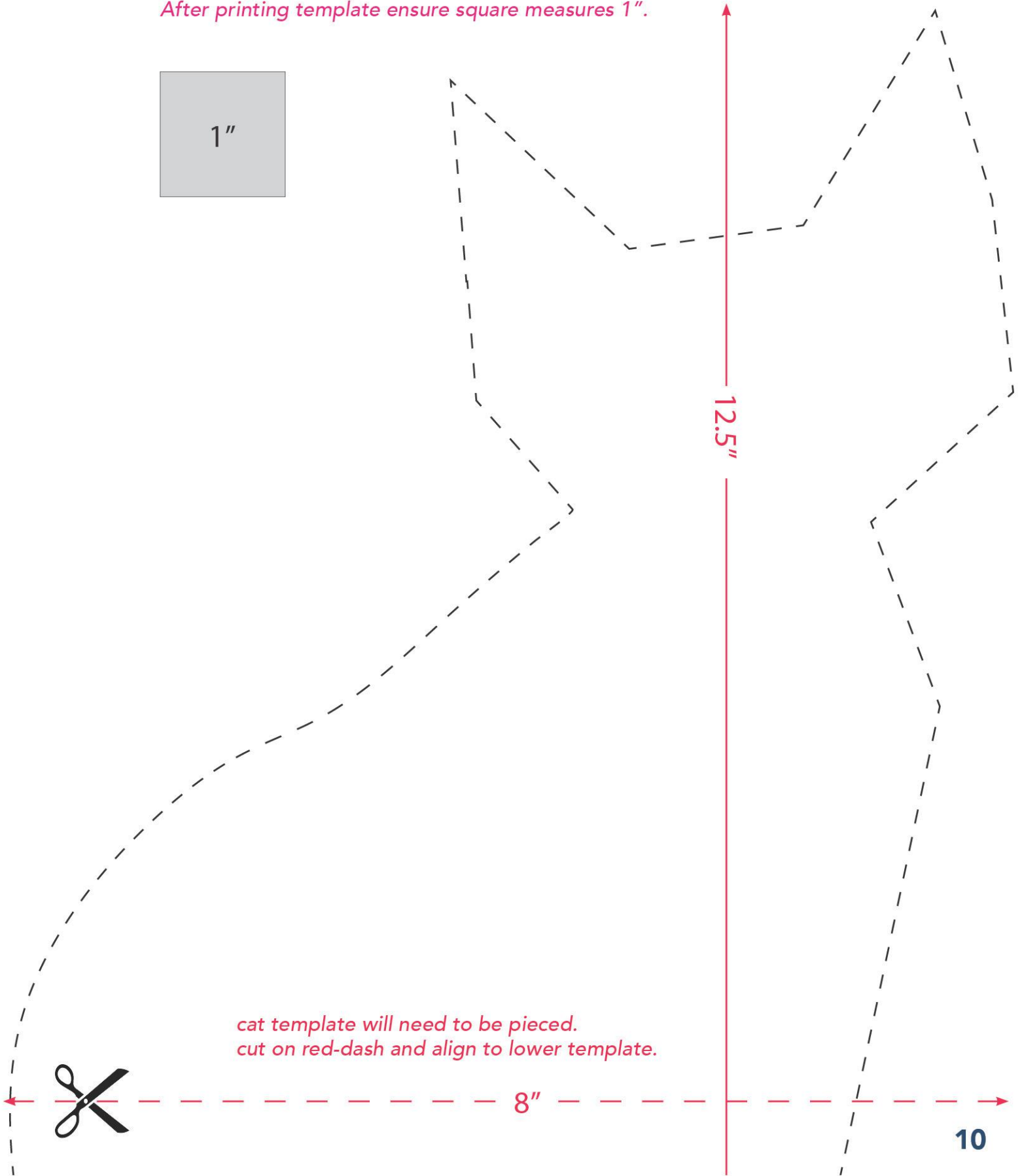
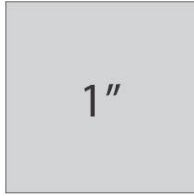
1. With the backing fabric laying taut, place batting and then quilt top to form quilt sandwich. Baste sandwich.
2. Quilt as desired.
3. Bind to finish quilt.



# Appliqué Template

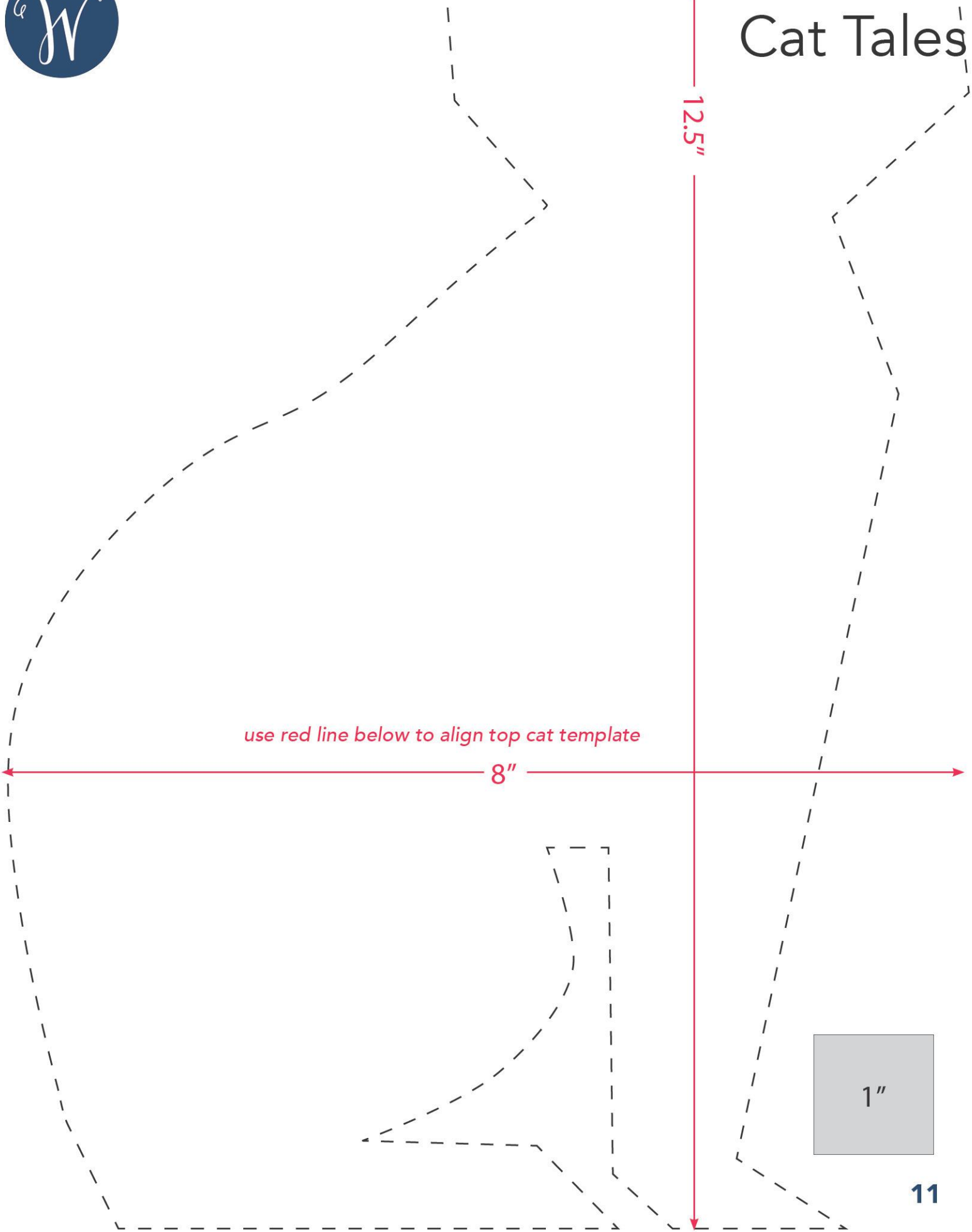
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Print templates at 100%.  
After printing template ensure square measures 1".





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