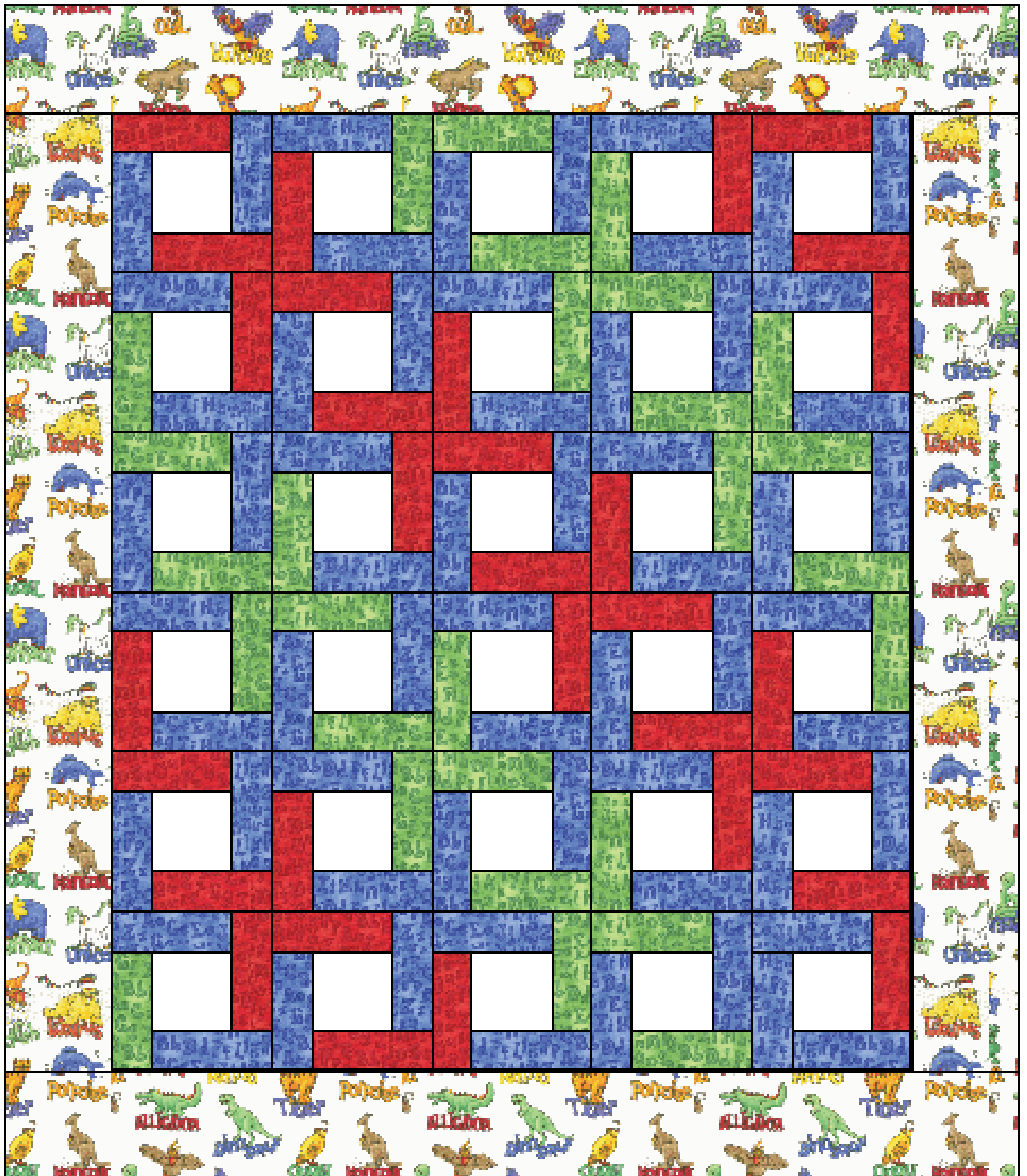


# Alphabet Animal Flannel Quilt

38" x 44"



## **Cutting Instructions**

**Solid white fabric—cut (30) 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" squares**

**Red fabric—cut (31) 2" x 5" rectangles**

**Green fabrics—cut (28) 2" x 5" rectangles**

**Blue fabric—cut (61) 2" x 5" rectangles**

**You will cut the border fabrics later.**

## **Appliqué**

**Apply the Heat N Bond to the fat quarter of printed fabric. You will cut out an animal for each letter of the alphabet. I just rough cut them keeping a nice white border around each one. When you cut these pieces out keep the shapes easy to appliqué. Remove the paper from the web and fuse an animal to 26 white squares. Either leave the other 4 square blank or decorate with other fabric or embroidery. We used a satin stitch for our appliqué stitch.**

## **Block assembly**

**Write in the letters of the alphabet where you want them to be on the diagram of the quilt. We left the four corners blank. Using the diagram assemble the blocks as needed to get the secondary pattern. Continue using the diagram to sew your rows together.**

## **Borders**

**Your borders will be cut 4 1/2" wide. Attach your side borders first. Find the fabric that you can cut out two borders side by side and have your animals going in the correct direction for the sides of your quilt. Be sure to measure your quilt and cut your borders to the correct length. After your side borders are attached and pressed, do the same for the top and bottom border.**

## **Quilting**

**We stitched-in-the-ditch around the white solid squares, using white thread. Using a variegated thread we stitched lines through the X blocks that were formed. The borders were quilted in white thread with lines going from the edge of the blocks to the outside of the quilt. Use the blocks as a guide for spacing.**

## **Binding**

**We bound our quilt with the blue fabric. The binding was cut to 2 1/4" wide and attached with a seam allowance slightly larger than 1/4"**

**Enjoy your quilt!**