



Quilt Prep Checklist

Backing

Length = Length of quilt top + 8in
Width = Width of quilt top +8in

Batting (filler)

Length = Length of quilt top + 2in
Width = Width of quilt top + 2in

Binding Strips

Length = Length of quilt top + 8in
Width = Width of quilt top +8in

Quilt Top

- Do NOT BASTE your top, batting and backing together. I do this when I load your pieces onto the longarm
- Ironing
 - Iron the open seams on the backing reduce bulk and create a smooth top
 - Go over the quilt top with an iron to press out any wrinkles
- Trimming threads
 - Trim the loose threads on wrong side of the top as they can show up under lighter fabrics and distract from the beauty of your quilt.
 - Trim threads on the top of the quilt as these can get caught in the foot of the machine and may damage your quilt.
 - Snip off the Interior selvages. You may leave any on the outer edges as these will be trimmed.

Questions?

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