

# Sierra Quilt Guild Block of the Month - October, 2019 Halloween Stair Steps Block

This is a quick and fun little block to make. The unfinished size of this block is 9", finished size will be 8 1/2".

**Fabric Requirements:** Supplied background fabric and 4 other coordinating fabrics of your choice.

**Background Fabric:** The background fabric is an orange and black print and will be supplied for this block.

You will need to cut the following out of the provided background fabric

Three 2" x 2" squares                      Two 2" x 6" rectangles  
Two 2" x 8" rectangles                  Two 2" x 4" rectangles

**Fabric A:** Two 2" x 2" squares and two 2" x 4" rectangles

**Fabrics B, C and D:** One 2" x 2" square and one 2" x 4" rectangle **from each fabric**

## **Assembly Instructions:**

This block is sewn together in 6 columns.

Step 1: Lay your cut pieces out on a flat surface or design wall as shown in the photo:



Step 2: Sew the pieces of column 1 together. Repeat for columns 2 – 6. Press the seams for columns 1, 3, and 5 down. Press the seams for columns 2, 4 and 6 up.



Step 3: Stitch column 1 to column 2, making sure to "nest" the connecting seams. Repeat with the remainder of the columns. Your block will look "wonky", but don't worry! Press seams flat so that are all going the same direction. Trim your block to 9".

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