

# April Rain

fabric: lt gray, blue or white background.

raindrops: pick 4 colors.

## Cutting:

raindrops

1 piece 4" x 5" (A)

background

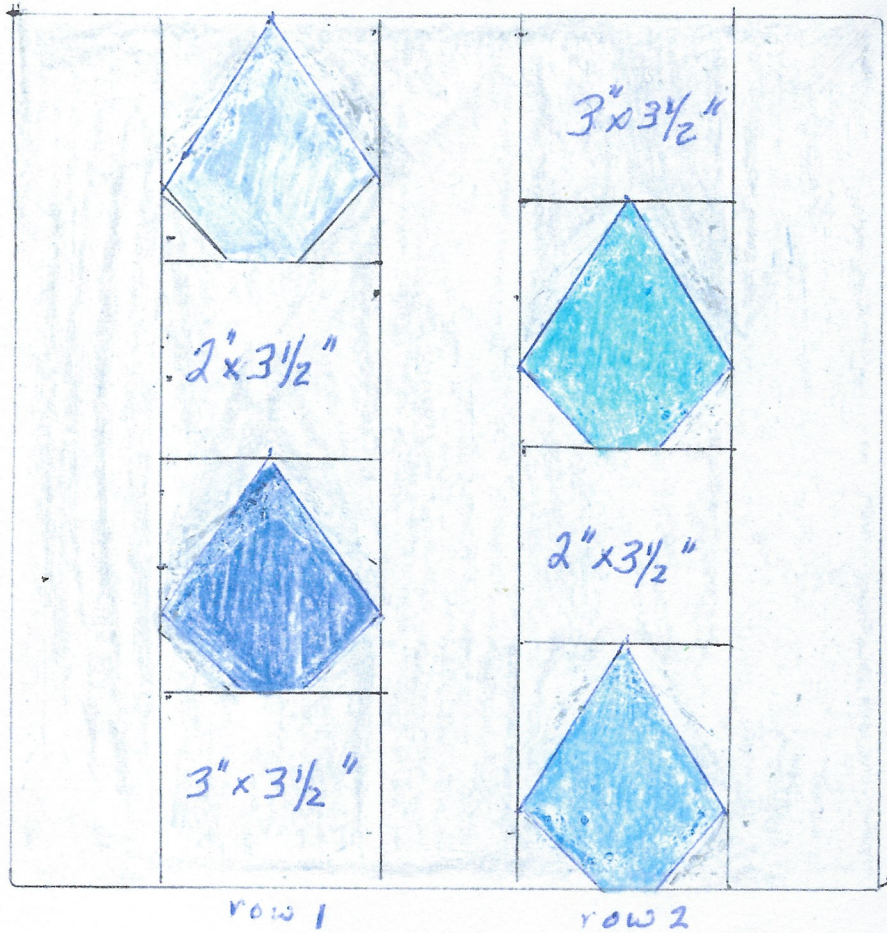
(3) 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" rectangles

(4) 2 1/2" squares (B)  
cut in half diagonally

(8) 2 1/4" x 4" rectangles (C)

(2) 2" x 3 1/2" rectangles

(2) 3" x 3 1/2" rectangles



## Raindrop Blocks (Make 18)

Select 1 A rectangle, 1 B square, 2 C rectangles and 1 paper foundation.

Cut the B square on 1 diagonal for 2 triangles. 

Place the paper foundation on top of the A rectangle, wrong sides together (WST), matching the edges and pin in the center.

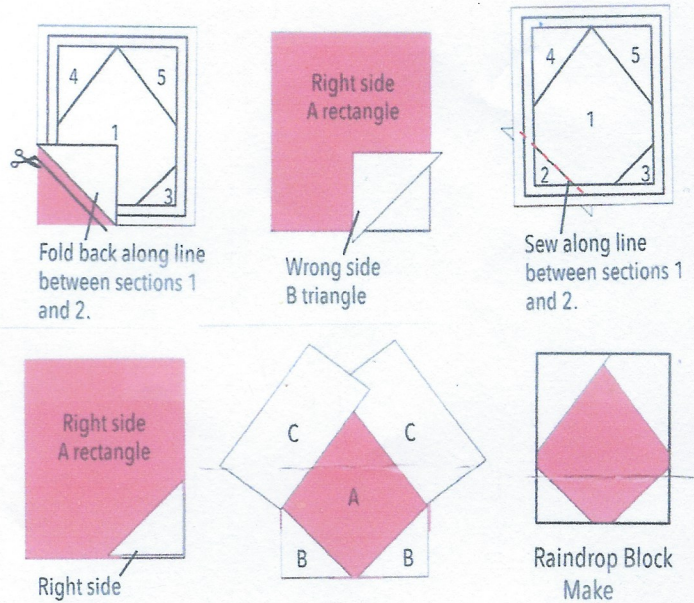
Fold the paper foundation away from the A rectangle along the line between sections 1 and 2. Trim the A rectangle to 1/4" beyond the fold. Open the paper and press flat.

Place 1 B triangle on the A rectangle, right side together (RST), centered along the trimmed edge. Sew along the line between sections 1 and 2 on the paper foundation extending through the seam allowance. Press the triangle away from the A rectangle over section 2.

Repeat to sew the second triangle over section 3.

Using the same process, sew the C rectangles over sections 4 and 5.

Trim the completed foundation to 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" to complete 1 Raindrop Block.



Put together rows as shown. Press seams to solid background blocks. Add 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" rectangles. Press seams toward rectangles. Block should measure 12 1/2" x 12 1/2"

