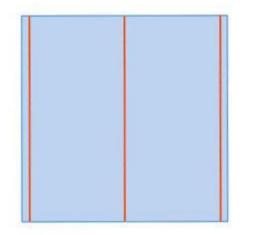
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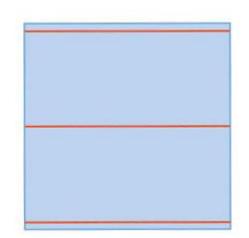
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## Flange and Borders

Yay, you made it to the end!

Let's talk about borders. It's always best to cut your borders to size rather than sewing them on and trimming the extra. To do that, you want to measure your quilt in 3 places along the width and 3 places along the length.





Once you have your measurements, take an average for each direction. Add your 3 measurements together and divide by 3. That will give you the length to cut your borders. Once you have your borders cut, fold your border fabric in half to get the center. Match that with the center of the side of the quilt you are sewing it to. Pin! Now pin your top and bottom ends. Now you can ease your fabric in or out with pinning in between the pinned center and each end. Sew and repeat for the other sides.

This quilt has a flange which is super cute. Just like the trim on a pillowcase.

Follow the instructions in your book for the order to sew your flange and borders on. Ta-da! You are done!



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