

Arabian Nights class instructions

We will start with Part A and D: the New York Beauty arches and the large, colorful point on top of the arches. We will cut the fabrics for all the arches and part D first. Because we use the paper foundation technique to make the spikes in part A, it is not necessary to be extremely precise when cutting the fabric pieces. I have made a **Fabric and Cutting Chart** for each of the seventeen arches and part D. Follow the steps and you will see how fast and easy it is to cut the fabrics for the seventeen arches and part D. But I did however, add some extra fabrics to each color, just in case.

Some points of attention:

- The large New York Beauty arch is part A and you must make the arch 2 times in the same color way.
- The fabrics for the odd spikes: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21 & 23 are for the inside of the New York Beauty arch.
- The fabrics for the even spikes: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 & 22 are for the outside of the New York Beauty arch.
- The color of the even spikes, also demands using the color of the two large, solid batik points for part D.
- I have drawn small arrows in the foundation points. These arrows indicate the direction of the stitching line.
- The numbers in the little circles are the fabric numbers.
- The other numbers is the stitching order for the foundation points.

The size of the fabric pieces in part A is larger than necessary. This allows you to make **two** spikes from each rectangle you cut. After sewing the first spike, cut off the excess fabric and set the remnant aside. You can use that remnant in one of the next spikes or in the next arch in the same color.

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-1 & D

Fabric 1	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 11	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 33	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 33 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template Part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 33.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-2 & D

Fabric 8	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 14	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 30	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 30 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 30.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-3 & D

Fabric 15	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 18	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 43	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 43 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 43.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-4 & D

Fabric 29	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 21	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 41	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 41 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 41.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-5 & D

Fabric 9	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 18	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 43	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 43 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 43.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-6 & D

Fabric 26	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 19	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 42	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 42 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 42.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-7 & D

Fabric 5	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 3	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 37	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 37 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 37.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-8 & D

Fabric 16	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 12	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 32	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 32 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 32.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-9 & D

Fabric 23	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 4	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 36	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 36 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 36.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-10 & D

Fabric 28	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 22	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 40	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 40 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 40.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-11 & D

Fabric 29	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 25	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 39	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 39 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 39.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-12 & D

Fabric 29	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 6	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 34	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 34 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 34.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-13 & D

Fabric 2	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 7	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 33	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 33 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 33.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-14 & D

Fabric 24	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 3	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 37	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 37 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 37.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-15 & D

Fabric 3	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 29	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 38	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 38 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 38.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-16 & D

Fabric 10	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
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Fabric 20	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 42	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 42 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 42.	

Fabric and Cutting Chart for parts A-17 & D

Fabric 17	Odd points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 12 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 24 spikes
Fabric 27	Even points	Cut 1 strip 3½" by approximately 44"	From this strip, cut 11 pieces 3" x 3½" = for 22 spikes
Fabric 44	Part D: The point	Use freezer paper for the best result. Fold fabric 44 in half. Iron the template for Part D, the large point, onto it. Cut template part D, one time to yield 2 pieces of fabric 44.	

To keep all the New York Beauty arches separated from each other, I used zip lock bags. They are convenient, not expensive, and make it very easy to store your arches. The first part we will make is New York Beauty arch A-1, the first top left New York beauty arch. As you can see, we need 2 arches with this color set.

Fabric and cutting chart for the 17 stars

Fabric 45	Star points: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8	Cut 10 strips 3¾" by approximately 44". From each of the first nine strips, cut 14 pieces 3" x 3¾" = 126 total. From the final strip, cut 10 pieces of 3" x 3¾", for a total of 136 star points.	
Star points: 1, 3, 5, 7	Cut 1 strip 1½" x by approximately 15". Sub-cut the strip into 4 pieces 1½" x 3¾" in the <u>recommended color</u> .		
Star points: 2, 4, 6, 8	Cut 1 strip 1½" x by approximately 15". Sub-cut the strip into 4 pieces 1½" x 3¾" in the <u>recommended color</u> .		

Fabric and cutting chart for the star points in the 17 stars.

B-1	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	32	32	32	32	35	35	35	35
Fabric 32	points: 1, 3, 5, 7	Cut 1 strip 1½" x approximately 15". Sub-cut the strip into 4 pieces 1½" x 3¾" in the recommended color.						
Fabric 35	points: 2, 4, 6, 8	Cut 1 strip 1½" x approximately 15". Sub-cut the strip into 4 pieces 1½" x 3¾" in the recommended color.						

B-2	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	30	30	30	30	34	34	34	34
B-3	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	37	37	37	37	43	43	43	43

B-4	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	35	35	35	35	40	40	40	40

B-5	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	34	34	34	34	43	43	43	43

B-6	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	43	43	43	43	39	39	39	39

B-7	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	34	34	34	34	35	35	35	35

B-8	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	31	31	31	31	33	33	33	33

B-9	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	34	34	34	34	39	39	39	39

B-10	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	43	43	43	43	41	41	41	41

B-11	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	38	38	38	38	39	39	39	39

B-12	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	38	38	38	38	34	34	34	34

B-13	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	31	31	31	31	33	33	33	33

B-14	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	40	40	40	40	37	37	37	37

B-15	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	38	38	38	38	35	35	35	35

B-16	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	42	42	42	42	34	34	34	34

B-17	Fabric Point 1	Fabric Point 3	Fabric Point 5	Fabric Point 7	Fabric Point 2	Fabric Point 4	Fabric Point 6	Fabric Point 8
Foundation point 1: Always fabric 45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45
Foundation point 2	43	43	43	43	42	42	42	42

Cut the paper templates for Parts E, F and G, the Outer Border pieces from the large sheets of newsprint. Fold fabric 45 in half. Place the templates for Parts E, F and G – the outer border pieces – on to it.

- Cut template part E 5 times to yield 10 pieces.
- Cut template part F 1 time to yield 2 pieces.
- Cut template part G 2 times to yield 4 pieces.