



A Well-Dressed Table



This reversible placemat and napkin pattern features fabrics in the "Ambrosia" collection by Amanda Murphy for Robert Kaufman Fabrics.



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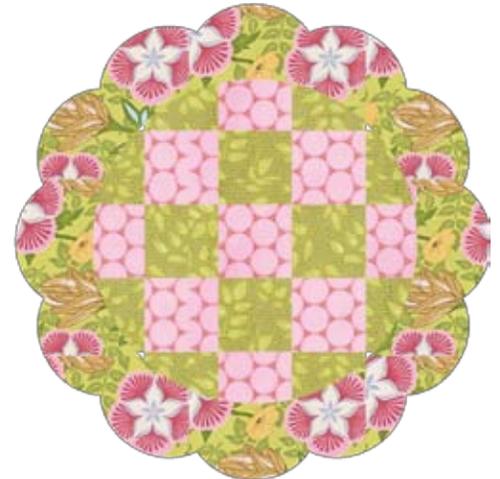




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Materials (for a set of 4 placemats and napkins)

	yardage	location	suggested fabric
A1	1 yd.	Placemat Side A main fabric	Green/pink feature AAM-10757-193
A2	1/2 yd.	Placemat Side A checkerboard	Pink circles AAM-10759-193
A3	1/2 yd.	Placemat Side A checkerboard	Green leaves AAM-10758-193
B1	1 yd.	Placemat Side B main fabric	Light Purple crackle AAM-10760-192
B2	5/8 yd.	Placemat Side B inner circle	Periwinkle/white feature AAM-10757-192
C1	7/8 yd.	Napkin Front main fabric	Blue leaves AAM-10758-192
C2	3/8 yd.	Napkin Front trim	Green circles AAM-10759-192
C3	1 yd.	Napkin Lining and Applique	Yellow circles AAM-10759-136
C4	scrap	Napkin Applique	Green medallions AAM-10756-192



Placemat Side A



Placemat Side B



Napkin

- 4 (18") scraps of quilt batting
- paper-backed fusible web



Use a 1/4" seam allowance unless otherwise noted.

Placemat Instructions

1. Cut the **A1** fabric into two half-yard pieces. Fold each piece in half lengthwise.
2. Print out two flower patterns from the back of these directions. Turn one right side down and tape the patterns together to form a half flower. Pin onto **A1** fabric with edge of pattern along the fabric fold. Cut fabric out along the **outside line** of the flower shape, then cut along the inner curve as well, forming a flower with a hole in the center. Repeat to make 4 flowers.
3. Begin piecing your checkerboard fabric. Cut 5 (3") strips from both your **A2** and **A3** fabrics. Join 3 **A2** pieces with 2 **A3** pieces, as shown in **Diagram A**. Cut 12 (3") strips from this set.
4. Join 2 **A2** pieces with 3 **A3** pieces, as shown in **Diagram B**. Cut 8 (3") strips from this set.
5. Join your strips from steps 4 and 5 to make 4 pieced checkerboards, as shown in **Diagram C**.
6. Print out two 11" circle patterns. Turn one right side down and tape the patterns together to form a semicircle. Fold each checkerboard in half and pin pattern on top with edge of pattern along the fabric fold. Cut out circle. Turn under the edge of your pieced circle 1/4" with long basting stitches, press, and set all **A** pieces aside.
7. Cut the **B1** fabric into two half-yard pieces. Fold each piece in half lengthwise. Pin your paper flower pattern along the fabric fold. Cut fabric out along the **outside line** of the flower shape. (**DO NOT** cut out the inner circle.) Repeat to make 4 flowers.
8. Print out two 9-1/2" circle patterns. Turn one right-side-down and tape the patterns together to form a semicircle. Placing pattern along folded edge of fabric, cut 4 (9-1/2") circles out of the **B2** fabric. Use basting stitches to turn under the edge of your pieced circle 1/4", press, and applique onto the **B1** flower piece using an invisible hem or applique stitch. Remove basting stitches.
9. Spread one piece of your batting on the table. Smooth a **B** flower *right-side-up* on top of the batting. Spread an **A1** flower *right-side-down* on top, aligning flower petals. Pin.

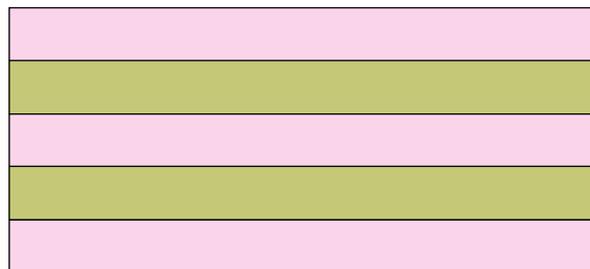


Diagram A

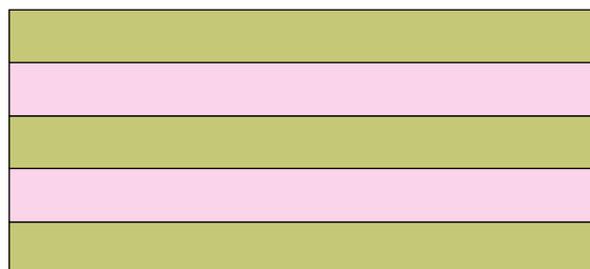


Diagram B

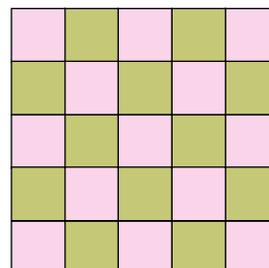
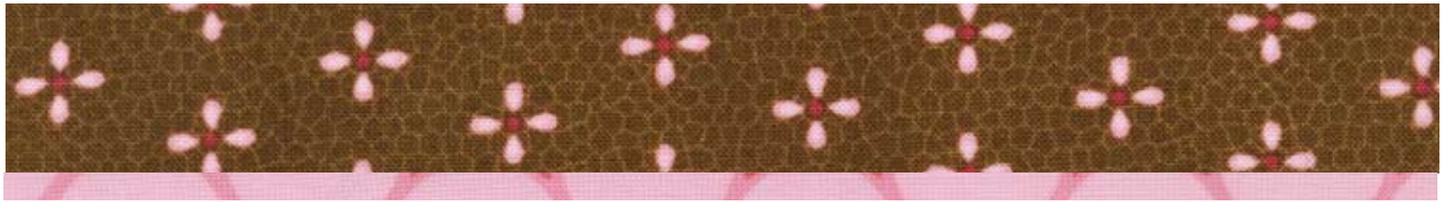


Diagram C

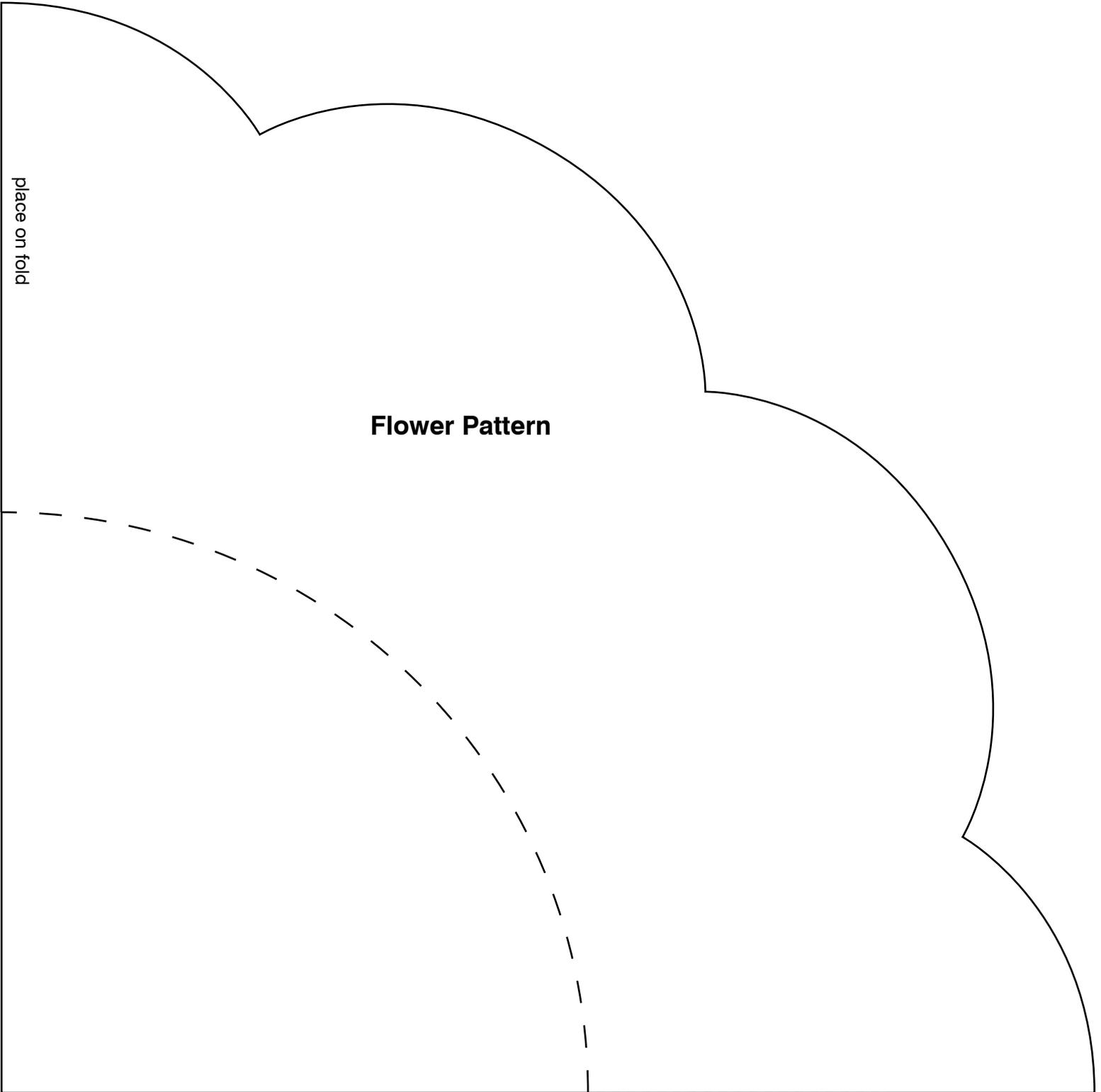


10. Stitch around the entire flower. Trim batting close to stitching. Clip inner corners. Turn the entire unit right side out through the "hole" in side **A**. Press. Topstitch around outside of the placemat, 1/8" from the edge.
11. Take the checkboard circle you set aside and pin over the hole. Attach to your flower using an invisible hem or applique stitch in coordinating thread, stitching through all layers. Remove basting stitches.
12. Quilt as desired. (I quilted in the ditch around the smaller on side **B**, then turned the placemat over and quilted in the ditch over the checkerboard pattern, within that smaller circle.)
13. Repeat steps 9-12 to complete 4 placemats.

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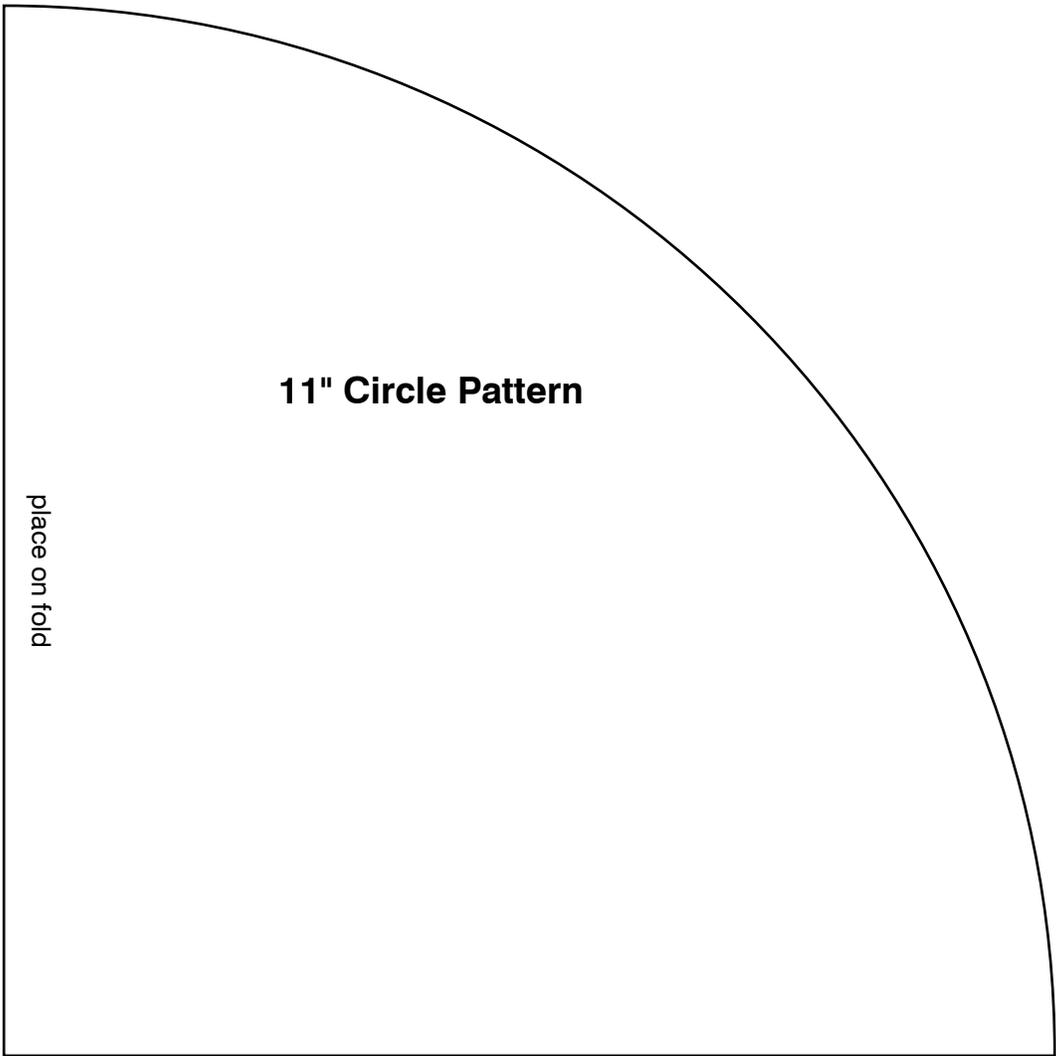
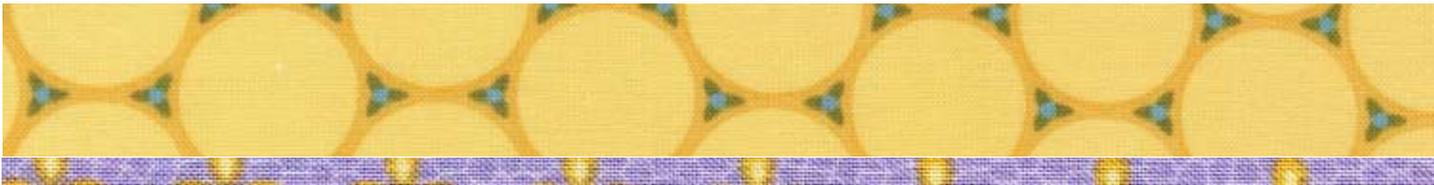
1. Cut fabric **C1** into 4 (14-1/2") squares.
2. Cut fabric **C2** into 4 (2-1/2") strips. Cut strips into 4 (14-1/2" x 2-1/2") rectangles and 4 (16-1/2" x 2-1/2" rectangles).
3. Sew a (14-1/2" x 2-1/2") rectangle onto one side of a (14-1/2") square. Press toward trim. Sew a (16-1/2" x 2-1/2") rectangle onto an adjacent side of the square. Press toward trim. Repeat to make 4 napkins.
4. Trace applique shapes onto paper-backed fusible web and press onto the back of your applique fabrics. You can vary the fabrics for each napkin or use scraps from the placemats - be creative! Cut out and fuse onto your napkins, according to the diagram on the right. Secure with buttonhole or zigzag stitches. Repeat on remaining napkins.
5. Cut 4 (16-1/2") squares from the **C3** fabric.
6. Pin one square of lining fabric to one napkin front, right-sides-together. Stitch around all edges, leaving about 4" open for turning. Turn right-side-out, press, and topstitch 1/8" from the edge, securing the opening in the process. Repeat to form all 4 napkins.
7. Enjoy your new table settings!

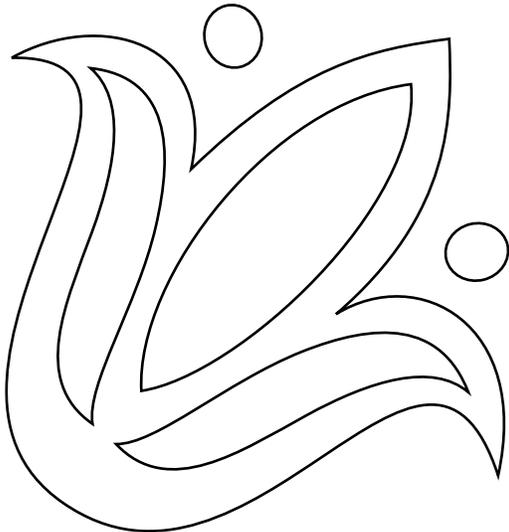




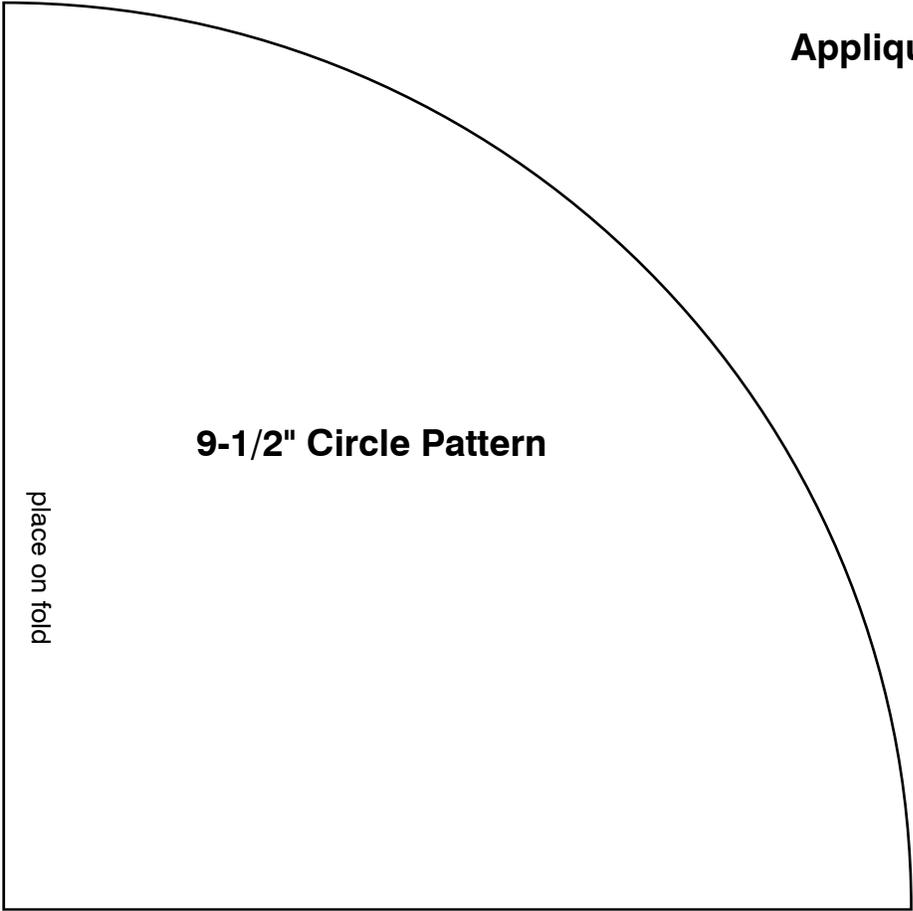
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Flower Pattern





Applique Pattern



9-1/2" Circle Pattern

place on fold