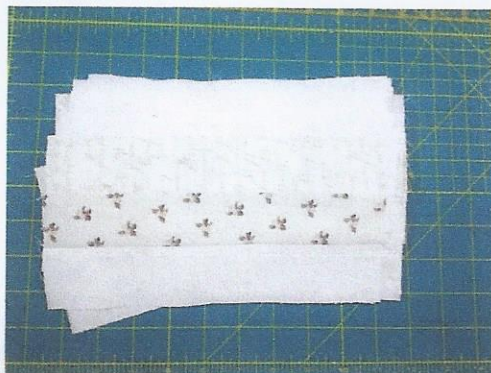


## Step 5



If you are using **one fabric for your background** you will simply cut rectangles from your background fabric. This will be the last time we use this fabric. Cut 5" x 9 1/2" rectangles. For the smaller size quilt make 31 (*larger version make 60.*)

If you are using **scrappy fabrics for your background** you have a little bit more work to do, but it's not hard! You will be making strip units that will measure 5" x 9 1/2" when you are done. For the smaller size quilt you will need 31 units, and if you are making the larger version you will need 60 units. This is how you will cut and assemble each unit:

**Cut** 2" x 9 1/2" strips from the background fabrics. (93 for the small quilt, *180 for the large*)

**Sew** these strips together lengthwise in sets of 3 to make your units.

This completes all the steps needed using your background fabrics!