

# FLORAL PATHWAYS QUILT PATTERN

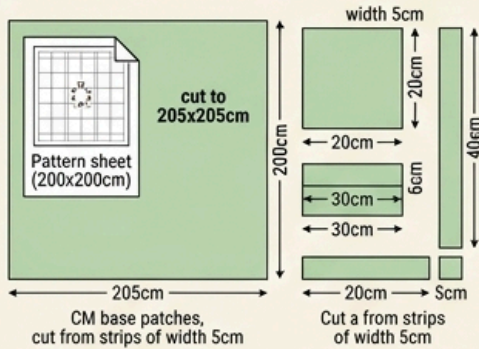
Here is a complete, clear, and faithful step-by-step tutorial in English based on the diagram you provided. It's written so a beginner in the U.S. can follow from start to finish. 🧵 🌸

## STEP-BY-STEP CRAFTING YOUR FLORAL PATHWAYS QUILT

### METHODS LEGEND & TERMINOLOGY

<b>APPLIQUÉ</b> joining shape to surface	<b>PIECING</b> stitching together patches - a main focus here)	<b>QUILTING</b> stitching together top, batting, and backing layers	<b>TOPSTITCHING</b> decorative edge stitching	<b>SEAM ALLOWANCE</b> 0.6cm 0.6cm 0.6cm	<b>BATTING TYPES</b> 0.6cm 10.30 cm 12.50 cm 18.50 cm 10 cm	<b>BACKING</b> Fabric widths Types calmut widths	<b>BINDING TYPES</b> Bias Straight grain	<b>ROTARY CUTTER &amp; MAT</b>
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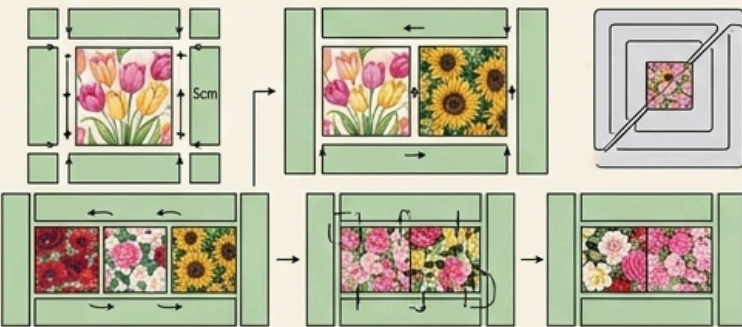
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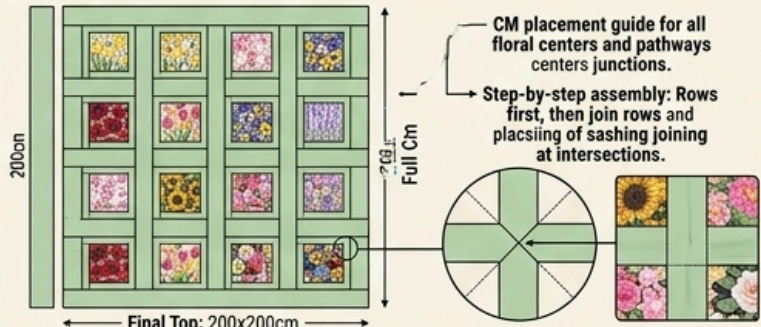
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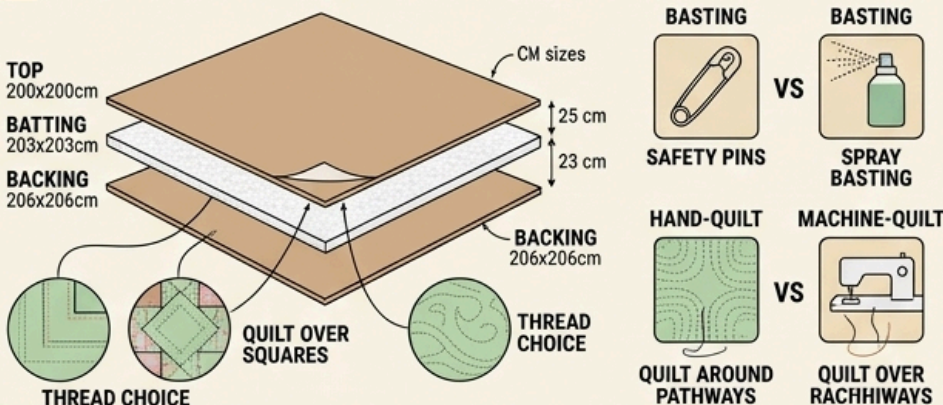
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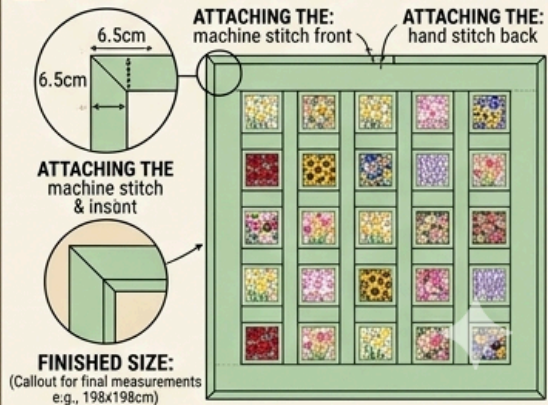
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### 5 CREATE THE QUILT SANDWICH & QUILT (Q)



### 6 FINAL BINDING & FINISH (B)



## Step 1: Prepare Your Pattern & Base

Start by preparing your quilt foundation and measurements.

- Create or print a **pattern sheet measuring 200 × 200 cm** (about 79" × 79").
- Cut your base fabric slightly larger: **205 × 205 cm** to allow for seam adjustments.
- From your background fabric (labeled "CM" in the diagram), cut multiple strips:
  - Strip width: **5 cm (about 2 inches)**
- Cut additional pieces from these strips:
  - Several **20 cm (8") segments**
  - Several **30 cm (12") segments**
  - One long strip around **40 cm (16")**

These strips will form the "pathways" between your floral squares.

## Step 2: Cut Floral Squares & Patches

Now prepare the decorative elements of your quilt.

- Cut floral fabric into squares:
  - Standard size: **20 × 20 cm (8" × 8")**
- You'll need multiple squares in different floral patterns for variety.
- Cut additional **floral sashing strips**:
  - Width: **5 cm (2")**
  - Length: match your layout rows

Tip: Use a rotary cutter and cutting mat for accuracy.

## Step 3: Piece the Pathways (Part A)

This step creates individual blocks with borders.

- Take one floral square (20 × 20 cm).
- Sew **5 cm (2") strips** to all four sides:
  - Start with left and right sides.
  - Then sew top and bottom strips.
- Press seams flat after each step.

You now have a bordered square block.

Next variations:

- Some blocks combine **two or three floral panels horizontally** before adding borders.
- Follow the diagram's examples to mix layouts:
  - Single square blocks
  - Double horizontal panels

- Triple panel strips

Consistency tip: Always keep seam allowance at **0.6 cm (¼ inch)**.

## **Step 4: Assemble the Quilt Top**

Now combine all blocks into the full quilt layout.

- Arrange your blocks in a grid layout (as shown in the diagram):
  - Final layout forms a **200 × 200 cm quilt top**
- Join blocks into rows first:
  - Sew blocks side-by-side
  - Match seams carefully
- Then join rows together vertically

Important:

- Add **sashing strips (5 cm / 2")** between rows and columns
- At intersections, align seams neatly for a clean grid

Press all seams flat as you go.

## **Step 5: Create the Quilt Sandwich & Quilt (Q)**

Now layer your quilt.

Prepare three layers:

- **Top (quilt top):** 200 × 200 cm
- **Batting:** 203 × 203 cm (slightly larger)
- **Backing fabric:** 206 × 206 cm (largest layer)

Layer order (bottom to top):

1. Backing (right side down)
2. Batting
3. Quilt top (right side up)

Secure layers using one method:

- Safety pins (traditional)
- Spray basting (faster and smooth)

Now quilt the layers:

Options:

- **Hand quilting:** stitch decorative patterns manually
- **Machine quilting:** use a sewing machine

Suggested quilting styles:

- Quilt around each square (“quilt over squares”)
- Quilt along pathways for emphasis

Choose thread that complements your fabric.

## **Step 6: Final Binding & Finish (B)**

Finish the edges of your quilt.

- Trim excess batting and backing to match quilt top
- Prepare binding strips:
  - Width: **6.5 cm (2.5 inches)**
- Fold binding and attach:

Steps:


1. Sew binding to the front using a machine
2. Fold binding over the edge
3. Hand stitch the back for a clean finish

Corners:


- Fold neatly into mitered corners for a professional look

Final size:

- Slightly reduced due to seams (approx. **198 × 198 cm**)

 You're done!

## **Final Tips**

- Always measure twice before cutting
- Keep seam allowances consistent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  inch standard in the U.S.)
- Press seams frequently for a polished result
- Mix floral patterns for a vibrant look 

If you want, I can convert all measurements into inches only or create a printable cutting chart for you 