

Bee Happy Sew Along -- Week 1: Flower Pot, Trees, Sun  
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### Tulip Pot

Stitched Flower Aqua	Orange	leaves <b>D-20</b> <b>green</b>	backgrounds
2 1/2" x 3 1/2" print <b>D-23</b>	4" x 4" <b>(D-18)</b> lower pot	two 2x3" diff prints	6 1/2" x 12 1/2"
2" x 3" center solid for petal <b>(D-20)</b>	Finished upper part of pot is 3 1/2" by 1" Draw this rectangle onto fabric, cut 1/4" away, appliqué down.	STEM: 5/8" x 6" Use 1/4" bias tape maker (I use the 3/8")	



### Shapes needed: D-18 flowerpot, D-23 (flower), D-20 (leaves)

To place onto block:

- First iron a light crease into the block, lengthwise (the 12 1/2" direction)
- Place lower edge of flowerpot 1 1/2" up from the bottom.
- Place flat edge of back flower piece 2 1/4" down from the top.
- After placing those two shapes, put on the green stem, having it tucked under the D-23 shape and just touching the D-18 lower pot shape.
- Then comes the center flower part (place curvier part of the this at the base of the flower, with the pointier part near the top).
- Place the Upper Pot rim on top of the flower pot and stem, overlapping by 1/4" over the flower pot.
- Last comes the two leaves.

She stitches on her leaves before she appliques them down, but I find I can put a running stitch on it after it's been appliquéd with no problem.

### Two Trees Block (two trees on one block)

Trunk <b>D-24</b>	Tree canopy <b>D-25</b>	branches -- brown	backgrounds
2" x 6 1/2" (cut two different prints)	two--5" x 6"	3/8" bias tape maker	10 1/2" x 12 1/2"
two 5/8" by 10" lt. brown		3/4" x 9" stems	



Left tree placement: 1 1/4" down from top; 1 1/4" in from side  
 with tree trunk 2 1/4" up from lower edge.

Right tree placement: 2 3/4" down from top; 1 1/4" in from side,  
 with tree trunk 1 1/4" up from lower edge.

### Sunshine Block

Background fabric is 9" (will be trimmed to 8 1/2")

D-4 and D-3 Circles

Lots of bias strips for sun rays

From the White Busy Patchwork, cut all the squares apart on the lines for a total of 60 gingham squares. Cut Gingham Squares into 1" wide and run them through the 1/2" bias tape maker

Large Sun <b>D-4</b>	Sun Center <b>D-3</b>	rays	rays2 gingham
4 1/2" x 4 1/2"	3 1/2" x 3 1/2" from gingham block.	1/2" bias tape maker	from 9" block, cut 4 rays 1" wide
		3/4" x 9" stems--cut multiples 2 lt. solid, 2 gold solid, 2 prints	



Placement: Center the circles; the larger circle is roughly 2 1/2" in from each side. Keep the bias rays 1" from the top, bottom, sides; the rest are placed proportionally.

Don't forget that the block will be trimmed to 8 1/2" square after stitching down.