

Hero Boy Pattern

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Fabric Needed:

5-inch Squares:

Gray (background) – 38 squares (25 inches or $\frac{3}{4}$ yard)

Red – 21 squares (15 inches or $\frac{1}{2}$ yard)

Blue – 31 squares – (20 inches or $\frac{1}{2}$ yard)

Flesh Color- 2 squares

Green – 18 squares (inches or $\frac{1}{2}$ yard)

Brown (belt and boots) – 9 squares (10 inches or $\frac{1}{3}$ yard)

Dark Gray (pants) – 9 squares (10 inches or $\frac{1}{3}$ yard)

1/2 square triangle blocks Put your colored blocks rights sides together. Sew down the center. Trim leaving 1/4 inch seam allowance. Press to the side.

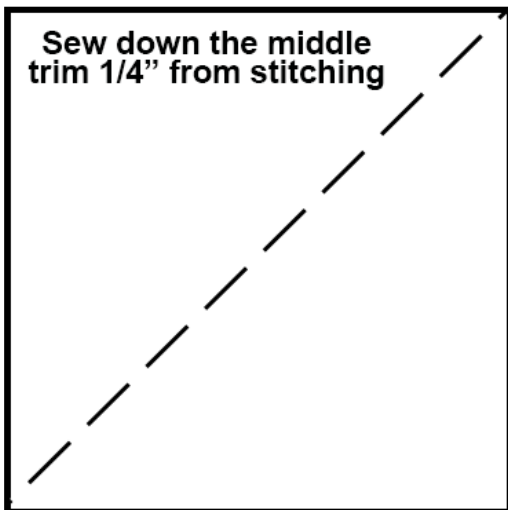
1/2 square triangle blocks needed:

blue and red – 8

gray and blue – 2

red and gray – 2

FIGURE 1



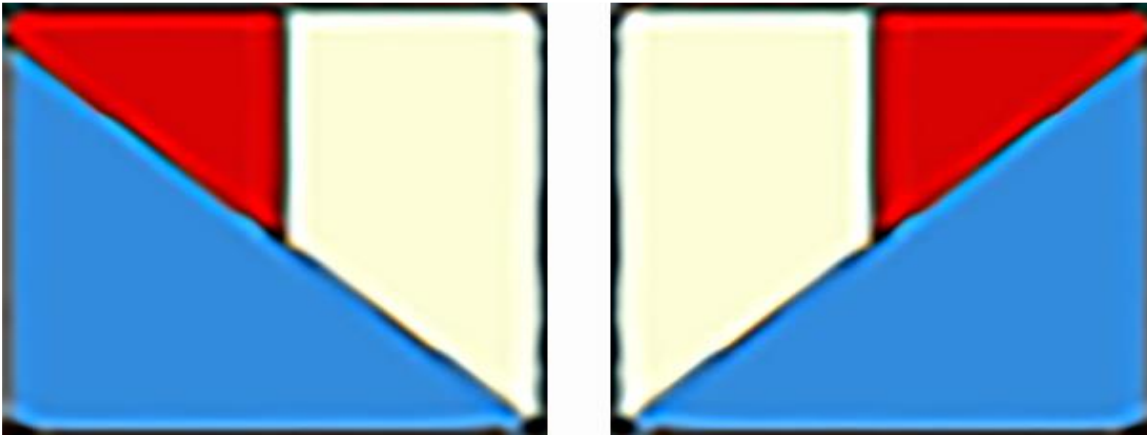
Hand Block (Make 2)

Red Fabric – 2-1/2inch x 5 inch

Flesh Colored Fabric – 3inch x 5 inch.

Sew together using a 1/4th inch seam allowance.

Place blue squares over these blocks and make 1/2 square triangles following the example below.

**Shoulder Blocks:**

4 blocks: Sew together 2.75" x 5" red and gray blocks. Trim excess gray to 5" if needed.

1 block: Sew 3.75" x 5" red and 1.75" gray. Trim excess gray to 5" if needed.

Lay out your squares following the template.

Putting together your quilt:

Sew blocks into rows using a 1/4th in seam allowance.

Sew rows together using a 1/4th in seam allowance.

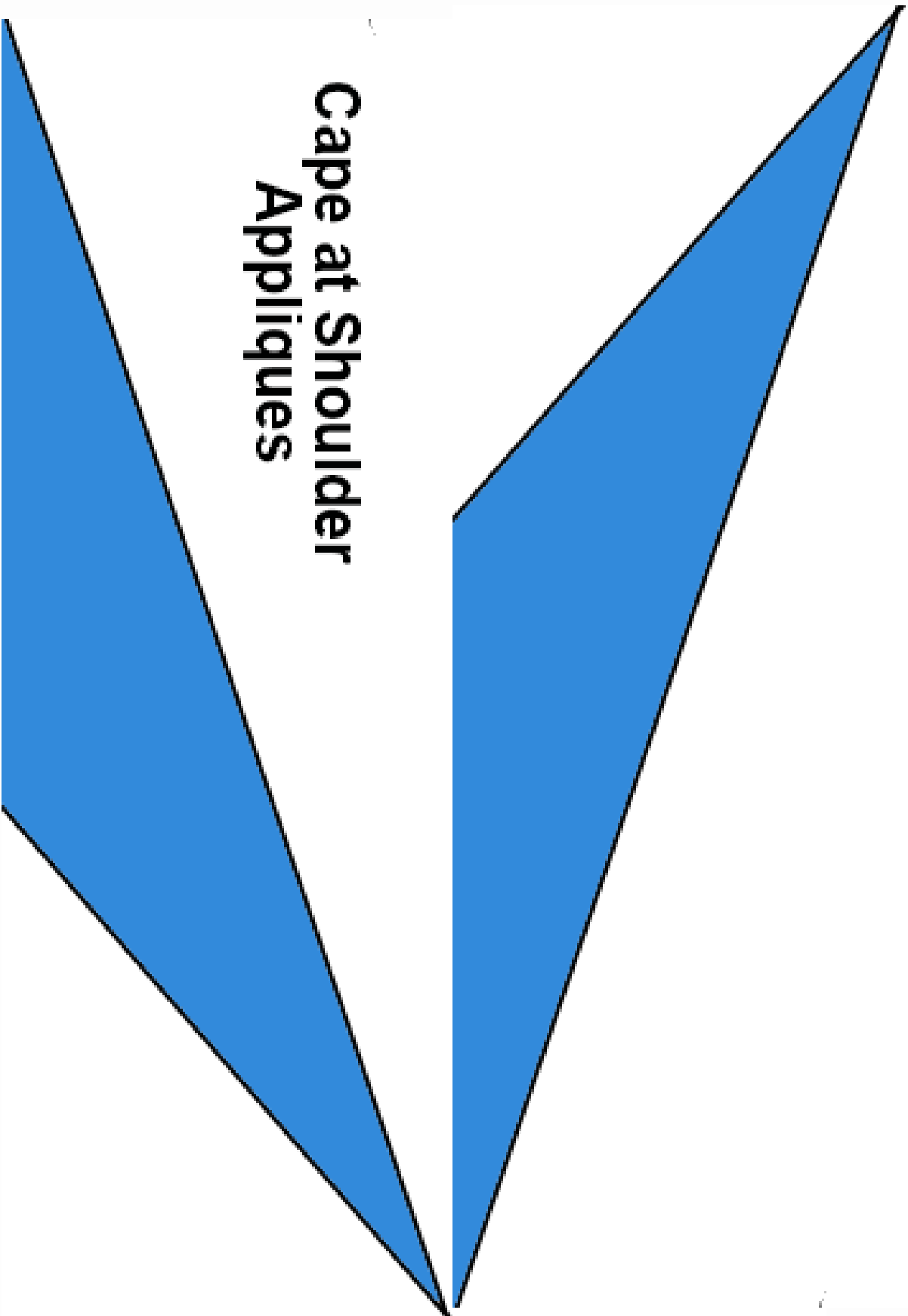
Applique stars onto chest and middle of belt.

Applique shoulder cape pieces – if you applique pieces are a tad large, trim them before stitching.

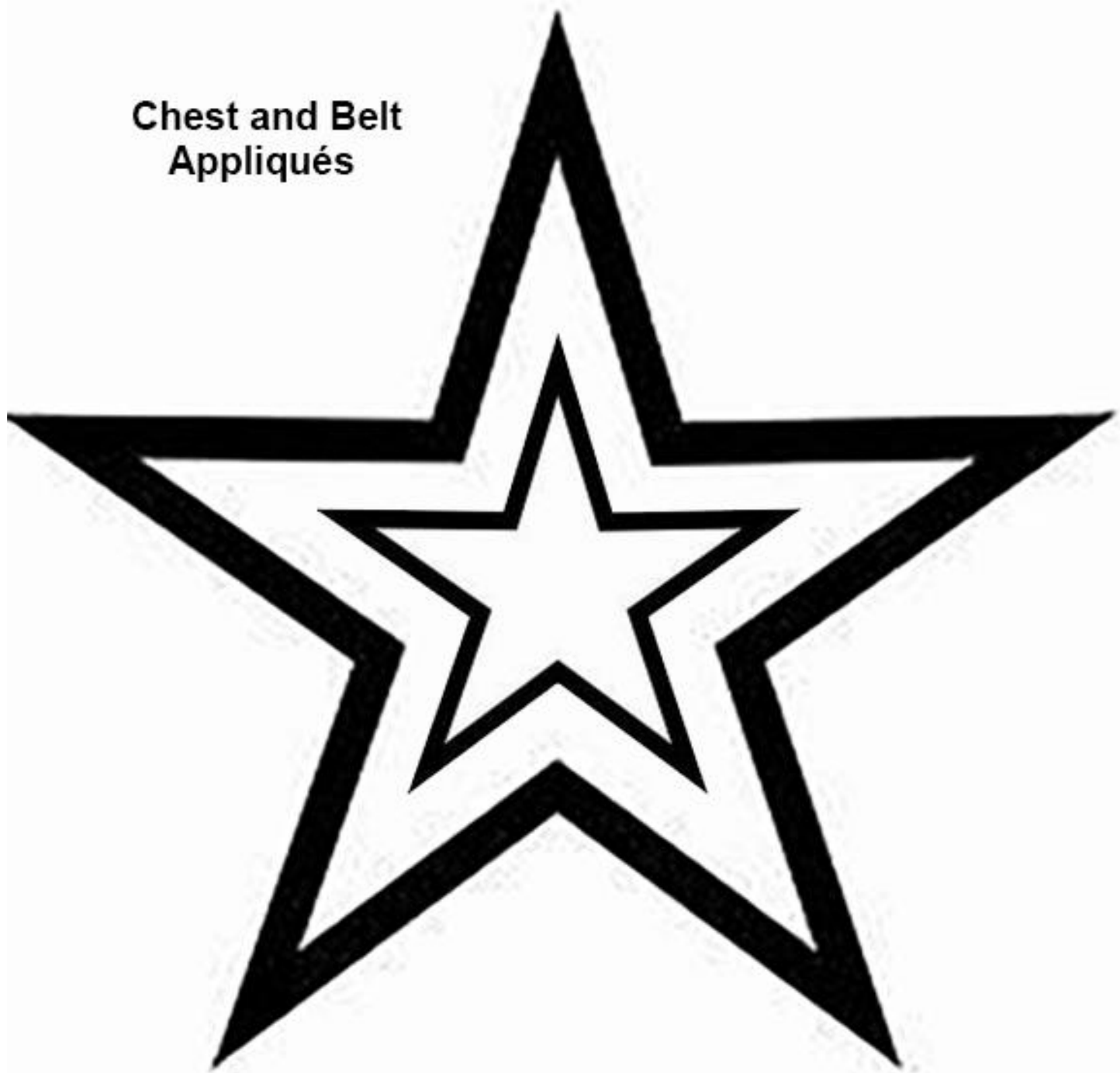
****I do raw edge applique, attached with a blanket stitch. (You can also use a zigzag- be sure it is wide enough to attach your applique to your quilt – you don't want your applique to come apart in the wash.)**

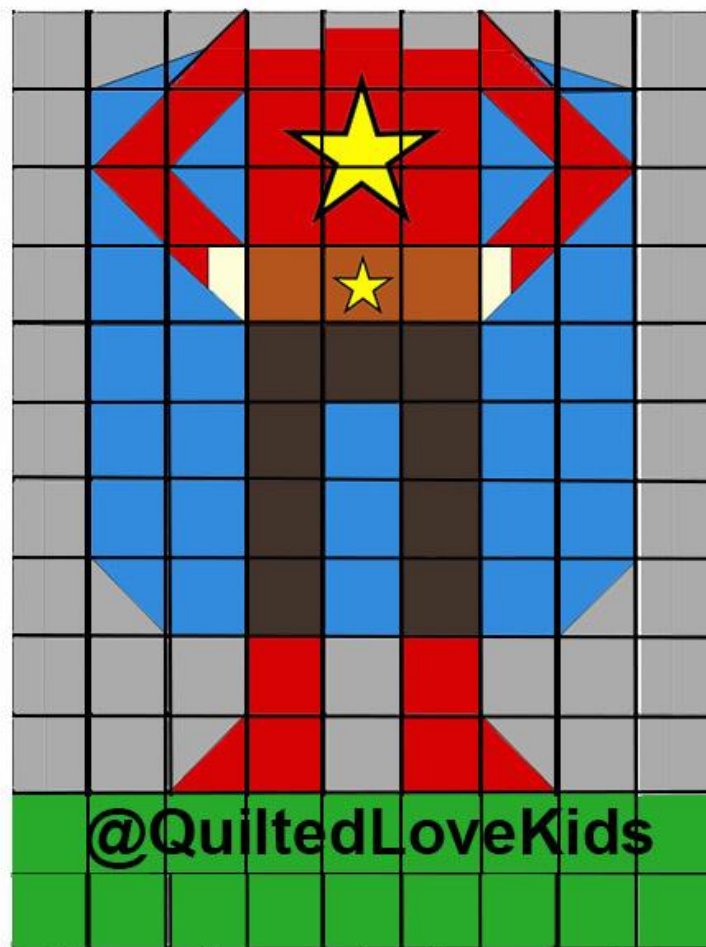
Add borders to reach desired size.

Cape at Shoulder Appliques



**Chest and Belt
Appliqués**





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