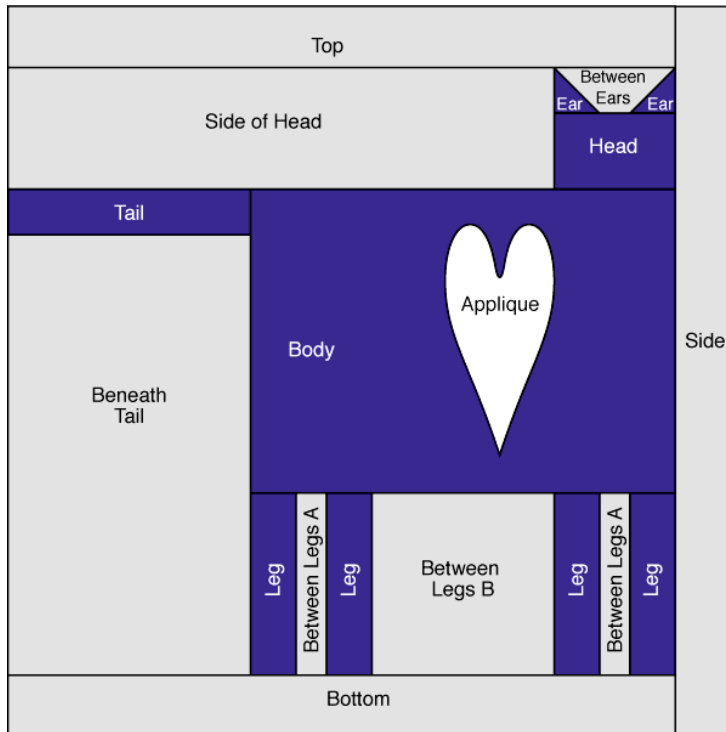# Folk Art Cat Block

Make this cat block using two fabrics with optional applique. Additional suggestions for customizing your cat block on page 6.

Finished Size of block is 12"x12". (For full-size heart applique pattern, see page 5.

*In the text, names of pieces to be cut from fabric for the cat appear in **Blue**, while pieces to be cut from background fabric appear in **Black**.*

In illustrations, pieces required for the cat are blue, background pieces are gray, and the Applique is white.

Fabric Requirements & Cutting

Cat Fabric:
> 1 – 5½"x 7½" rectangle for cat body
> 1 – 1¼"x 4½" rectangle for cat tail
> 4 – 3½"x 1¼" rectangles for cat legs
> 1 – 1¾" x 2½" rectangle for cat head
> 2 - 1¼"x 1¼" squares for cat ears

Background Fabric:
> 1 – 2½"x 9½" rectangle for side of head
> 1 – 7¾"x 4½" rectangle for beneath tail
> 2 – 3½"x 1" rectangle for between legs (indicated as A)
> 1 – 3½"x 3½" rectangle for between legs (indicated as b)
> 2 – 1½"x 11½" rectangle to finish top and bottom of block
> 1 – 12½"x 1½" rectangle to complete side of block
> 1 – 1¼"x 2½" rectangle for between the ears
> 1 – 2½"x 9½" rectangle for side of head

Optional Appliqué Fabric:
> 1 – 3"x 4" (approx) rectangle for appliqué