



MINI CHALLENGE 2026
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QUILT

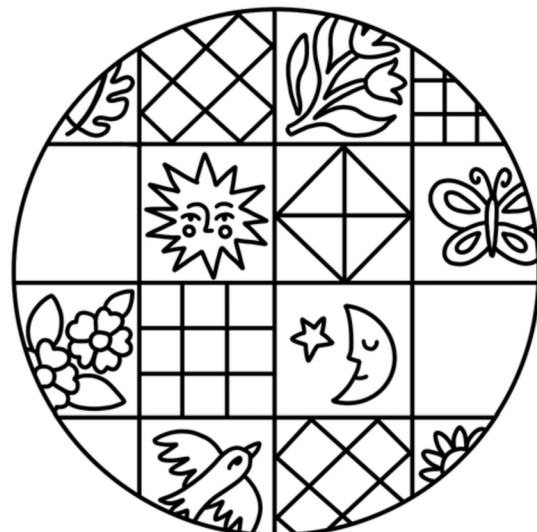
Goodness me, if I had the time to take up another craft, it would definitely be quilting! I think they are so cool! This week, it was a lot of fun to combine quilting with embroidery, designing a pattern with delight in each square! Feel free to change the patterns in each square if you think of other things you'd like to stitch!!



THE PATTERN

This pattern, when printed onto A4 paper, will fit a 3" hoop.

Stitch the black lines in black perle thread, size 12.





DMC Colour Codes:

- DMC 803 (dark blue)
- DMC 394 (blue)
- DMC 937 (green)
- DMC 801 (brown)
- DMC 351 (red)
- DMC 760 (red)

- DMC 3822 (yellow)
- DMC 746 (very pale yellow)

Stitch with THREE strands of thread. All parts are stitched in satin stitch, but you can choose any stitch you prefer!

STITCH TIPS



For the two squares with hatching, first stitch the base colour, then add horizontal and vertical straight stitches across the squares.



To secure them, stitch a tiny couching stitch at each intersection.



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I hope you enjoyed stitching this pattern!

I'd love to see your projects! Tag me @pennydowdell on Instagram, or use the hashtag #pennysabcchallenge!