



Cubbyholes

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Background Fabric

#2	2¼" x 1½"
#5	4¼" x 3½"
#8	1½" x 2"
#9	1⅜" x 2"
#10	3⅞" x 4"
#11	1" x 1½"
#13	2½" x 5½"
#14	1¼" x 1¼"

Wood Grain Fabric

(2) #6 1' x 5½"

Boxes

#1	2½" x 1½"
#7	2" x 2"

Books

#3	4¼" x 1"
#4	4¼" x 1"
#12	1" x 4½"
#15	1¼" x 4¾"
#16	1⅞" x 5½"
#17	1½" x 6"
#18	1½" x 6"

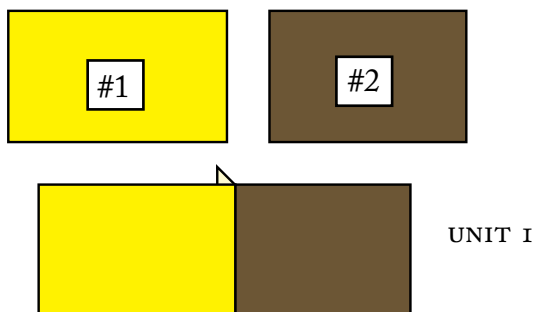
½" x 6" Cardboard

Choose a variety of fabrics for the
Books and Boxes.

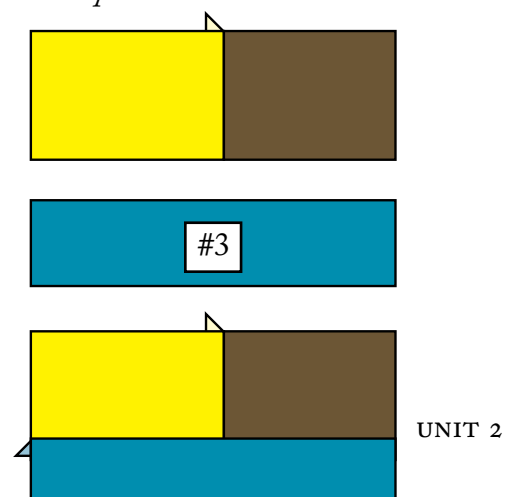
All seam allowances should be a scant ¼".
Adjust seam allowances if necessary.

- Sew a 2½" x 1½" #1 Box rectangle to a 2¼" x 1½" #2 Background rectangle.
- Press seam away from Background.
- Sew a 4¼" x 1" #3 Book rectangle to lower edge of Unit 1.
- Press seam toward lower edge.

When complete Unit 1 should measure 4¼" x 1½".

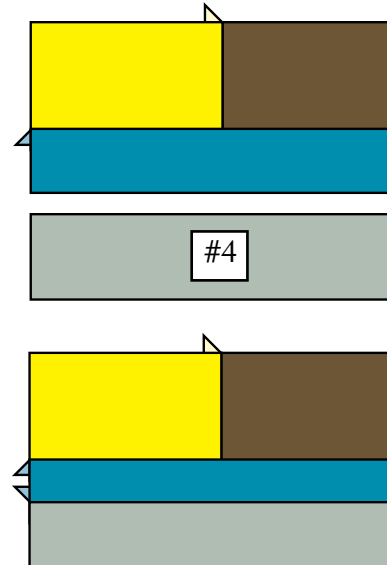


When complete Unit 2 should measure 4¼" x 2".



5. Sew a $4\frac{1}{4}''$ x $1''$ #4 Book rectangle to lower edge of Unit 2.
6. Press seam toward center.

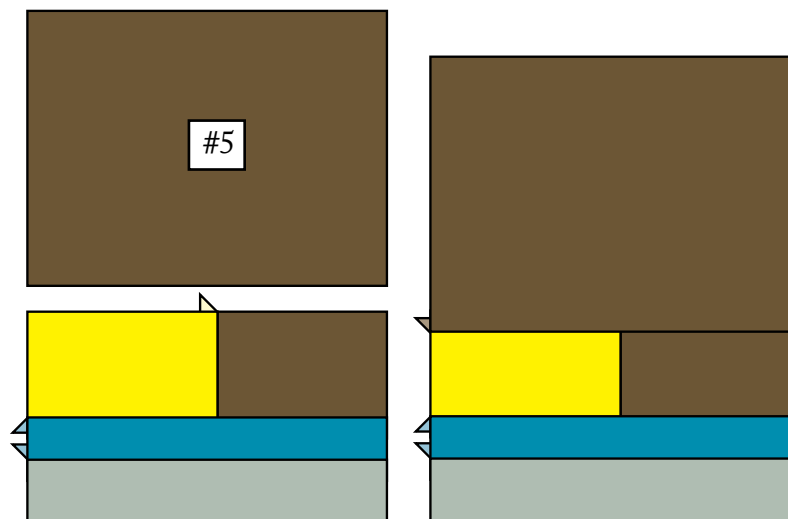
When complete Unit 3 should measure $4\frac{1}{4}''$ x $2\frac{1}{2}''$.



UNIT 3

7. Sew a $4\frac{1}{4}''$ x $3\frac{1}{2}''$ #5 Background rectangle to upper edge of Unit 3.
8. Press seam toward upper edge.

When complete Unit 4 should measure $4\frac{1}{4}''$ x $5\frac{1}{2}''$.

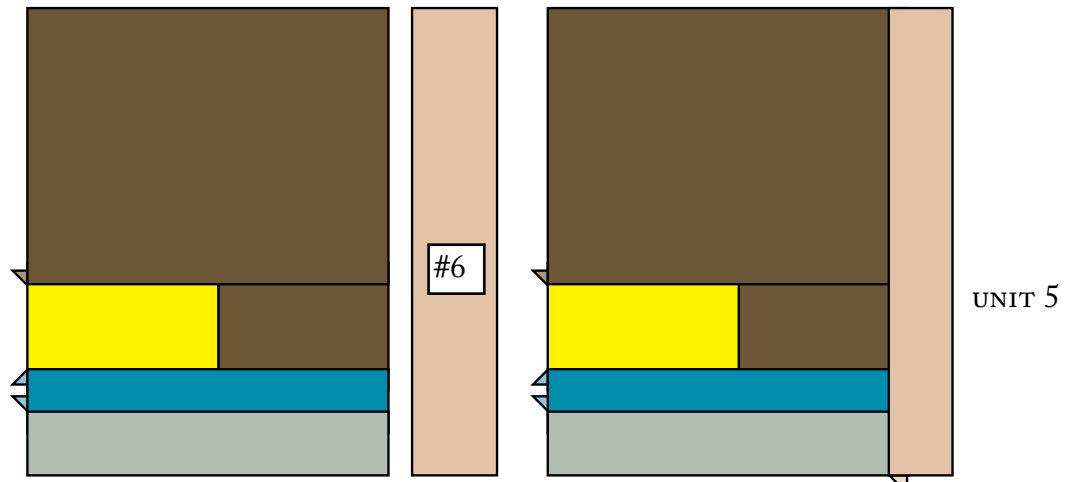


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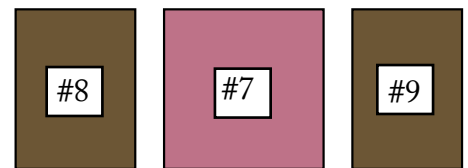
9. Sew 1" x 5½" #6 Wood strip to right side of Unit 4.

10. Press seam toward Wood strip

When complete, Unit 5 should measure 4¾" x 5½".

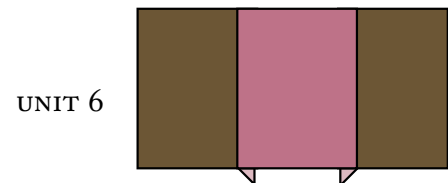


11. Sew a 2" x 2" #7 Box square between a 1½" x 2" #8 Background rectangle and a 1⅜" x 2" #9 Background rectangle.



12. Press seam toward center.

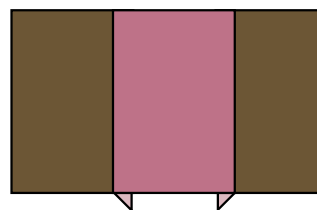
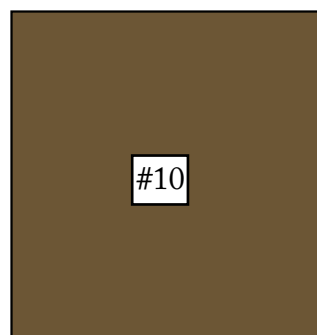
When complete, Unit 6 should measure 3⅞" x 2".



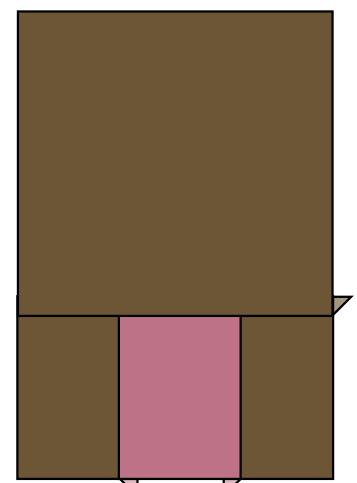
13. Sew a 3⅞" x 4" #10 Background rectangle to top edge of Unit 6.

14. Press seam toward upper edge.

When complete, Unit 7 should measure 3⅞" x 5½".

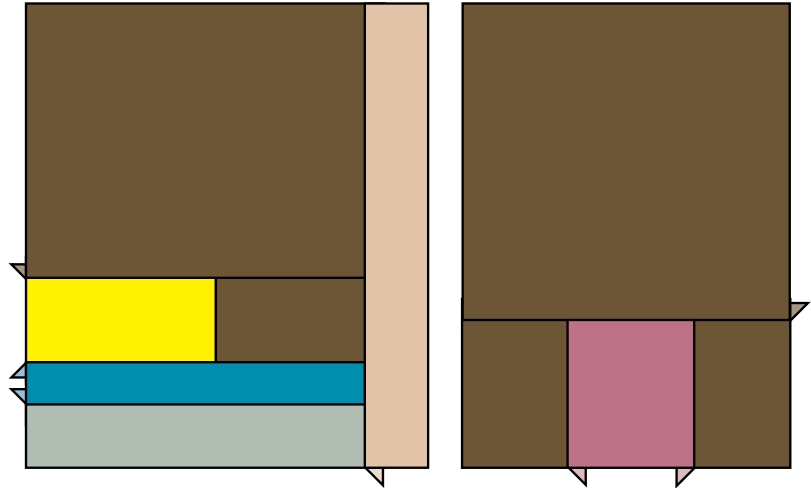


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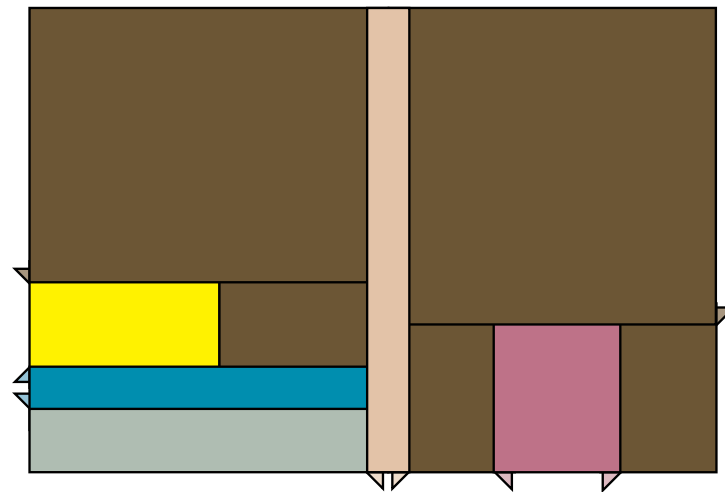
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15. Sew Unit 7 to right edge of Unit 5.



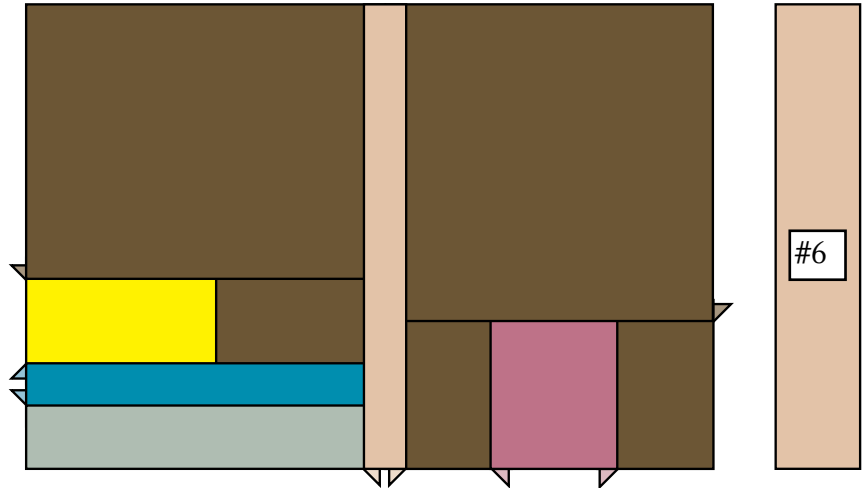
16. Press seam toward center.

When complete, Unit 8 should measure 8 1/8" x 5 1/2".



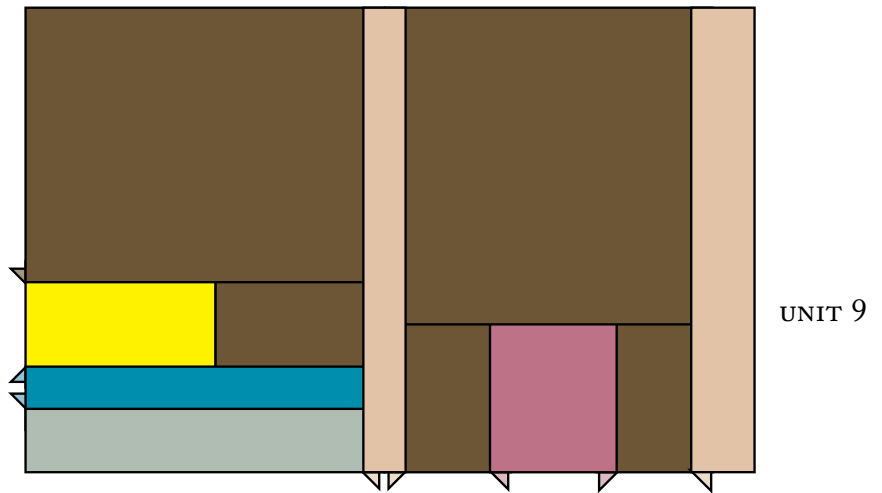
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17. Sew a second 1" x 5½" #6 Wood strip to right side of Unit 8.



18. Press seam toward Wood strip

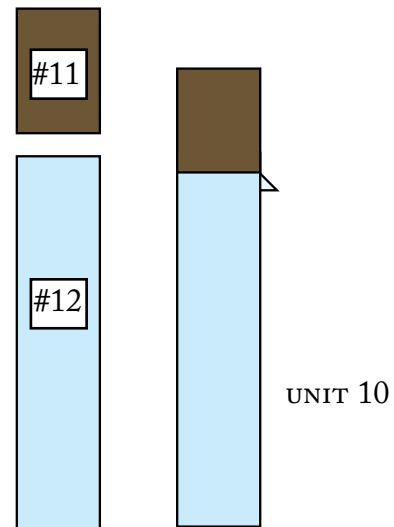
When complete, Unit 9 should measure 8⅝" x 5½".



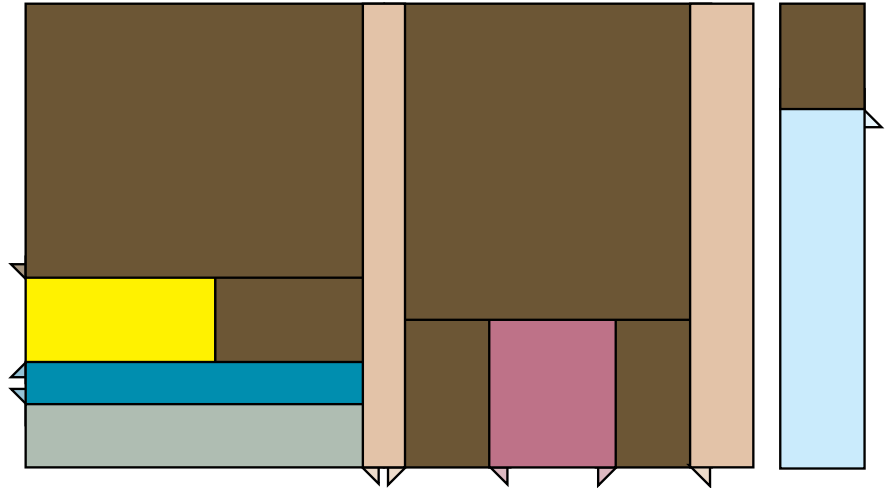
19. Sew a 1" x 1½" #11 Background to top edge of a 1" x 4½" #12 Book rectangle.

20. Press seam toward lower edge.

When complete, Unit 5 should measure 1" x 5½"



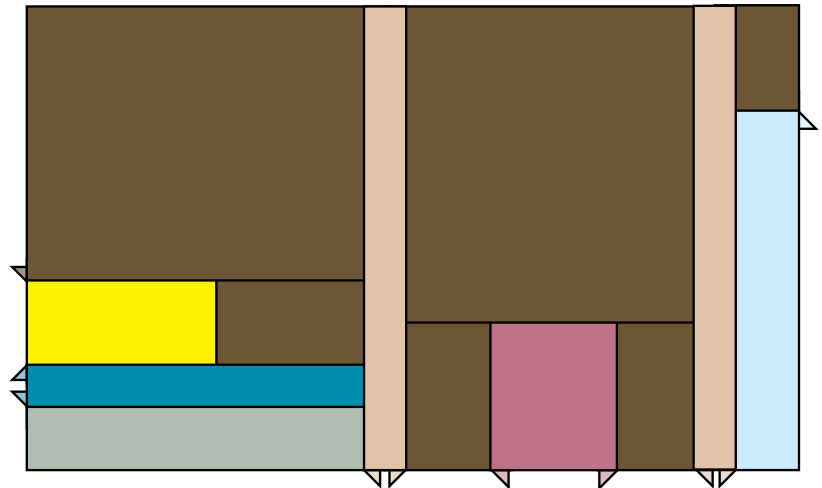
21. Sew Unit 10 to right side of Unit 9



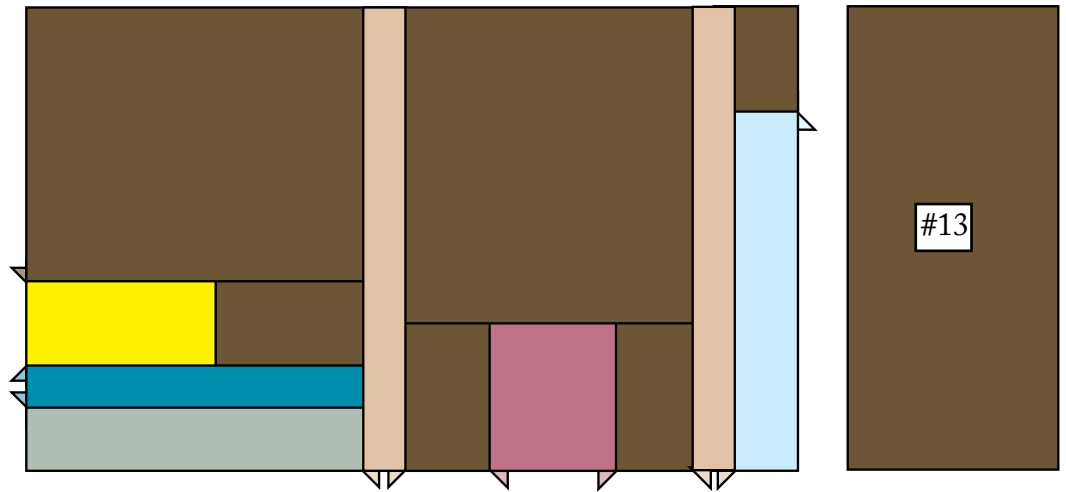
22. Press seam toward Wood strip.

When complete, Unit 11 should measure 9 1/8" x 5 1/2".

UNIT 11

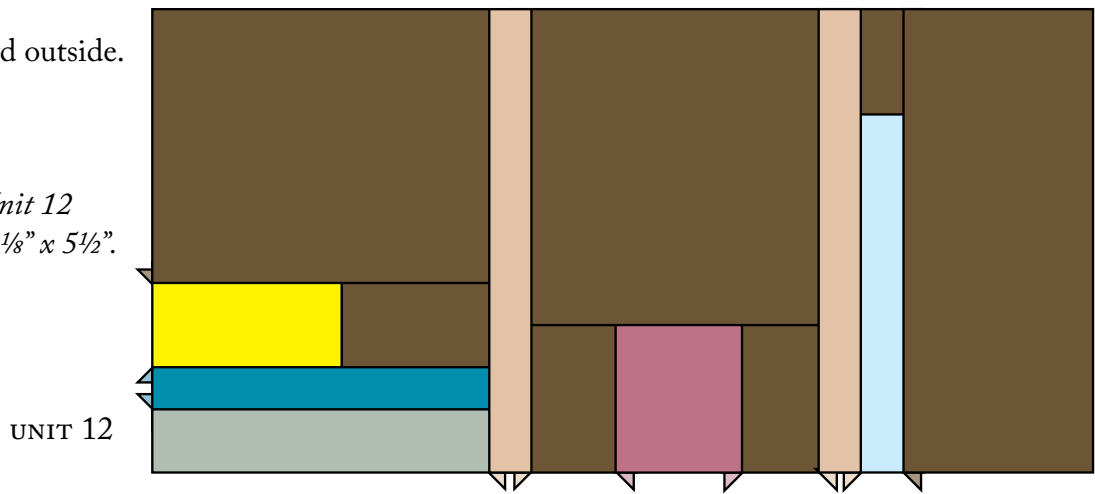


23. Sew a 2½" x 5½" #13 Background rectangle to right side of Unit 11.



24. Press seam toward outside.

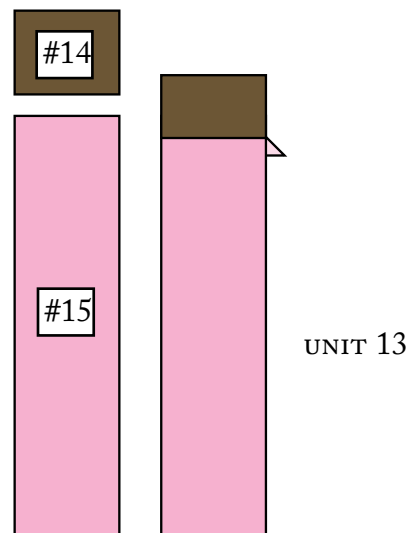
When complete, Unit 12 should measure 11⅛" x 5½".



25. Sew a 1¼" x 1¼" #14 Background square to top edge of a 1¼" x 4¾" #15 Book rectangle.

26. Press seam toward outside.

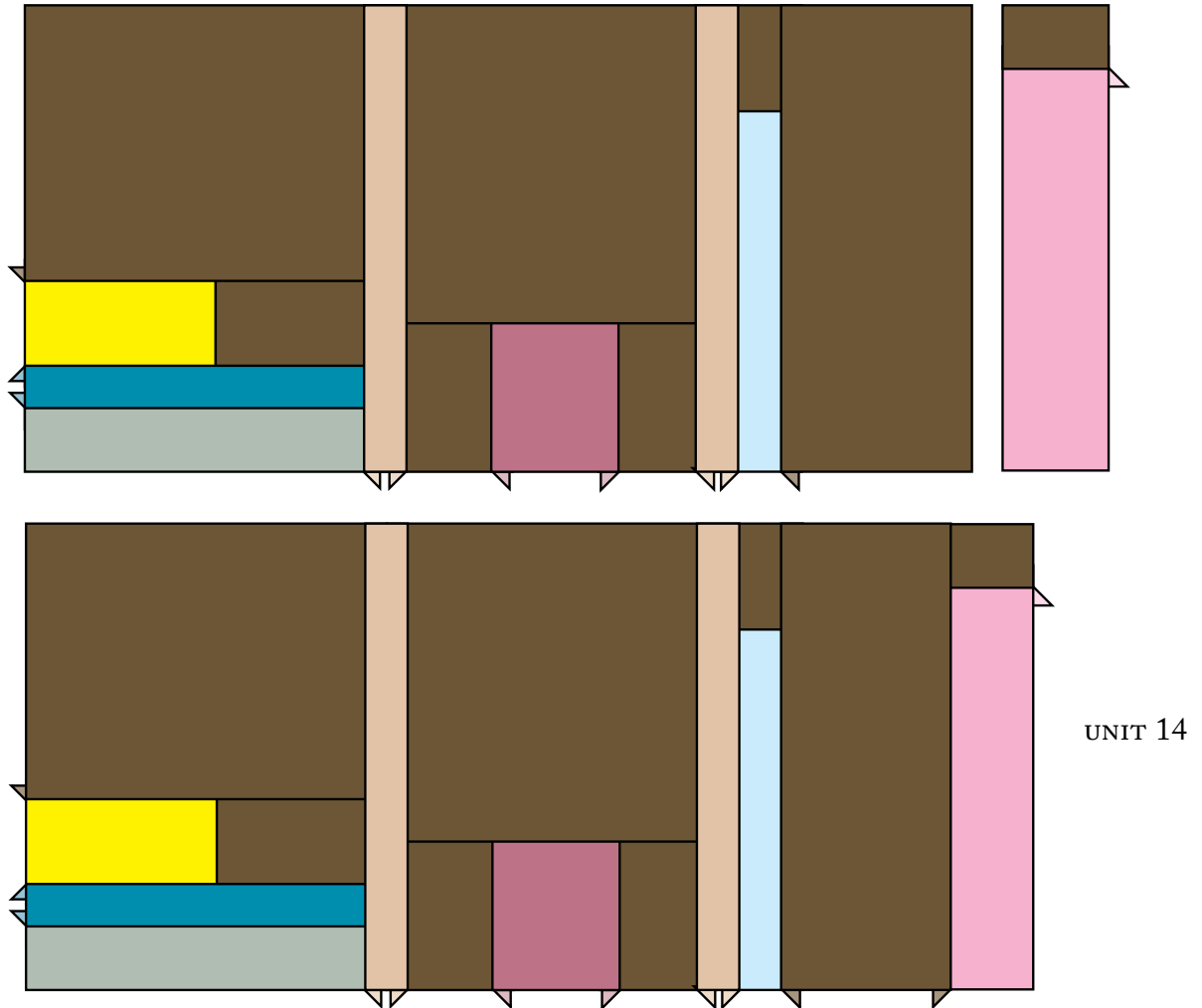
When complete, Unit 13 should measure 1¼" x 5½".



27. Sew Unit 13 to right side of Unit 12.

28. Press seam toward center.

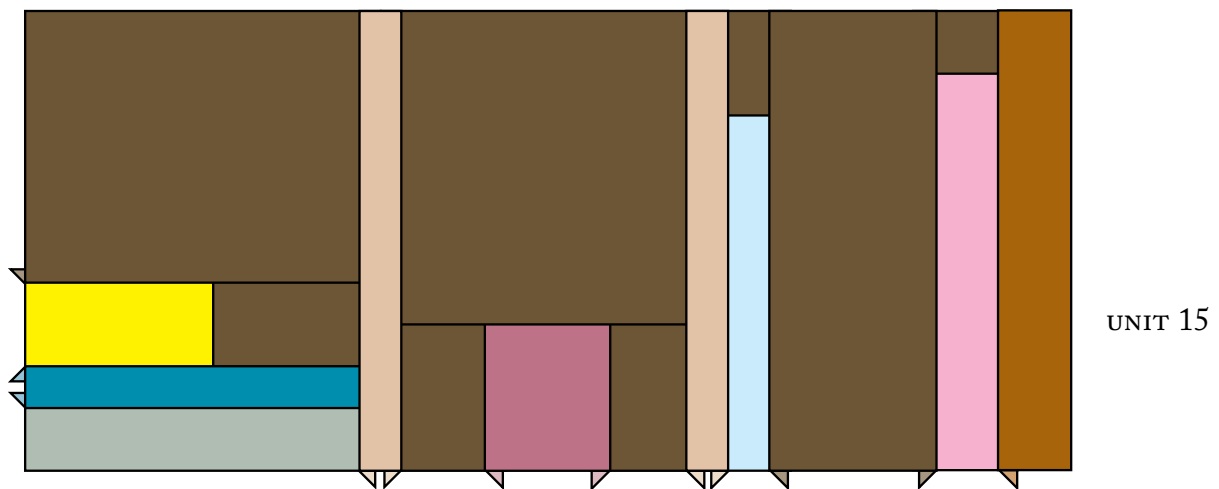
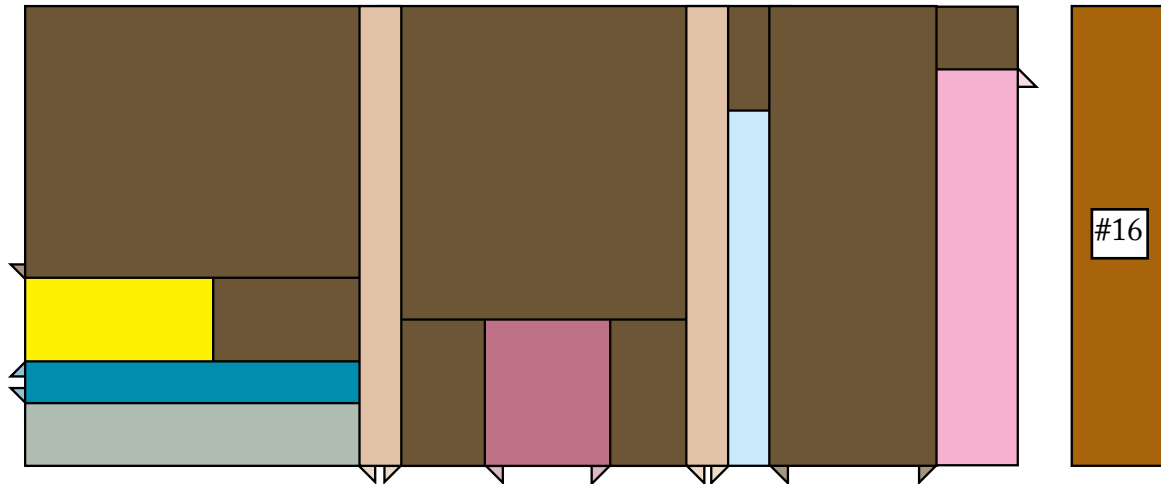
When complete, Unit 14 should measure 11 $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".



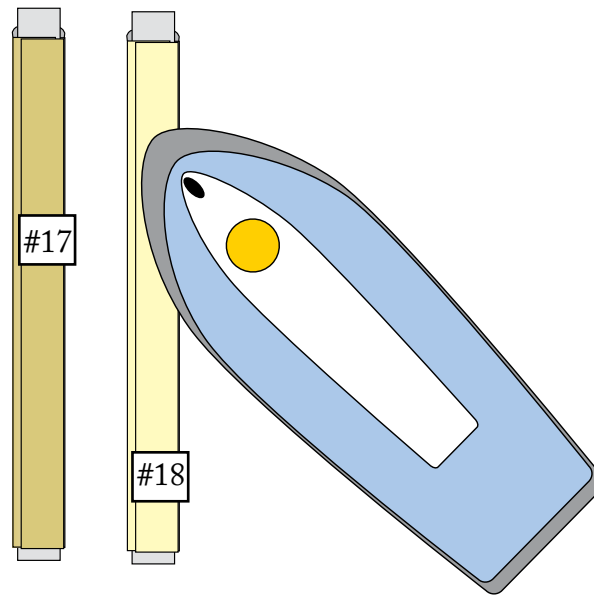
29. Sew a 1 1/8" x 5 1/2" #16 Book rectangle to right side of Unit 14.

30. Press seam toward outside.

When complete, Unit 15 should measure 12 1/5" x 5 1/2".



31. Center $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6" cardboard on backside of a $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6" #17 and #18 rectangles.
Fold long edges over cardboard and press. Remove cardboard.



32. Flip over and place pressed #17 and #18 onto Cubbyhole block.
Tilt the rectangles as if the books are leaning against something else.
Pin in place and either zig-zag the long edges or edgestitch into place.
Trim off ends that extend beyond block.

Block should measure $12\frac{1}{2}$ " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ ".

