FIDGET QUILTS

Do not use a solid white square or a solid black square – to them it looks like a hole.

Not a lot of taggies – one or two okay.

Only put add-ons on every other square. The alternate squares are without add-ons; gives the eyes a place to rest. However, they can be textured fabric.

Textured Fabric:

Corduroy

Satin

Fleece

Faux fur

Brocade

Add-Ons:

Squeeze clip

Zippers – can just sew the zipper on top of the square, enclose ends, add a key ring to the zipper pull for ease in use.

Measuring spoons

Pocket (take off a shirt)

Small stuffed animal (attach with a ribbon) to put in pocket

Jingle bell

Velcro

Empty bobbin on a ribbon, string.

Empty spool of thread on a ribbon

Lace

Beads

An old credit card – punch hole then attach with a zigzag stitch.

Keys on a ring and attach key ring with zigzag stitch.

Drapery fringe

Make a pleat

Possibilities are endless

Size:

No exact size but roughly 24" x 24". Cut 6 1/2" squares

Four blocks across and four blocks down

For attaching other than mentioned above, put item in between block seams then sew squares together.

No batting needed – back with flannel

Quilt in the ditch.

No need for a separate binding – just bring backing over to the front, fold, and sew down, or use the pillow technique.

Check out Google, Etsy, Pinterest for ideas

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