

# Science Experiments Block Lotto - due March 2026

Explore your stash for the colourful weird prints that could possibly be a science experiment.

Select 5 colours that are vibrant and that work well together. These are prints.

Select a very pale blue, solid or tone on tone, that will be the glass test tube or flask (ie the top portion shown)

The background colour is white.  
Completed block will be 12½”.

Techniques: snowball corners and basic piecing. Use ¼” seams.

Where possible, press seams toward the colour.



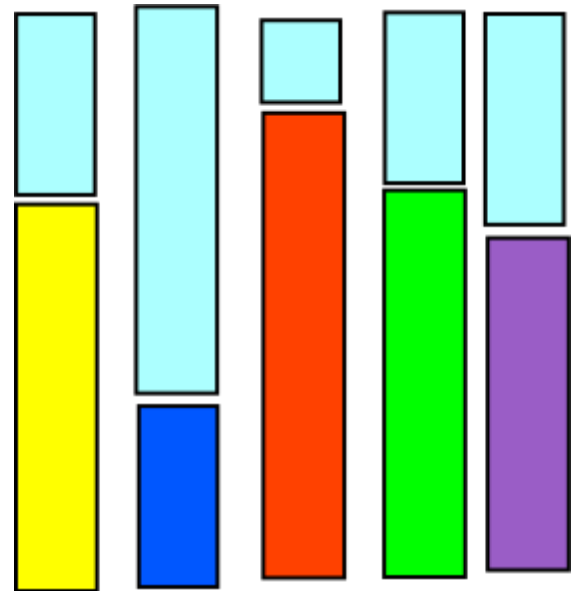
## Test Tubes Block

Select 5 weird prints that are colourful.

Cut: 2” x 8”  
2” x 7½”  
2” x 7”  
2” x 6½”  
2” x 6”

Cut strips of very pale blue 2” wide and long enough to make each test tube 10” long, after stitching to the weird print.

Stitch the blue to each weird print.  
Press. Trim each strip 10” x 2” if necessary.



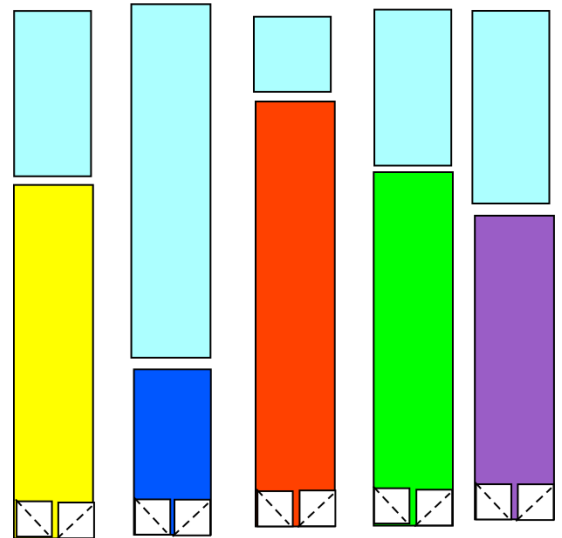
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Cut 10 squares of white a scant 1". Mark the diagonal.

Stitch 2 white squares to each corner of the print.

Trim off the excess triangle (bottom of test tube is rounded by the snowball corner).  
Press.



Cut four strips of white 10" x 1" and stitch one between each test tube.  
Press.  
The block will be 10" square.

Cut two strips of white 10" x 2". Stitch one to each side.

Cut two strips of white 13" x 2". Stitch to the top and bottom completing your test tube block.

Trim test tube block 12½".

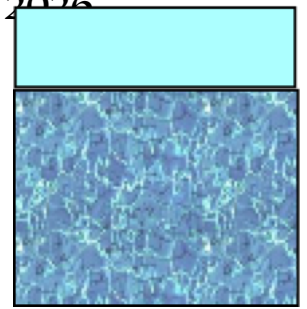
1 block = 1 ticket

Option: If you enjoyed this experiment, try creating some more blocks. I have included another which resembles a round flask.

## Round Flask Block

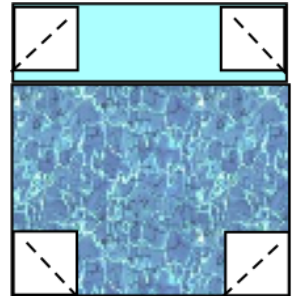
Select a weird print. Cut 7" wide by 5½".

Cut a strip of pale blue 2" by 7".  
Stitch to the upper edge of the weird print.

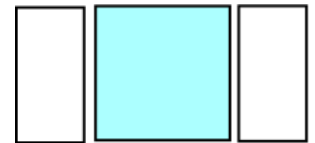


Cut 4 squares of white 2". Mark the diagonal.

Stitch one square to each corner of the flask. Press and trim the excess triangles.



Cut pale blue 4" wide by 3½".  
Cut white 2" wide by 3½".  
Stitch a strip of white to each side of the pale blue. Press.



Carefully stitch this block to the upper edge of the flask, making sure the corners of the blue align.  
Press. Flask block will measure 7" by 10".

Cut 2 strips of white 3½" by 10".  
Stitch one to each side of the flask block. Press.

Cut 2 strips of white 2" by 13".  
Stitch one to the upper and one to the lower edge.  
Press.

Trim flask block to 12½".

1 block = 1 ticket.

