

# Learn to Paper Piece Quilt Along

## Block Three: Gaggling Geese

### Cutting

Cut the following pieces to make 28 blocks. Save any leftover strips, you may be able to use them to cut pieces for other blocks.

#### From the white, cut:

- 1 strip, 2-3/4" x 42"; crosscut into 14 squares, 2-3/4" x 2-3/4". Cut the squares in half diagonally to yield 28 triangles.
- 7 strips, 2-1/4" x 42"; crosscut into 112 squares. Cut the squares in half diagonally to yield 224 triangles.
- 4 strips, 4-1/2" x 42"; crosscut into 28 squares, 4-1/2" x 4-1/2"; cut the squares in half diagonally to yield 56 triangles

#### From each of red #1–5, cut:

- 1 strip, 2-3/4" x 42"; crosscut into 14 squares, 2-3/4" x 2-3/4" (70 total). Cut the squares in half diagonally to yield 140 triangles.

### Making the Lobster Stew Blocks

Refer to "Paper-Foundation Piecing Step-by-Step" on page 13 of *Learn to Paper Piece* to paper piece the blocks.

1. Make 28 copies of the foundation pattern on page 35 in *Learn to Paper Piece*.

2. Paper piece 28 blocks as follows:

- Piece 1: 2-3/4" **white** triangle
- Pieces 2, 5, 8, 11, and 14: 2-3/4" **red #1–5** triangles
- Pieces 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 12, and 13: 2-1/4" **white** triangles
- Pieces 15 and 16: 4-1/2" **white** triangles

The blocks should measure 5-1/2" x 5-1/2", including seam allowances.

