Flags

National Flags

Flags represent a country. The colours and symbols on the flag may also have a special meaning.



On a separate page, find and draw the national flags of three of these countries.

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Japan Nigeria Greece

Select a national flag from your own cultural background. Draw this flag and find out what the colours and symbols mean.

Flags of International Organisations

International organisations such as the Red Cross, the United Nations, the Olympics and the Boy Scouts have flags that are recognised around the world.

Design a flag for an international group that represents 'School Students of the World'.



Extension Research

Semaphore Flag Signalling.

The Semaphore flag signaling system is an alphabet signalling system where a pair of hand-held flags are held in a particular pattern to send messages over a distance.

Each pattern represents a letter or number.

Research Semaphore Flag Signalling, then draw the signals that would represent your name.

Name:

Writing a Quiz

On a separate page, write at least three questions about one particular flag.

Ideas: You could ask questions about the flag's history, or the flag's colours and symbols.

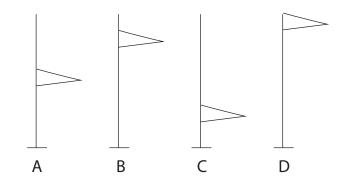
Try to ask interesting questions.

Start your questions with words such as why, when, where, or what?

Remember to end each question with a question mark. (?)

Give the quiz to your friends and family. Were they able to answer the questions?

Fractions



Which flag is flying a 1/4 of the way up the pole?

Which flag is flying 1/2 way up the pole?

Which flag is flying 3/4 of the way up the pole?

