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depending on adequate
supervision



10-15 minutes

Flags

Aim: To label types of flags of countries in the world and colour them

Equipment:

- Template
- Pens/pencils

Instructions:

- Copy the template onto card.
- Using the flag descriptions, label the types of flags and colour them.

Australia	– A blue field with white stars and a small Union flag in the upper left corner.
Brazil	– A green field with a yellow diamond. In the diamond is a blue circle with tiny white stars and a band.
Canada	– A red maple leaf in the centre (on a white background) surrounded by two vertical red stripes.
China	– A red field with five yellow stars in the upper left corner (one star is large, four are smaller).
Congo (Zaire)	– A blue field with yellow stars (one large star in the centre and six smaller ones).
France	– Red, white and blue vertical bars (the blue bar is by the flagpole, the red bar is farthest from the pole).
Japan	– A white field with a red circle in the centre.
Jordan	– Black, white, and green horizontal bars (the black bar is on the top, the green bar is on the bottom). A red triangle with a white star is by the flagpole.
Morocco	– A red field with a green five pointed star in the centre.
Pakistan	– A white vertical bar (by the flagpole), the remaining field is green with a white star and crescent moon.
Republic of Ireland	– Green, white and orange vertical bars (the green bar is by the flagpole).
Russia	– White, blue, and red horizontal bars (the white bar is on the top, the red bar is on the bottom).
South Africa	– A sideways green “Y” surrounded. The bar above the “Y” is red, the bar below is blue (each is bordered by a thin white line). Inside the “Y” is black (bordered by thin lines of yellow).
South Korea	– A white field with a circle in the centre. The top portion of the circle is red and the bottom portion is blue.
Sweden	– A blue field with a yellow, off-centre cross.
Turkey	– A red field with a white crescent moon and a white star.
United Kingdom	– A red white and blue flag with a thick red cross in the centre (surrounded by thin white lines) on a blue field.

Additional activity:

Place flags on a map of the world. Could be placed around the edge of the map and linked by string or wool indicating the location of each country.