World Flags

Use this key to check answers and read the explanations.

1. A national flag has a single red disk centered on a white field. Which country uses that design?

A. Japan
B. Bangladesh
C. Palau
D. Tunisia

Correct answer: A. Japan
Japan's national flag has a red sun disk on white. The disk sits in the center.

2. Which country’s national flag has a green cedar in the center of a white band between two horizontal red bands?

A. Peru
B. Austria
C. Lebanon
D. Canada

Correct answer: C. Lebanon
Lebanon’s constitution places a green cedar in the middle of the white band. The two red bands run above and below the white band.

3. Which country uses a green flag with a large yellow diamond around a blue disk containing stars?

A. Bolivia
B. Brazil
C. Colombia
D. Uruguay

Correct answer: B. Brazil
Brazil's flag layers the yellow diamond over a green field. The blue disk also carries a curved white band.

4. A national flag has a green Y whose arms begin at the two corners beside the pole and join toward the opposite edge. Which country adopted it?

A. Namibia
B. Kenya
C. Ghana
D. South Africa

Correct answer: D. South Africa
South Africa's flag has a green Y-shaped band. Its two branches meet and continue as one horizontal band.

5. Which country's national flag is a red square with a centered white cross whose arms stop before the edges?

A. Denmark
B. Switzerland
C. Norway
D. Georgia

Correct answer: B. Switzerland
The Swiss flag is square, and its single white cross sits clear of the red field's edges.

6. A flag has two crimson triangular sections, blue edging, and white moon and sun emblems. Which country is the design for?

A. Nepal
B. Bhutan
C. Sri Lanka
D. Pakistan

Correct answer: A. Nepal
Nepal's flag is formed from two joined pennant shapes. The moon emblem is in the upper section and the sun is in the lower one.

7. A design for Jamaica already shows a gold diagonal cross. Which color placement completes it?

A. Green above and below, blue on the sides
B. Black above and below, green on the sides
C. Red above and below, black on the sides
D. Green above and below, black on the sides

Correct answer: D. Green above and below, black on the sides
The gold cross separates Jamaica's flag into four triangles. The upper and lower triangles are green, and the side triangles are black.

8. Which country uses light blue outer bands, a white center band, and a Sun of May centered on its national flag?

A. Paraguay
B. Uruguay
C. Argentina
D. Chile

Correct answer: C. Argentina
Argentina's flag has three horizontal bands in light blue, white, and light blue. The sun sits in the middle of the white band.

9. The civil flag of one Nordic country places a plain blue cross on white, with the crossing closer to the pole. Which country is it?

A. Finland
B. Sweden
C. Denmark
D. Iceland

Correct answer: A. Finland
Finland's civil flag has a blue Nordic cross on white. The state flag adds a coat of arms.

10. Five slanted bands spread from the lower corner beside the pole. From top to bottom they are blue, yellow, red, white, and green. Which national flag fits?

A. Maldives
B. Mauritius
C. Comoros
D. Seychelles

Correct answer: D. Seychelles
The Seychelles flag uses those five colors in that order. Their shared starting point gives the bands a fan shape.

11. A Singapore flag draft has the red band above the white band and a white crescent on the red. Which detail belongs beside the crescent?

A. Five yellow stars arranged in a row
B. Four white stars arranged in a rhombus
C. Five white stars arranged in a circle
D. One white star inside the crescent

Correct answer: C. Five white stars arranged in a circle
Singapore's flag pairs the white crescent with five white stars in a circle. Both appear on the red band.

12. A blue flag has the Union Jack in the upper corner by the pole and four red stars edged in white. Which country's national flag does this describe?

A. Australia
B. New Zealand
C. Fiji
D. Tuvalu

Correct answer: B. New Zealand
New Zealand's four red stars with white borders represent the Southern Cross. The color and number are important identifying details.

13. Which written blueprint matches the flag of Czechia?

A. White above red, with a blue triangle pointing in from the far edge
B. Red above white, with a blue triangle pointing in from the pole edge
C. White above blue, with a red triangle pointing in from the pole edge
D. White above red, with a blue triangle pointing in from the pole edge

Correct answer: D. White above red, with a blue triangle pointing in from the pole edge
The white stripe belongs above the red one. The blue triangle starts at the pole edge and points toward the center.

14. Which written description identifies Bhutan's national flag?

A. A white dragon lies across a diagonal division between yellow and orange.
B. A red dragon stands on horizontal white and green bands.
C. A white dragon rises from a blue band below a green field.
D. A black dragon lies across a vertical division between red and white.

Correct answer: A. A white dragon lies across a diagonal division between yellow and orange.
Bhutan's flag is divided diagonally into yellow and orange. The white dragon extends across the division.

15. Which description correctly identifies both the center emblem and the star arrangement on Dominica's national flag?

A. A cedar tree in a red disk surrounded by ten white stars
B. A parrot in a green disk surrounded by ten red stars
C. A parrot in a red disk surrounded by ten green stars
D. A parrot in a red disk surrounded by five green stars

Correct answer: C. A parrot in a red disk surrounded by ten green stars
Dominica's flag puts the Sisserou parrot in a red disk. The ten green stars around it stand for the country's ten parishes.