

Rights Respecting School Flags of the United Nations Quiz

The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child is the document that contains the special rights which children around the world hold.

The United Nations is an organisation made up of 193 countries. They work together to maintain international peace and security, protect human rights, deliver humanitarian aid, promote sustainable development and uphold international law.

Representatives of each member country meet in the UN General Assembly. This is the closest thing we have to a world parliament. When the General Assembly wants to make a decision, they hold a vote. Each country has a single vote. Decisions that are voted for become resolutions.

Major decisions about things like who can join the UN need the support of two-thirds of the Assembly.

Less important decisions need the support of over half the Assembly.

The Assembly's decisions are not laws. Governments follow resolutions because they represent the world's opinion on important international issues.

You can find out more about the work of the UN at their website – un.org.

On the next page you will find a competition about flags of some of the UN countries. Can you colour the flags correctly and find out what year each country joined the UN?

Each person who completes the competition will be given a gold coin for their house. All correct entries will be placed in a special prize draw.

1st place will receive 15 gold coins for their house.

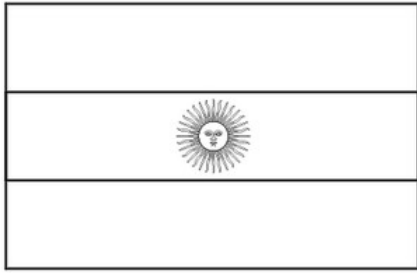
2nd place will receive 10 gold coins.

3rd place will receive 5 gold coins.

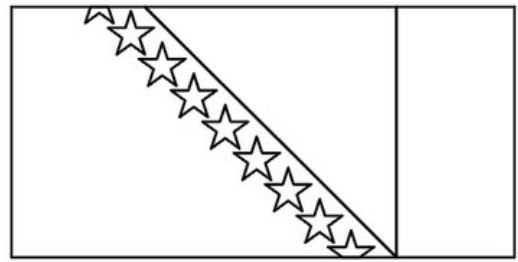
All entries should be returned by **Friday 13th September**. We hope you enjoy learning more about the United Nations. Maybe you could use their website to find out more about your rights, too.

Flags of the United Nations Quiz

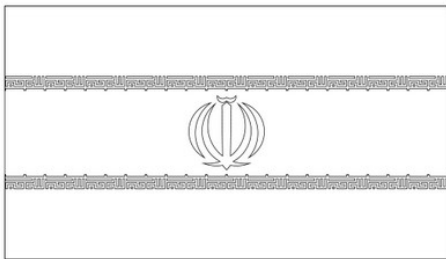
Colour the flags below correctly, add the name of the country and find out when each country joined the United Nations.



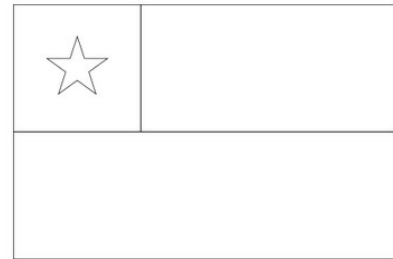
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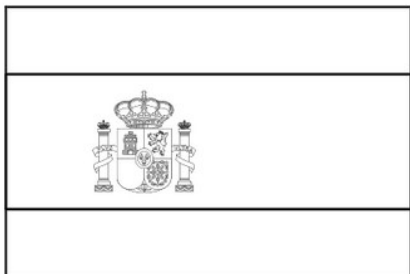
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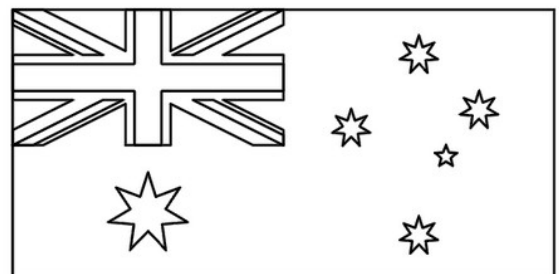
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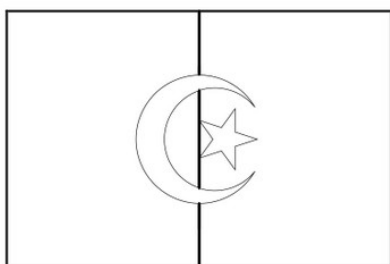
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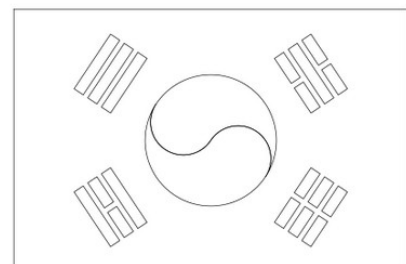
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