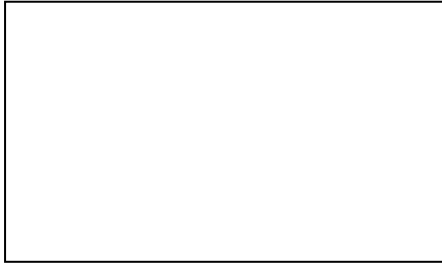


## Flags: reading tasks

1 Draw your country's flag:



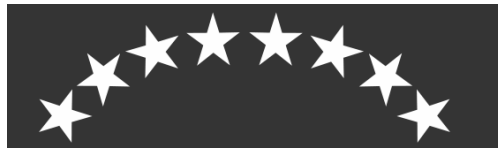
2 Are the following statements about your reading True, False or Not Given?

- Reading A** Flags are rarely used for communicating nowadays. \_\_\_\_\_  
**Reading B** Most national flags are red, white and blue. \_\_\_\_\_  
**Reading C** The ICRC has two different flags: the red cross and the red crescent. \_\_\_\_\_

3 Picture A



Picture B



Picture C



4 **Vocabulary**

i There are three verbs that commonly go with the noun 'flag'. Can you find them in the texts?

ii Can you remember the missing verbs from these sentences?

- a** Both flags are \_\_\_\_\_ protection symbols in conflict.  
**b** In the UK, a red flag on the beach \_\_\_\_\_ danger.  
**c** Mozambique's flag is the only one that \_\_\_\_\_ a modern weapon.  
**d** The height of the raised flag also \_\_\_\_\_ where the foul took place.  
**e** The Libyan flag is the only one to \_\_\_\_\_ of a single colour.  
**f** The stars on the EU flag do not \_\_\_\_\_.  
**g** The Turkish flag has \_\_\_\_\_ flags from other Muslim states.  
**h** The United Nations flag was \_\_\_\_\_ in 1947.  
**i** Without the flag of the country being visited, it can be \_\_\_\_\_ the ship is willing to fight.

iii Now draw ...

- a** a chequered flag  
**b** a crescent  
**c** two interlocking rings  
**d** a hammer and sickle