

The Flag of Canada



Color the flag of the Canada. The two outer bands are both red and the center square is white. Outline the maple leaf with red and color the inside of the leaf red.

The national flag of Canada is also known as the Maple Leaf, or l'Unifolie {French for 'the one-leafed'}. The flag has a red background with a white square centered on the flag. Within the white square is an 11-pointed red maple leaf. Queen Elizabeth proclaimed the flag in January of 1965 and the new flag was adopted on February 15, 1965 ~ now the official Flag Day of Canada.

The maple leaf has been the Canadian symbol as far back as the early 1700's. The red and white colors have long been a part of French and English history and were declared Canada's official colors in 1921 by King George V.