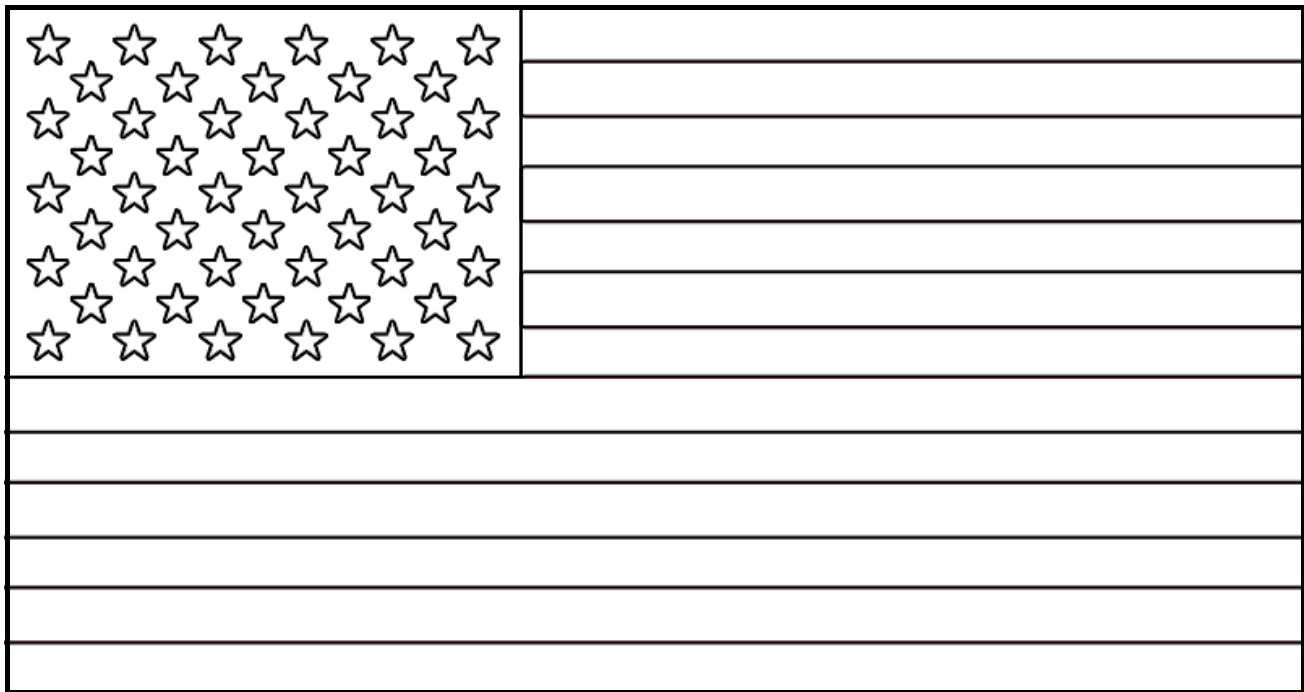


The Flag of the United States



Color the flag of the US. Color the top band of the flag red and then every other one red also. The background behind the stars is blue. Leave the stars and the remaining bands white.

The national flag of the United States is also known as the “Stars and Stripes” or “Old Glory”. The flag has thirteen horizontal stripes that alternate between red and white {seven red and six white}. There is a blue rectangle in the top left corner {hoist side} of the flag with fifty 5-pointed white stars.

The fifty stars represent the fifty states of the United States and the thirteen stripes represent the original thirteen colonies. The red color on the flag is symbolic of the blood that was shed. The white color represents purity and innocence. The blue symbolizes perseverance and justice.