

# Flag History Test

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**PART ONE: Put the following eight events in the order they occurred.**

- \_\_\_\_ Stars and Stripes “born”
- \_\_\_\_ Grand Union Flag raised over the Continental Army at Cambridge, Massachusetts
- \_\_\_\_ Stars and Stripes become the official National Color
- \_\_\_\_ Flags used by Imperial Egypt and the armies of Babylon, Chaldea, and Assyria
- \_\_\_\_ American soldiers used a flag of blue with an eagle carrying an olive branch and arrows
- \_\_\_\_ Stars and Stripes were raised over Fort Stanwix, New York
- \_\_\_\_ Stars and Stripes were raised over Fort McHenry
- \_\_\_\_ Congress passed a law fixing the number of stripes on the flag at 13 and providing for the addition of a new star in the blue union for each new state.

**PART TWO (Short Answer)**

Who wrote the Star Spangled Banner and what event inspired the lyrics to that song ?

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What part of a flag is a union? \_\_\_\_\_

What is meant by the term “National Color?” \_\_\_\_\_