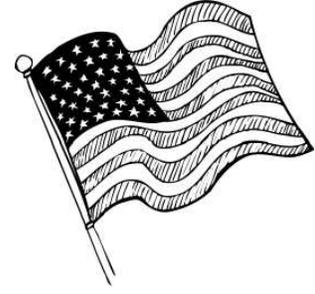


Flag Day



Flag Day is on June 14. It is a special day to celebrate the adoption of the American Flag in 1777. It is not a federal holiday, so schools, banks, and government offices are open on Flag Day.

The American flag has fifty stars and thirteen stripes. The stars represent the fifty states, and the stripes represent the thirteen original colonies, which became states.