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Design a flag for Antarctica - and it could fly there!

From the Classroom to Antarctica

Antarctica belongs to no one. It is the coldest, driest and windiest continent with temperatures as low -89°C . On 1st December 1959, the Antarctic Treaty was set up to maintain peace in Antarctica and now more than 50 countries are part of the Treaty. These countries work together, share their scientific research and protect this pristine continent.

Design a flag (can be done by individual students or a group) using Antarctica for inspiration.

Select 5 flags per school and photograph/scan & email to edu@polarfoundation.org by 13th Nov 2015. (jpg less than 5MB)

See the selected flags in Antarctica. Your school will also receive a certificate.

Celebrate Antarctica Day 2015 at school and display all your flags.

Online

[Antarctica Day film](#) (5 minutes)

Introduction to the activities of Antarctica Day - [Powerpoint](#)

[Flag Designs](#) from previous years; [Video of flags](#) at the Princess Elisabeth research station

Other educational material to inspire: www.educapoles.org

