

HOW TO DISPLAY THE AMERICAN FLAG



ON A POLE WITH ANOTHER FLAG

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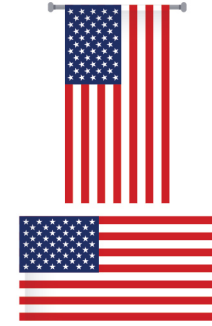
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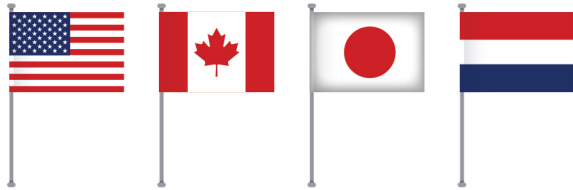
AT HALF-STAFF OR HALF-MAST

"Half-staff" is half the distance from the top to the bottom of a flagpole. If flying a single flag, the center point of the U.S. flag should be aligned with the center point of the flagpole.

AGAINST A WALL OR IN A WINDOW



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WITH THE FLAGS OF OTHER NATIONS

Each flag should be the same size and displayed at the same height. It is inappropriate to display one country's flag above another.



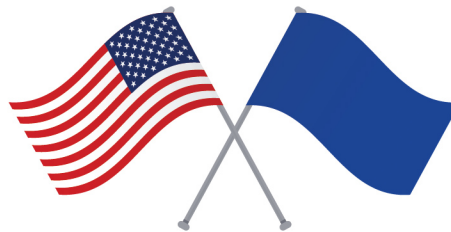
IN AN AUDITORIUM OR CHURCH SETTING

When the U.S. flag is displayed on a staff situated on a platform or stage with a speaker, the American flag should be to the speaker's right. Additional flag sets should be displayed to the right of the American flag from the most common viewing point. If the U.S. flag is displayed flat or hung vertically, it should be positioned above and behind the speaker with additional flags to the right from the most common viewing point.



IN A GROUP OF FLAGS

In a group of state and/or religious flags displayed from staffs, the U.S. flag should be at the center and the highest point.



CROSSED STAFFS WITH ANOTHER FLAG

When it is displayed with another flag against a wall from crossed staffs, the U.S. flag should be on the right (the flag's own right, viewer's left), and its staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag.



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