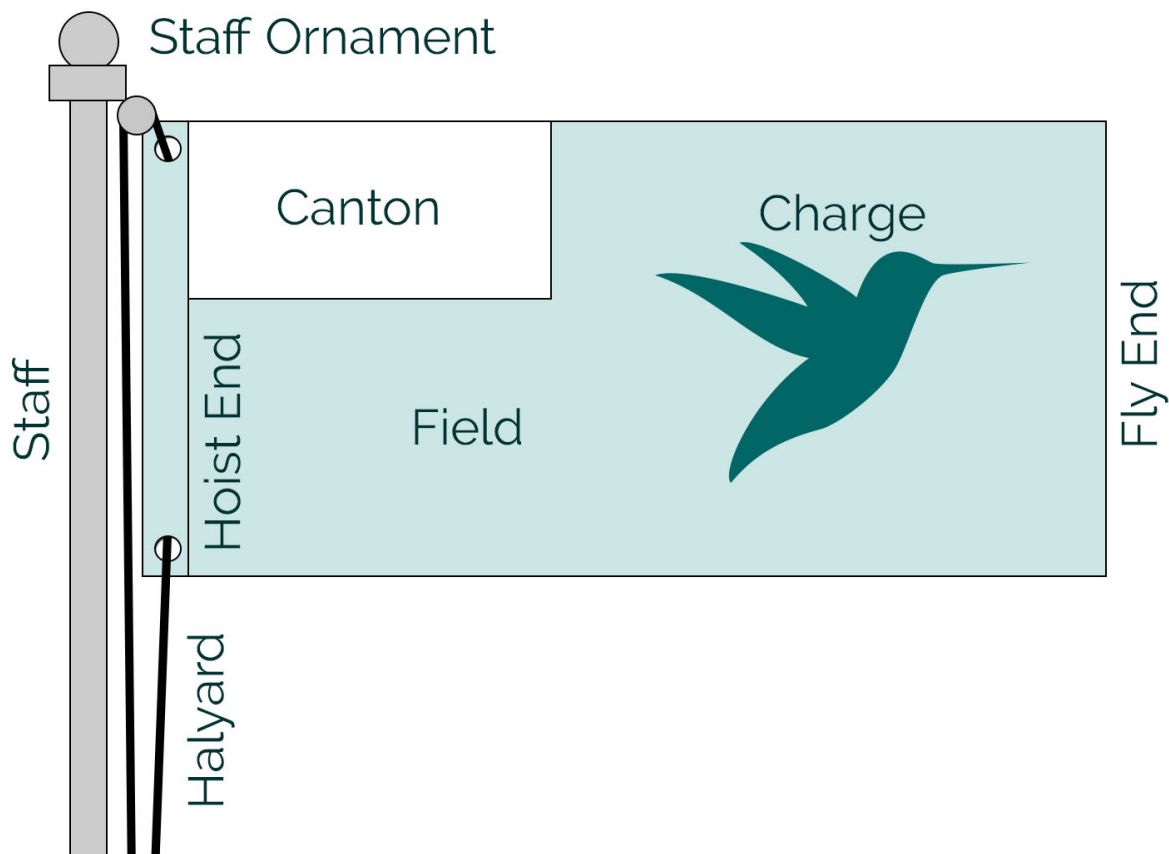


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Vocabulary

Flag Terms

- **Staff (or flagpole)** - The pole that the flag is raised on.
- **Staff Ornament (or Finial)** - A decorative piece that may be on top of the staff.
- **Halyard** - A rope used to raise and lower a flag.
- **Canton** - Any quarter of a flag, but often the upper hoist (left) quarter.
- **Hoist End** - The half or edge of a flag closest to the flagpole.
- **Charge** - A figure or symbol appearing in the field of a flag.
- **Fly End** - The half or edge of a flag farthest from the flagpole. This is the end that flaps in the wind.
- **Field** - The background of a flag.



Layers of the Earth

- **Inner Core** - A solid mass, thought to be made of nickel and iron, and believed to be the same temperature as the sun.
- **Outer Core** - A very hot liquid made of nickel and iron.
- **Mantle** - A large, rocky shell between the core and the crust.
- **Crust** - Thin layer on top of the mantle. This layer is the one we live on.





North

South

East

West