# **LET YOUR FLAG FLY**



Gilbert Pride Flag

The original flag is called the Gilbert Pride flag. Each color invokes different symbolism.



6-Color Pride Flag

This flag removed pink and combined turquoise and indigo into a royal blue.



## **Nonbinary Flag**

The nonbinary flag was created in 2014 for genders existing outside the man/woman binary.



# **Progress Pride Flag**

The Progress Pride flag combines elements from the Philadelphia flag, the trans Pride flag, and the 6-color flag to bring focus on inclusion and progress.



## **QPOC Flag**

QPOC stands for "queer people of color." The flag represents diversity and solidarity with the Black Lives Matter movement.



# Transgender Flag

This flag was made in 1999 by Monica Helms, a trans Navy veteran. The colors represent boys, girls, and those who are transitioning or nonbinary.



## Pansexual Flag

The pansexual flag was created in 2010 to distinguish pansexuality from bisexuality.



## Lesbian Flag

The lesbian flag used today was created In 2018. Like the other flags, each color represents something different.



#### **Asexual Flag**

The asexual flag was created in 2010. This Pride flag represents those who identify as asexual, or not having sexual feelings or attraction toward others.



# Bisexual Flag

The colors of the bisexual flag represent the stereotypical colors for boys and girls, blue and pink, with lavender in the middle representing attraction to both sexes.



#### Straight Ally Flag

This flag combines the black and white stripes of the straight flag with the rainbow of the traditional Pride flag to show allyship.



#### Queer Pride Flag

The term "queer" can refer to anyone who rejects or falls outside cultural norms around gender and sexuality. Artist Pastelmemer was one of the first to design this flag.



# Abrosexual Flag

"Abrosexual" refers to an individual whose sexuality is changing or fluid. The flag was made in 2015.



# **Gay Flag**

This flag has different shades of green, blue, and purple. The design mirrors the lesbian flag.



# Genderfluid Flag

When someone identifies as "genderfluid," it means that their gender identity is not fixed.



# Two-Spirit Pride Flag

The addition of two feathers to the traditional Pride flag symbolizes the Indigenous culture of two-spirit people and masculine and feminine identities.



**INSTRUCTIONS:** Flags have been used throughout history as symbols to represent ideas and convey certain messages. In the same way that an American flag can symbolize freedom and liberty, and a Pride flag can symbolize life, healing, nature, art, and spirit, a flag that you create yourself can be a symbolic representation of you! How do you describe yourself? What colors, shapes, letters, words, etc. best represent your life, identity, feelings, and dreams? Use the space below to organize what makes you you, and then use those elements to design your own flag!

"You have to go the way your blood beats.

If you don't live the only life you have, you won't live some other life, you won't live any life at all."

— James Baldwin