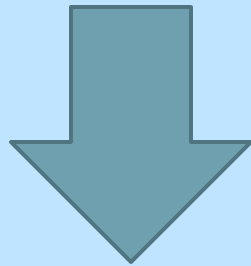


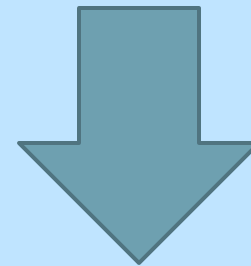
**PROJECT:**

**THE NATIONAL  
SYMBOLS OF  
RUSSIA**

# The national symbols of Russia



official



unofficial



# The official symbols of Russia

❖ the flag



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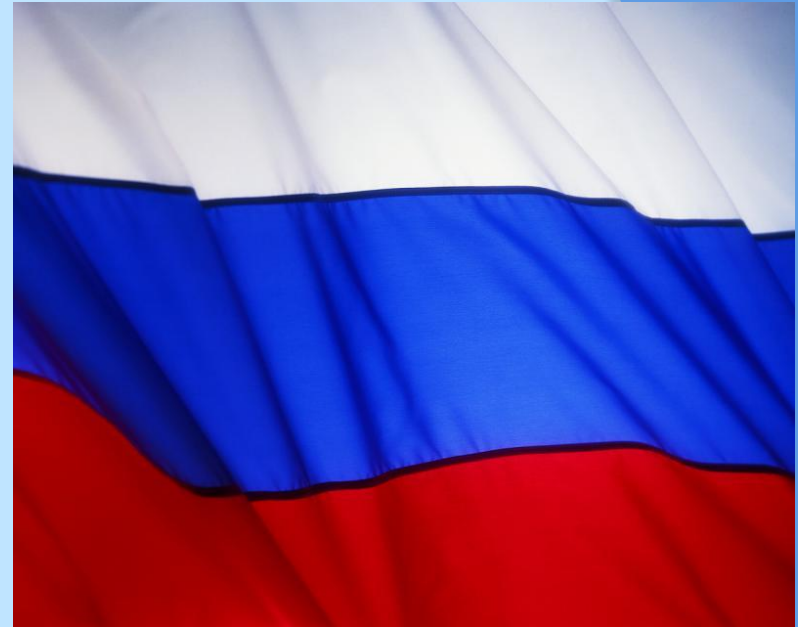


# The flag

One Russian symbol is the Russian national flag.

The stripes are white, blue and red. These colours have always been symbolic in Russia: white-noble and sincere, blue-honest and devoted-devoted to friends, family and to the country. The red colour has always meant love and bravery.

It was introduced in Russia in 1497 by Tsar Ivan III.



# The hymn 🗣️

The hymn of Russia is a very solemn song, written by Mikhalkov and Alexandrov.



# The national emblem



The national emblem is – a two headed eagle. It is the most ancient symbol of Russia.

# **The unofficial symbols of Russia**

**There are some unofficial symbols of Russia, which all people know and love.**

**One of them is the birch tree . You can find these trees everywhere. People sing beautiful songs with poetic words about birch trees, and plant them near their houses.**



**birch tree**





**Red Square**

# Kremlin





**Tourists usually buy such traditional Russian souvenirs as Matryoshka dolls.**

Mugs, plates and spoons from the village of Khokhloma and Palex boxes are very popular.





# Russian troika

bears



# balalaika

