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The State Symbols of Canada

(Исследовательская работа)

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The main aims:

- to give the general information about Canada, its provinces and territories;
- to introduce Canada's symbols: its flag, coat of arms and anthem;
- to tell about the floral emblems of Canada's provinces and territories and explain why they were chosen.

The tasks:

- to learn different materials;
- to find and sum up the necessary information;
- to carry out the survey on this theme.

The Object of the research: Canada

The Subject of the research: the
Symbols of Canada.



Official name:

Canada

Area: 3,851,790 sq mi (9,976,000 sq km)

Capital: Ottawa (Ontario)

Population: over 28 m people (1995)

Major Languages: English and French

An aerial photograph of a city skyline, likely Ottawa, Canada, featuring several prominent skyscrapers and a large body of water (the Ottawa River) in the background. The city is surrounded by green spaces and a winding road in the foreground.

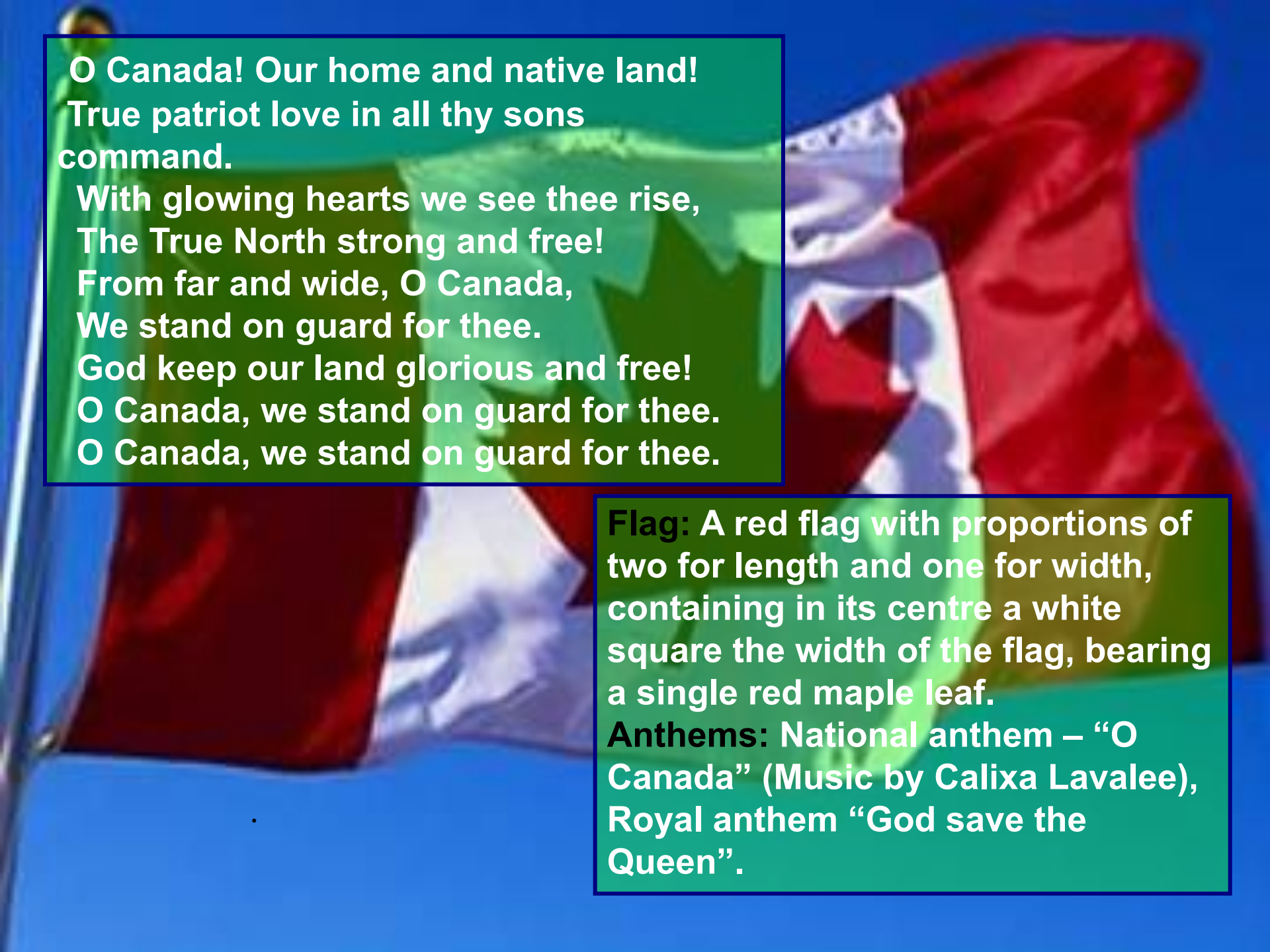
Form of Government: Constitutional Monarchy, which consists of a federation of 10 provinces, and 2 territories.

Head of State: Queen of Britain, represented in Canada by the Governor General, whom she appoints on the advice of the Canadian government.

Head of Government: Prime Minister

Legislature: Parliament, consisting of the crown, the Senate and the House of Commons; each province has its own legislature.





O Canada! Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all thy sons
command.

With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free!

From far and wide, O Canada,
We stand on guard for thee.

God keep our land glorious and free!

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

Flag: A red flag with proportions of two for length and one for width, containing in its centre a white square the width of the flag, bearing a single red maple leaf.

Anthems: National anthem – “O Canada” (Music by Calixa Lavalee), Royal anthem “God save the Queen”.

Canada's provinces

1. Nova Scotia
2. New Brunswick
3. Ontario
4. Quebec
5. Manitoba
6. British Columbia
7. Prince Edward Island
8. Saskatchewan
9. Alberta
10. Newfoundland and Labrador

Canada's territories

1. The Yukon Territory
2. The Northwest Territories
3. The Nunavut

and their symbols



Nova Scotia

1 July 1867



Capital – Halifax

Territory – 55,500sq.km.

**Floral symbol - The
trailing arbutus**

New Brunswick

1 July 1867



Capital – Fredericton

Territory – 73,400sq.km.

Floral symbol - the
purple violet

Ontario

1 July 1867



Capital – Toronto
Territory – 1,068,600sq.km.
Floral symbol - The white trillium

Quebec

1 July 1867



Capital – Quebec

Territory – 1,540,700sq.km.

**Floral symbol - The
white garden lily**

Manitoba

15 July 1870



Capital – Winnipeg

Territory – 650,000sq.km.

**Floral symbol - The
wild prairie crocus**

British Columbia

20 July 1871



Capital – Victoria

Territory – 947,800sq.km.

**Floral symbol - the
Pacific dogwood**

Prince Edward Island

1 July 1873



Capital – Charlottetown
Territory – 5,700sq.km.

Floral symbol - The trailing arbutus

Saskatchewan

1 September 1905



Capital – Regina

Territory – 652,300sq.km.

**Floral symbol - The
prairie lily**

Alberta

1 September 1905



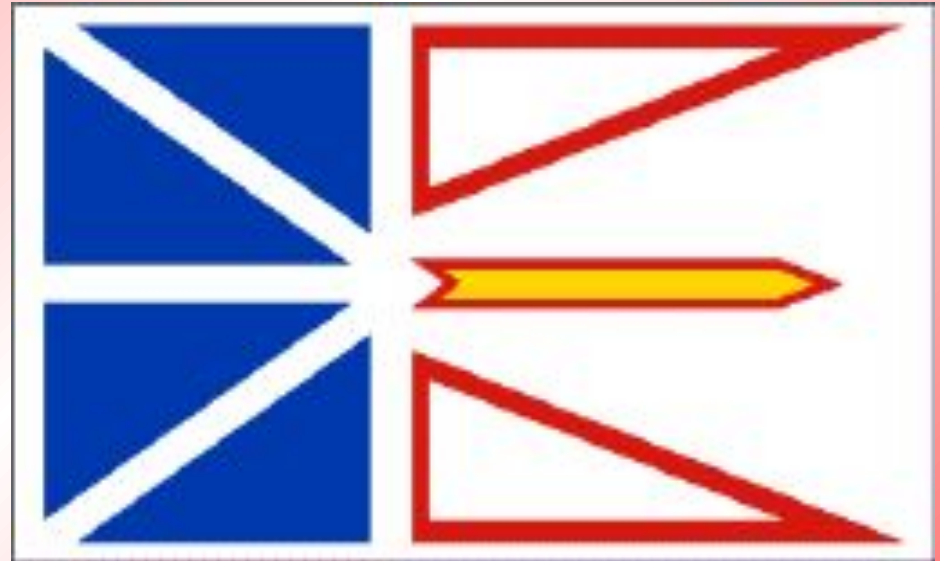
Capital – Edmonton

Territory – 661,200sq.km.

**Floral symbol - the wild
rose**

Newfoundland and Labrador

31 March 1949



Capital – St. John's
Territory – 405,700sq.km.
Floral symbol - The
pitcher plant

The Yukon Territory

1898



Capital – Whitehorse

Territory – 483,500sq.km

**Floral symbol - The
fireweed**

The Northwest Territories

15 July 1870



Capital – Yellowknife
Territory – 3,426,300sq.km.
Floral symbol - the
mountain avens

The Nunavut



Capital – Iqaluit

Territory – 1,900,000sq.km.



Thank you!