## For the Teacher: National Flags Listening Task

Functional	● I like to collect
Language	• Let's see
Students will need	<ul><li>I like this one.</li><li>Do you like this one?</li></ul>
Vocabulary  Students will need	<ul> <li>vocabulary of colors: colors, green, blue, yellow, white, red</li> <li>vocabulary of design: circle, stripes, middle</li> <li>vocabulary for country adjectives: Saudi Arabian, Brazilian, Swedish, Japanese, Nigerian, Indian</li> </ul>
Grammar  Students will need	<ul> <li>preposition: with + color (with blue)</li> <li>preposition: in + the middle (in the middle)</li> <li>tag questions: be + not + subject (isn't he?)</li> </ul>

Pronunciation  Students will need	<ul> <li>adjectives endings with –ian: put stress on syllable before "ian." ni-GER-i-an bra-ZIL-i-an</li> <li>adjective endings with –ese: put stress on syllable with "ese": Japa-a-NESE</li> </ul>
Assessment Teachers can check for success by	<ul> <li>Ask students, "Which flag does she want?" and "Describe the Saudi Arabian flag" and "Describe the Saudi Arabian flag" and "Describe the Brazilian flag" and "Describe the Swedish flag" and "Describe the Japanese flag" and "Describe the Nigerian flag."</li> <li>Have students in pairs describe the flags that they know.</li> </ul>

## **National Identity** | National flags

Which flag does she want?

Older sister: Why do you have so many flags?

**Younger sister:** I like to collect them. I like the colors of them, too.

Older sister: Which flags do you have?

Younger sister: Let's see... I have the Saudi Arabian flag. It is green.

**Older sister:** I see another green flag with blue in the middle. What is that?

Younger sister: That is the Brazilian flag.

**Older sister:** And, I see a blue and yellow flag. Which flag is it?

**Younger sister:** That flag is Swedish. I like this one—white with a red circle in the middle.

**Older sister:** Oh, that's the Japanese flag, isn't it?

**Younger sister:** Yes, it is the Japanese flag. Do you like this one?

Older sister: I like the green and white stripes.

Which flag is that?

Younger sister: It is Nigerian.

Older sister: You have so many flags!

Younger sister: Yes, but I really want an Indian

flag. That will be my next flag.

Which flag does she want?