



STUDY NOTE FILIPINO





Philippines Flag

Philippine Flag Symbolism

1.

Colors

- Blue – Peace, truth, and justice.
- Red – Courage, patriotism, and valor in the face of challenges.
- White triangle – Equality and fraternity; also represents liberty and purity.

2.

Symbols inside the White Triangle

- Three golden stars – Represent the three main geographical regions of the Philippines:
 - i. Luzon
 - ii. Visayas
 - iii. Mindanao
- Sun with eight rays – The sun symbolizes freedom, unity, and democracy.
 - Each ray represents the first eight provinces that revolted against Spanish colonial rule: Manila, Cavite, Bulacan, Pampanga, Nueva Ecija, Bataan, Laguna, and Batangas.

1. Greetings & Common Expressions

Filipino English Notes

1. Kamusta? How are you? Can be used formally or informally
2. Magandang umaga Good morning Use in the morning
3. Magandang hapon Good afternoon Afternoon greeting
4. Magandang gabi Good evening Evening greeting
5. Paalam Goodbye Can be used casually or formally
6. Salamat Thank you Polite expression
7. Walang anuman You're welcome Response to "Salamat"

Basic Conversation

1. Ako si [Your Name]. → I am [Your Name].

2. Taga-[Place] ako. → I am from [Place].

3. Gusto ko ng tubig. → I want water.

4. Nasaan ang banyo? → Where is the bathroom?