Design a Penguin Flag for the Field Station.

Our lonely hut is near the Adelie penguin breeding colony at Cape Royds, Antarctica. Many distinguished visitors come to see the penguins and learn about Antarctica throughout the season. Have your class design and make a penguin flag for us to fly near the penguins. If you would like your flag returned, include a self-addressed and stamped envelope, we will take a picture of the flag, sign it and return it to your school. Use the following guidelines to help you create your design.

1. Flags must be sent after **Sept 1, 2022** and postmarked by **Dec 10, 2022**, or they will not reach us in time to be flown.

2. Please send the flag in a large envelop, **NOT A BOX**. Boxed mail, even small boxes, will not be delivered to us in time to fly. We are a US post office so domestic postage rates applies.

3. Insert a self-addressed stamped large envelope so we can return it to you. Domestic postage rates apply both to and from Antarctica. If it cost $5.80 to send the flag to me , put $5.80 on the return envelope.

4. Include contact information (email or school address) for receipt confirmation.

5. **Flag Size:** between 12 x 18 inches and 3 x 4 feet. Please no larger.

6. **Classrooms outside the United States.** Please contact me before sending a flag.

Design: Create a picture about penguins or Antarctica. Incorporating your school's logo or name is fine.

Material: Strong fabric, remember the winds in Antarctica are fierce, nylon works best. Please add a sleeve (at least 2.5 inches wide) or grommets so we can attach the flag to our pole. Everything attached must be sewn NOT glued. The winds remove glued items and they pollute our pristine environment.

Use a large envelope to send the flag to us. DO NOT USE A BOX	Create a self addressed and **stamped** envelope. U.S. POSTAGE ONLY. If it cost $5.80 to send the flag to me, put $5.80 on the return envelope.	Insert the return envelope and the flag (or postcards) in the envelope addressed to us.

You can see examples of flag from previous years here.
http://archive.penguinscience.com/education/flag_archive.php

Send it to us:

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