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The Mexican Flag Questions

1. What part of the coat of arms on the flag is a symbol of strength?

- the laurel branch
- the rattlesnake
- the green oak on the garland

2. What does the green color stand for in the flag?

- hope
- blood
- unity

3. What is a garland?

- a flower
- a wreath of flowers or leaves
- a tree

4. What does the red color stand for in the flag?

- blood of heroes
- hope
- religion

5. What do you think a **coat of arms** is?

- a uniform soldiers wear
- a collection of symbols showing a group's identity
- a coat with pockets for swords

6. Underline (in green) the clues that let you know this flag has changed in some way over time.

7. Using the online dictionary, look up the word **adopted**.

base (or root) word: _____

How many meanings are listed for this word? _____

Write the meaning that best fits how the word is used in this text.