

Read the text below. For questions 1-5 choose the correct answers.



The 50-Star American flag got a B as a school project

The flag we know today and its arrangement of stars was designed by a high schooler before Alaska and Hawaii were even states. It was 1958, and America only contained 48 United States. The flag at that time had six rows of eight stars. Heft's history teacher assigned a class project, asking to redesign the flag. Heft decided to use the flag he had at home and added some changes to his 48-star flag. His teacher, however, was not impressed and gave the project a B minus. But Heft protested the low grade. His teacher told him that if it accepted into Washington if he wanted a better grade.

Heft spent the next two years making calls and writing letters to the White House. After Alaska and Hawaii gained statehood, Heft got the call he'd been hoping for. President Eisenhower told him that his flag design was one out of over a thousand. And, yes, his teacher did update his grade to an A.