INSTALLATION GUIDE

**ITEMS: FP9** 



## **GREAT AMERICAN'S BUDGET FLAGPOLES:**

- ★ Assemble in minutes
- ★ No cement required
- Excellent value for tight budgets

Budget Fiberglass Flagpole

# 9' Fiberglass Flagpole

### **Parts Include:**

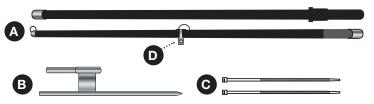
- A. 2 Pole Segments
- B. Ground Spike
- C. 2 Zip Ties
- **D**. Flag Anchor Clip (attached to top pole portion)

### **Optional Tools:**

- Rubber Mallet
- Scissors
- Level

### Recommended Flag Size(s):

2' x 3', 3' x 5'



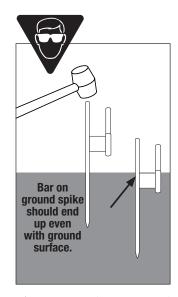
**CAUTION:** Remove pole from ground spike to replace flag. DO NOT attempt to climb pole or lean a ladder against it as poles are not designed to support the weight of a person.

### **Ground Spike Installation:**

Using a rubber mallet or hammer, pound the pointed end of the ground spike (B) into ground until the top edge of the crossbar is flush with the surface. If possible, as you ease the spike into the ground, use a level to ensure it is completely vertical. It is important to make sure that the spike is as vertically level as possible so your flag will stand up straight and support its' weight in windy conditions.

#### Installation Tips:

- Make sure to use eye protection when installing fiberglass ground spike.
- Do not drive into rocky ground or hardened soil.
  If soil is too dry, try soaking the area for a few minutes to soften it.
- Check for sprinkler systems and utility lines when choosing pole location.



### Flag & Pole Assembly:

To secure the flag to your pole (A), locate the top pole portion and loosen the flag anchor clip (D) so it will move up and down the pole. Loop a zip tie through each pole loop and the top and bottom grommets on your flag. Tighten the zip ties and clip the ends off with scissors. Slide the clip down until the flag is fully extended on the pole and secure the anchor clip in place. Do not overtighten or your flag will not move with the wind.

Slide the top portion of the pole onto the bottom pole portion and slide the fully assembled pole with attached flag down onto the spike until it sits flush to the ground.