

Reasons for Hispanic Immigration

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Students will explore, examine, and experience the thought process immigrants go through

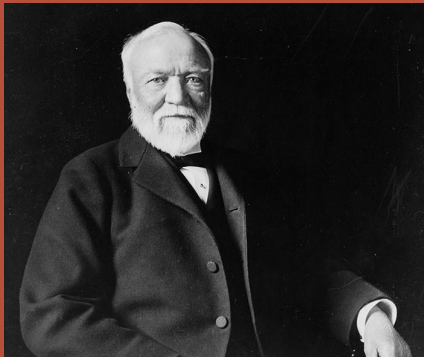
Students will appraise the efforts made by immigrants who built this country

Students will identify the reasons for Hispanic immigration

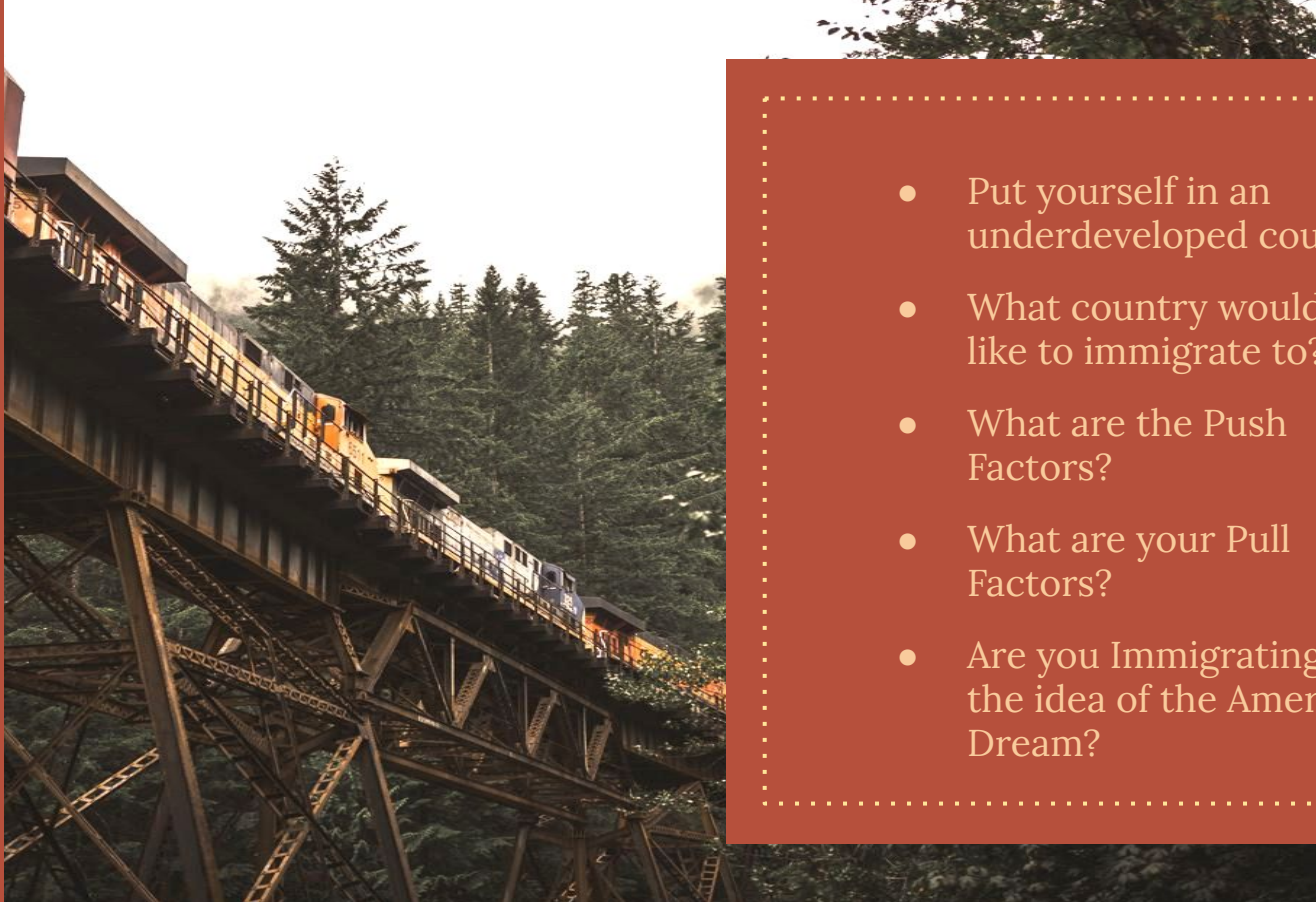
Building America



Who are they?

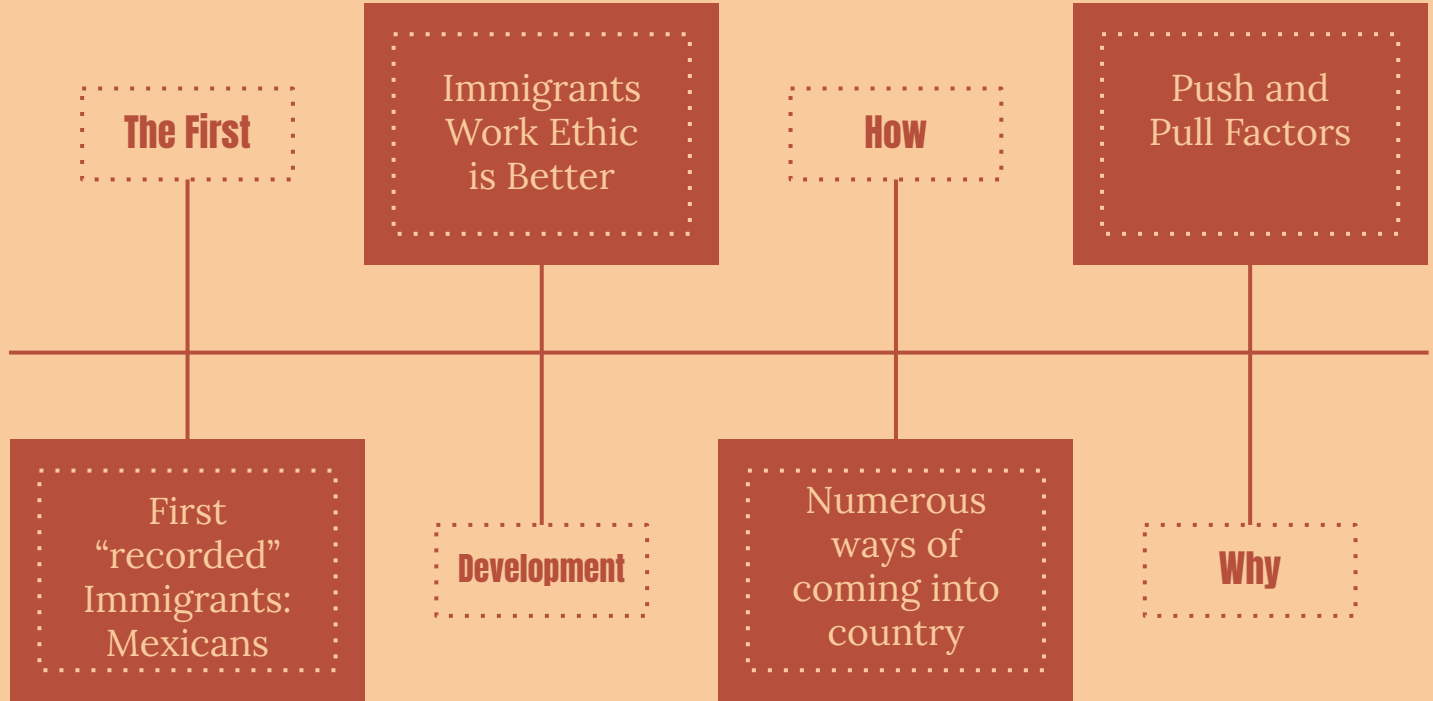


New Shoes



- Put yourself in an underdeveloped country
- What country would you like to immigrate to?
- What are the Push Factors?
- What are your Pull Factors?
- Are you Immigrating with the idea of the American Dream?

History of Immigration



“Beginning around the 1890s, new industries in the U.S. Southwest—especially mining and agriculture—attracted Mexican migrant laborers. The Mexican Revolution (1910-1920) then increased the flow: war refugees and political exiles fled to the United States to escape the violence. Mexicans also left rural areas in search of stability and employment”

**The John W. Kluge Center at the Library of
Congress**

Push Factors



The Pushes



Poverty

Poor living conditions, and knowing that a different country is better



High crime

Feeling that you live in fear because of the high crime rates



Unemployment

Not having a job prevents you from having money to live off of



Pull Factors

The Pulls



Freedom

The US grants many freedoms to the people.



Higher Education

Many immigrants get very little to no education



Safety

The security in one country could be better than another





The American Dream

Is It Attainable?

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