

Immigration

Quotations "It's about mass immigration at a time when 21% of young people can't find work. It's about giving £50 million a day to the EU when the public finances are under great strain."

- Nigel Farage

"The U.S. immigration laws are bad - really, really bad. I'd say treatment of immigrants is one of the greatest injustices done in our government's name."

- Bill Gates

Questions

- Is immigration a controversial topic in your country?
- Could immigration ever be harmful or beneficial?
- Can a country benefit from immigration? In what way?
- Would the world be better if countries didn't have borders? Why? How?
- Does immigration increase stereotyping of different groups of people?
- How can immigration improve a country's economy?
- What should immigrants learn before they become citizens?
- What would be the best way to slow /stop immigration?
- Do immigrants work harder in their host country than their country of birth?
- Should immigrants pass a language and culture test before becoming citizens?
- Would you like to live and work in another country?
- Can immigration help people better understand the world around them?
- If you knew there was an illegal immigrant in your community, would you call the police to have them deported?

Presentation Create a list of problems that are commonly associated with immigration and/or immigration. Now imagine you work for your local government; work in small groups of 2 or 3 and create a point-by-point solution for these issues. Later, present your ideas to other groups.