

Culture Clips	
Culture Clip	“Immigrating to America”
Handout #1	Vocabulary

Name _____ Date _____

Match a word from column 2 with a word in column 1.

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|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. _____ immigrate | b. looking for |
| 2. _____ journey | c. a short time ago |
| 3. _____ gratitude | d. freedom |
| 4. _____ immense | e. to move to a new country |
| 5. _____ distant | f. encircled |
| 6. _____ recently | g. a trip |
| 7. _____ seeking | h. very large |
| 8. _____ liberty | i. a chance |
| 9. _____ surrounded | j. thankful |
| 10. _____ opportunity | |



a. far

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Answer Key

Name _____ Date _____

Match a word from column 2 with a word in column 1.

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|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. <u> e </u> immigrate | a. far |
| 2. <u> g </u> journey | b. looking for |
| 3. <u> j </u> gratitude | c. a short time ago |
| 4. <u> h </u> immense | d. freedom |
| 5. <u> a </u> distant | e. to move to a new country |
| 6. <u> c </u> recently | f. encircled |
| 7. <u> b </u> seeking | g. a trip |
| 8. <u> d </u> liberty | h. very large |
| 9. <u> f </u> surrounded | i. a chance |
| 10. <u> i </u> opportunity | j. thankful |

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Handout #1A	Vocabulary

Name _____ Date _____

1. immigrate – to move to a new country
2. journey - a trip
3. gratitude – thankful
4. immense – very large
5. distant – far
6. recently – a short time ago
7. seeking – looking for
8. liberty – freedom
9. surrounded – encircled
10. opportunity – a chance



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Handout #2	Idioms

Name _____ Date _____

Choose the correct answer.

1. land of opportunity _____

- a. a country with many chances for success
- b. a country with nothing to do
- c. a country where the rich get everything

2. streets of gold _____

- a. streets made of gold
- b. a land of opportunity
- c. free money

3. open to anyone _____

- a. only the rich can come to the United States
- b. only the young can come to the United States
- c. everyone can come to the United States



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Answer Key

Name _____ Date _____

Choose the correct answer.

1. land of opportunity _____ a

- a. a country with many chances for success
- b. a country with nothing to do
- c. a country where the rich get everything

2. streets of gold _____ b

- a. streets are made of gold
- b. a land of opportunity
- c. free money

3. open to anyone _____ c

- a. only the rich can come to the United States
- b. only the young can come to the United States
- c. everyone can come to the United States

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Handout #3	Partner Workout

Name _____ Date _____

Partner _____



Answer the following questions.

A. Why did you come to the United States?

you

your partner

- | | |
|----------|-------|
| 1. _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ |
| 3. _____ | _____ |
| 4. _____ | _____ |

B. What do you wish you had known about the United States before you arrived?

you

your partner

- | | |
|----------|-------|
| 1. _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ |
| 3. _____ | _____ |
| 4. _____ | _____ |

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Handout #4	Whole Group Activity

Name _____ Date _____

Ask your classmates:

- 1. What is your name?**
- 2. How do you spell it?**
- 3. What do you think makes it difficult to adjust to a new culture?**



NAME	Problem

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Handout #5	Individual Activity

Name _____ Date _____

Answer the following questions.



1. How did you feel when you found out you were coming to the United States?

2. How did you feel on your first day in the United States?

3. How do you feel now?



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Handout #5A	Individual Activity

Name _____ Date _____

Circle all the words that apply to you for each question.

1. How did you feel when you decided to come to the United States?

happy

afraid

excited

insecure

confident

stressed

eager

sad



2. How did you feel on your first day in the United States?

happy

afraid

excited

insecure

confident

stressed

eager

sad



3. How do you feel now?

happy

afraid

excited

insecure

confident

stressed

eager

sad

