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DUE: DEC 4

Immigration Project

We are starting a unit on immigration in class. At home students will need to research their own stories. They will need to interview a member in your family to find the answers to the 9 questions. Use complete sentences and use an extra piece of paper if needed. The information is **DUE DEC 4.** In class students will type the information and decorate a suitcase to complete the project. An example of answers to the interview are on my school website. <http://wlpskief.weebly.com>

Extra credit will be given if you bring in a photo of yourself or the family member that immigrated.

Interview Questions:

1. Where did your ancestors (family members) **emigrate** from? Do you know the name?
2. What year did they **immigrate**?
3. Why did they leave? What were the **push and pull factors**?
4. How did they get to the US? Describe the journey, did they stop anywhere else?

5. Where did they arrive once they came to the United States (Ellis Island, Angel Island, O'hare Airport?)

6. Where did they live once they arrived in the US?

7. How did they **assimilate (take in)** into American culture?

8. What traditions do you celebrate? Anything special from the place your family came from? (ex. My family makes a traditional cheese and bread dish for every holiday)

9. Other interesting facts that you learned about your family?