



IN HISTORY: IMMIGRATION AND ETHNIC HERITAGE

Resources

Immigration Resources in Print

Curriculum Guides

“Immigrant Assistance Program.” By Roberta Jacoby. *Social Studies Journal* 20 (Spring 1991): 37–38.

Discusses a project in which elementary students became pen pals with older European immigrants and helped them prepare for citizenship tests.

“Migrations.” *OAH Magazine of History* 14 (Fall 1999).

Special issue on teaching about migration and immigration.

“New Worlds from Old: An Experience in Oral History at the Elementary School Level.” By Claire Hirshfield. *Social Studies* 82 (May/June 1991): 110–14.

Explains how students from different backgrounds interviewed family members and created a local history resource book through an oral history project developed by Pennsylvania State University faculty and elementary teachers.

One Nation, Many Peoples: Immigration in the United States, A Resource Book. By Julia Pferdehirt, et al. (Knowledge Unlimited, 1997).

Provides history summaries, primary source documents, activities, project suggestions, and research ideas on the study of immigration.

“Using Genealogy and Family History to Teach Immigration History.” By James F. Adomianis. *OAH Magazine of History* 4 (Spring 1990): 52–5.

Suggests use of primary sources and field trips to teach immigration history.

Immigration and Ethnic Group Resources

Asian American Women and Men, by Yen Le Espiritu (Sage Publications, 1997).

Analyzes how race, gender, and class have shaped the relations between Asian American men and women throughout U. S. history.

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Arguing Immigration: Are New Immigrants a Wealth of Diversity or a Crushing Burden?, edited by Nicolaus Mills (Simon and Schuster, 1994).

Essays by Toni Morrison, Peggy Noonan, Francis Fukuyama, Robert Kuttner, Linda Chavez, and Nathan Glazer.

Coming to America, by Roger Daniels (Harper Perennial, 1991).

An overview of immigration to America from colonial times to the 1980s.

Ethnics in Northwest Indiana, by Ernie Hernandez (*Post-Tribune* of Gary, Indiana, 1984).

Reprint of a series of thirty-eight articles exploring the past and present of the ethnic groups of northwest Indiana.

Forging a Community: The Latino Experience in Northwest Indiana, 1919–1975, edited by James Lane and Edward Escobar (Cattails Press, 1987).

Essays about Latinos in the Calumet Region.

The Great Migration in Historical Perspective, by Joe William Trotter Jr. (Indiana University Press, 1991).

Essays emphasizing the role of African Americans in the migration from the South to the North in the early twentieth century.

Harvard Encyclopedia of American Ethnic Groups, edited by Stephan Thernstrom, et al. (Belknap Press, 1980).

A longtime standard, essays cover ethnic groups and issues related to immigration and ethnicity.

The Indianapolis Hispanic Community, by Charles C. Guthrie (University of Indianapolis Press, 1995).

Gives a short history of Hispanics in Indiana's capital city.

The Irish, by William W. Giffin (Indiana Historical Society Press, 2006).

Concise history of the Irish in Indiana.

Indiana's African-American Heritage: Essays from Black History News & Notes, edited by Wilma Gibbs (Indiana Historical Society, 1993).

Issues in African American history in Indiana.

Peopling Indiana: The Ethnic Experience, edited by Robert M. Taylor and Connie McBirney (Indiana Historical Society, 1996).

Essays about ethnic groups and their history in Indiana.

The Transplanted: A History of Immigrants in Urban America, by John Bodnar (Indiana University Press, 1985).

A classic survey of the immigrant experience between 1830 and 1930.

The Schramm Letters: Written by Jacob Schramm and Members of His Family from Indiana to Germany in the Year 1836, translated and edited by Emma S. Vonnegut (Indiana Historical Society, reprinted 1991).

Letters of a German immigrant living in Hancock County, Indiana.