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Studies Weekly

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A Penny for Your Thoughts

Debate Carousel

Analyze this prompt: It's 1890 and you live in Europe. Would you have immigrated to the United States? Use Week 5 of Studies Weekly to support your opinion.

1. Think about your answer and your reason you support it. Fill in section 1.
2. Follow your teacher's directions for passing this paper and recording responses.
3. Be kind and respectful to others' opinions.
4. As a class, discuss the outcome of the debate activity.

1. Write your opinion and explain the reason for it.

I would not have immigrated. My family and friends live here. I would miss them.

2. Read section 1. Write a reason to support your classmate's opinion.

I would not have immigrated. I don't want to live in a different culture where no one knows my language.

3. Write an opposite opinion to disagree with sections 1 and 2.

I would have immigrated. My family is starving and I need a job. There are jobs in America.

4. Read sections 1-3. Write your opinion and a reason.

I would have immigrated. America is the land of opportunity. I could buy a farm!

