

**Student** \_\_\_\_\_ **Reading Graphic Organizer**

**1. Identify the immigrant:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Origin \_\_\_\_\_

Year he/she came to the USA \_\_\_\_\_ Age when he/she arrived \_\_\_\_\_

He/she settled in (city) \_\_\_\_\_, (state) \_\_\_\_\_.

**1. Identifying Push-Pull Factors:** Write 1-3 reasons why this immigrant left his/her home to come to the USA in the boxes below. Circle if that reason was a push or a pull factor.

Push	Pull

Push	Pull

Push	Pull

**2. Writing 3 interesting facts about the journey in the circles below.**

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**3. Creating an American Dream Statement:** Using direct quotes from the article, determine this person's American Dream. Provide evidence to support your statement.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Scoring Guide for Graphic Organizer

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Used each vocabulary word correctly	4		
Identified 3 push or pull reasons given by an immigrant	3		
Identified 3 interesting facts about the immigrant's journey.	3		
Used direct quotes from the reading in determining the immigrant's American Dream.	4		
Provided evidence to support this American Dream statement.	4		
Used proper spelling, grammar, and punctuation.	4		
Total	22		

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## Sample American Dream Statements

My fellow Americans, this is an amazing moment for me. To think that a once scrawny boy from Austria could grow up to become Governor of California and stand in Madison Square Garden to speak on behalf of the President of the United States that is an immigrant's dream. It is the American dream.

Arnold Schwarzenegger.

I look forward confidently to the day when all who work for a living will be one with no thought to their separateness as Negroes, Jews, Italians or any other distinctions. This will be the day when we bring into full realization the American dream - a dream yet unfulfilled. A dream of equality of opportunity, of privilege and property widely distributed; a dream of a land where men will not take necessities from the many to give luxuries to the few; a dream of a land where men will not argue that the color of a man's skin determines the content of his character; a dream of a nation where all our gifts and resources are held not for ourselves alone, but as instruments of service for the rest of humanity; the dream of a country where every man will respect the dignity and worth of the human personality.

Martin Luther King Jr.

When it comes to the American Dream, no one has a corner on the market. All of us have an equal chance to share in that dream.

JC Watts

I am living proof that the American Dream still exists. It is still alive and well. There is only one trick, you have to be willing to roll up your sleeves and work very, very hard.

Paula Deen

So, then, to every man his chance--to every man, regardless of his birth, his shining, golden opportunity--to every man the right to live, to work, to be himself, and to become whatever thing his manhood and his vision can combine to make him--this, seeker, is the promise of America.

Thomas Wolfe

**Requirements and Scoring Guide for Piktocharts** Name \_\_\_\_\_

Requirement	Possible Points	Points Earned	Comments
Name of Immigrant	2		
Country of Origin	2		
3 Push or Pull Factors	6		
American Dream Statement	4		
Supporting Evidence	6		
Used Vocabulary Words Correctly	4		
Added Images (Maps, Photos) Visually Attractive	5		
Added Interesting Facts	1		
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>		

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