

# Immigration Story Project

Interview your family members and do your best to figure out *your* **Immigration Story**. (I am asking you to choose only one side (mother or father) to retell your immigration story. But if you can tell both sides, please share!)

## The Story - Due: Monday, February 13

A brief write up (about 1 page, typed, complete sentences) of what you found out. This is your time to write out and tell me *your* story. Include who you interviewed and when you interviewed them, in addition to what types of questions you asked. You will present this information to the class after we finish the final project for this chapter. If you are having difficulties deciding what questions to ask your family members I have included a few that I would want to know. Remember the goal of this is to get the most thorough story possible. In addition, take pictures or try to collect artifacts of resources to further tell your story, they will be extremely helpful for the final project.

- Who immigrated to the United States in our family and where did they come from?
- Who made the decision to move to the United States and why?
- When did our family immigrate to the United States?
- What kind of work did they do when they arrived in the United States?
- Did part of the family stay behind? If so, do you maintain contact with them?
- What were some of the challenges our family faced when they first arrived in the United States?

## The Project - Due: Tuesday, February 21

### Immigration Story Project: iMovie Trailer and Presentation Rubric

Trailer is complete..... /4 points

- The entire storyboard is filled in, no empty spaces
- Use of pictures or images are authentic and fit with the story

Trailer tells a story ..... /10 points

- Creativity is important - iMovie supplies the sound, effects, and template it was your job to tell us a good story

Free of all grammar/spelling errors..... /2 points

Pictures, images and trailer looks clean and professional..... /2 points

Trailer is handed in on time (Tuesday, February 21)..... /1 point

Effectiveness/proper usage of class time..... /1 point

Presentation is clear and concise..... /10 points

- All of us immigrated here, what is your story and how has it effected who you are today?

**Final score:** \_\_\_\_\_/30 points