

Group Research Worksheet

Jigsaw Activity Directions

Directions- Each group will be responsible for researching a time period (1845 ,1855, 1895 & Today), answering questions, and sharing that information with the rest of the class through a poster, slideshow, or oral presentation.

1. To begin, groups should analyze the map and read the historical background.
2. Use the questions below as a starting point for your research.
3. Once you have completed your research, design a poster/digital presentation to share what you learned with the class.
4. After groups complete projects, each group will present what they learned and identify the important information everyone should record on their graphic organizer. During presentations students will take notes on who came to Lawrence and why they came.

Immigration Research Questions

Note- You may have to repeat research questions for groups that came from different places and for various reasons.

- Where did immigrants come from and when?
- Why did they leave?
- How did they get here?
- What type of work did they do upon arrival?
- What problems did they face when they came to Lawrence, MA?