

Interrogating Immigration: Using the Past to Investigate the Present

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Documents for Time Periods

Time Period and Events	Documents
<p>1790-1880</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1790—Alien and Sedition Acts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First and Last page of Alien/Sedition Acts
<p>1880-1920</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1882- Chinese Exclusion Act • 1907- Gentleman’s Agreement Act • 1917- Immigration Act 	<p>Blue</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First & Last Page of Chinese Exclusion Act (1882) (Jackdaws) • Boycott Posters (1898) (Jackdaws or Docsteach) • The Great Fear of the Period Political Cartoon • Photos of People Arriving at Angel Island • Angel Island poetry and stories <p>Yellow</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High Tide Political Cartoon (1903) • Cunard Line Questions for Immigrants (1905) & Overview (jackdaws) • Letter to Teddy Roosevelt (1906) & Overview (jackdaws) • Texas of North America Letter (1909) • Duty Bonds Poster (1917)
<p>1920-1942</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1921- Emergency Quota Act • 1924- Immigration Act “Origins Quotas” (Coolidge) • 1942- Bracero Program 	<p>Green</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Cartoon- The Only Way to Handle it & Article (1921) • Applicant for American Citizenship Poster (1922) • Exclusion Law is Scored Article (1924) • Oath of Allegiance (1931) • Map of Origin Quotas (1940) • Official Bracero Agreement & Pictures (1943)
<p>1943-1959</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1943- FDR Repeals Chinese Exclusion Act • 1948- Displaced Persons Act (Truman) 	<p>Purple</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repeal of Chinese Exclusion Acts (1943) • Truman to Sec of State (1945) • Truman President Harry S. Truman on Amending the Displaced Persons Act (1950) • Letter to President about Wetbacks (1950) • Stop Order from US Dept of Labor (1959) • Letter from Farm Workers

<p>1960-2000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1965- Immigration Nationality Act (Johnson) • 1982- Plyler vs Doe • 1986- Immigration Reform and Control Act “1986 Amnesty” (Reagan) • 1990- Greencard Lottery • 1996- Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (Clinton) 	<p>Red</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LBJ Signing Immigration Act Photo (1965) • Excerpts from LBJ Remarks (1965) • LBJ Comments (1965) • Coast guard incident Memo (1980) • Reagan news articles (1986)
<p>2000-2010</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2002- Department of Homeland Security & Immigration and Customs Enforcement Established (G.W. Bush) • 2012- Deferred Action For Childhood Arrivals (Obama) • 2016- Trump 	<p>Manilla</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bush Signing ICE • Chertoff & Bush Photo (2006) • Immigration Rights photos 2006 • Dear Colleague Letter (2014) • Obama Infographic

All Get:

- Immigration Timeline
- Scholastic Statistical Data
- Scale Document
- SHEG Handout
- NARA Document Analysis Handout