

# People on the Move

Migration and immigration play a major role in shaping our country and world. You will develop an argument about the economic and geographic factors that influenced the movements of two groups of people.

## Your Task

In a cohesive paper or presentation, you will:

- Introduce the general concept of how economic and geographic factors influence the movement of people.
- State a claim concerning the main factors that cause people to move.
- Provide background on your claim by:
  - Explaining geographic factors relating to the movement of two groups, with at least one factor per group.
  - Explaining economic factors relating to the movement of two groups, with at least one factor per group.
- Provide reason(s) for your claim. Include an analysis of the significance of the economic *and* geographic factors affecting the movement of people.
- Cite specific textual evidence from at least four different sources that provide relevant information:
  - Cite your sources when you draw information from them: for instance, when you summarize, paraphrase, or quote, and when you refer to facts, figures, and ideas.
  - Provide complete publication information for each source in your bibliography or list of works cited.

## People on the Move Rubric

Score	4	3	2	1
Claim	I stated a claim that evaluates the primary factors that cause people to move, <i>and</i> I made a general statement about how these groups' experiences help us understand a current issue or event.	I stated a claim regarding the primary factors that cause people to move.	I stated a claim regarding the factors that cause people to move, but it does not address the factors that were the primary causes.	I listed the factors that cause people to move, but I did not state a claim.
Concepts	I provided background on the event by: Describing the event. AND Explaining economic <i>and</i> geographic factors relating to the movement of people. Including three examples (at least one economic and geographic factor).	I provided background on the event by: Describing the event. AND Explaining economic <i>and/or</i> geographic factors relating to the movement of people. Including two examples.	I provided background on the event by: Describing the event. AND Explaining economic <i>or</i> geographic factors relating to the movement of people. Including one example.	I stated, but did not explain, the factors of movement. OR I described the factors without relating them to the movement of people.
Evidence/Reasoning	I provided reasons for the claim, supported by evidence; my reasoning includes: An analysis of the significance of the economic <i>and</i> geographic factors affecting the movement of people. Three or more examples.	I provided reason(s) for the claim, supported by evidence; my reasoning includes: An analysis of the significance of the economic <i>and/or</i> geographic factors affecting the movement of people. Two examples.	I provided reason(s) for the claim, supported by evidence; my reasoning includes: An analysis of the significance of the economic <i>or</i> geographic factors affecting the movement of people. One example.	I compared and contrasted the economic and geographic factors with only partial accuracy, <i>or</i> I used incomplete or irrelevant examples.
Sources	I referred explicitly in the paper or presentation to four or more credible sources that provide relevant information.	I referred explicitly in the paper or presentation to three credible sources that provide relevant information.	I referred explicitly in the paper or presentation to two credible sources that provide relevant information.	I referred explicitly in the paper or presentation to one credible source that provides relevant information.
Citations	I properly cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography, using a specific format.	I adequately cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography.	I minimally cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography.	I incorrectly cited sources in the paper, presentation, and bibliography.

**No Score (NS)** is given if the work is unintelligible, in a language other than English, off topic, off purpose, or copied.