



## Family Immigration History: Take Home Sheet

In studying immigration history this month, we are learning people in the United States come from many different places in the world. During the course of this unit, we will talk about where our ancestors once lived. If you know any of the information requested below, please answer the questions to the best of your ability and return them to school with your child as soon as possible. Because you may not know or wish to share this information for various reasons, we offer an alternative way you can answer the questions and participate in the class activities. The information will be shared only with your child's teacher and the other children in the class. This is a learning exercise only.

Are you Native American? If, so to which tribe(s) do you belong?

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Did you live in a different country before you came to the United States?

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What was the name of that country?

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If you did not immigrate, do you know where any of you and/or your child's ancestors lived before they came to the United States? (For example: Kenya, Ireland, China, Russia, El Salvador; or Africa, Europe, Asia, South America, Central America.) If you do not know this information, that's fine. This is a chance to use your imagination and "adopt" a country from which you would like to imagine your ancestors emigrated.

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Do you know when any of your ancestors came to the United States?

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Do you know how they traveled to arrive here?

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Do you know where they settled originally? Do you still have family in that area?

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