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Assignment: Letter Describing the Immigrant Experience

We have just completed and discussed our informational packets that guided us through questions and documents that strengthened our understanding of the Immigrant Experience.

Using this information, you are to assume the role of an immigrant who has arrived in America during the mid-late 1800's and early 1900's.

From this perspective, you will write a letter describing your experience to a friend, relative, or associate still living in your country of origin. The Letter should include the following:

- A section that tells us who you are
- A section that describes the positive aspects of your experience
- A section that describes the negative points of your journey
- A recommendation, whether you would advise the recipient to join you in America: Support with reason's as to why/why not.

Selection should be written/ typed on a separate piece of paper (2-3 Paragraphs).
Selection should be checked for spelling and grammar.

Grading: This Assignment will be worth 20 Points. Rubric will be as follows:

- **20 Points-** Paper exceeds all aspects of assigned tasks and mechanics.
- **17-19-** Paper Meets all aspects of assigned tasks/mechanics, some are met at a superior level
- **14-16-** Paper meets all aspects of assigned tasks and mechanics
- **11-13-** Paper fails to met one assigned task or mechanic
- **10 and below-** Paper fails to meet multiple requirements and is incomplete.