**History 11: Immigrants from 1600 to The Civil War**

The assignment is:

Between 1600 and the American Civil War, how have immigrants impacted American history and society? You must use at least six sources, at least two must be primary sources and one must be the text “A Different Mirror”. No internet sources are to be used unless they are “scholarly journals or primary sources.”

**Reference Materials: Primary Sources**

1. American Decades Primary Sources 1900–1999 in 10 Volumes  
   REF E169.1.A471977
2. The Annals of America (Primary Sources 1493-1976) in 20 Volumes  
   REF E173.A7931978
3. Dictionary of American History in 10 Volumes  
   (See volume 9 for Primary Sources.)  
   REF E174.D522003
4. For the Record A Documentary History of America, Volume 1  
   (From First Contact through Reconstruction)  
   REF E173.S487 2010

**Reference Materials: General**

1. American Immigrant Cultures Builders of a Nation in 2 Volumes  
   REF E184.A11997
2. Dictionary of American History in 10 Volumes  
   (See volume 4 for the article on immigration.)  
   REF E174.D522003
   REF E185.E545 2006
4. Gale Encyclopedia of Multicultural America in 2 Volumes  
   REF E184.A1G14
5. Immigration in U.S. History in 2 Volumes  
   REF JV6450.I565
6. The Oxford Companion to United States History  
   (See articles on immigration and immigration law.)  
   REF E174.0942001

**Looking for Monographs about Immigrants and Immigration**

**Primary Sources Subject Headings:**

Archives  
Autobiographies  
Correspondence  
Diaries  
Interviews  
Laws  
Memoirs  
Personal Narratives (or the word ‘narrative’ in the title of a book, usually)  
Sources (this is the main subject heading for primary sources)  
Treaties
Look for books with the following subject headings (for best results search ALL Libraries):

General

Colonies—America (browse for more)
Colonization. America
France—Colonies—America
Great Britain—Colonies--America
Immigrants—California (for example, or any state, browse)
Immigrants—Government Policy—United States—History (browse)
Immigrants—United States (browse)
Immigrants—United States—History
Immigrants—West (U.S.) (browse)
Netherlands—Colonies--America
North America—History—Colonial Period
Racism—United States—History
Slavery—Political Aspects—United States--History
Slavery—United States (browse)
Spain—Colonies—America
Sweden—Colonies
United States—Civilization—Italian Influences (for example, or any other group)
United States—Emigration and immigration (browse)
United States—Ethnic Relations
United States—History—Colonial Period
United States—History, Immigrants
United States—Race Relations (browse)

Peoples

African Americans (browse)
African American--History
British Americans (browse)
Cajuns
Canadian Americans (browse)
Catholics--Maryland
Chinese Americans (browse)
Dutch Americans
French America (browse)
French-Canadians (browse)
German Americans (browse)
Indians of North America—Cultural Assimilation (for before 1800)
Indians of North America—Diseases
Indians of North America—First Contact with Europeans
Indians of North America—History—18th century
Indians of North America—History—Colonial Period
Indians of North America—Southern States—History
Irish Americans (browse)
Loyalists
Jews—United States—History (browse)
Puritans
Quakers
Russian Americans (browse)
Scots-Irish (browse)
Scottish Americans (browse)
Spaniards (browse)
Spaniards—United States--History
Swedes—Pennsylvania
Welsh Americans (browse)

Places

Chesapeake Bay Region (browse)
Delaware—History—Colonial Period  (or any of the 13 colonies)
Jamestown (browse)
Middle Atlantic States—History (browse)
New England—History (browse)
New Netherland--History
New Sweden--History
Southern States—History (browse)

Related Terms

Acculturation—United States
Nativism
Race Relations (browse)