IMMIGRATION PROJECT

PRINT – Atrium BHS Library Book Catalog

SUGGESTED REFERENCE/SEARCH FOR MORE

- Encyclopedia of American Immigration – Ref 304.8 ENC
- U.S. Immigration and Migration – Primary Sources – Ref 304.8 UXL
- American Immigrant Cultures – Ref 305.8 AME

SUGGESTED NONFICTION – check library catalog for additional nonfiction materials under Immigration or related terms i.e. Irish Immigrants, Ireland and History, Italian Americans, etc.

- Immigrants in American History REF 305.9 Imm
- Working in America – 331 Ree
- Immigration – 304.8 Wep
- Eras of US History – 973’s

E-BOOK COLLECTIONS - Available from Library Resources Page

Salem E-Book – Encyclopedia of American Immigration

Infobase E Book Collection (some passwords required)

EBSCO E-Book Collection Google Books

The Credo Reference Series Gale Virtual Reference Library

DATABASES

Maine Digital Library

- Sift and Sort, History, Resources, High School/Teen
- Ancestry Library and My Heritage (Library Edition)
  Search ship records, census, military, and immigration data for your family heritage.
- Maine Memory Network – available through Maine Digital Library
- World Book Encyclopedia

Search Strategies for Databases:
Choose “Advanced Search.” Select “Full Text.” Choose specific dates to narrow search. Try alternative search terms or combine search terms, i.e.

Irish Americans, Swedes or Swedish

19th century and Immigration and Irish
Primary Source Documents

“A primary source or a historic document is an original document that was created by a person or group who participated in or witnessed a particular event. In other words, the creator of a historic document had firsthand knowledge of an event.”

Historic documents include speeches, court decisions, government documents, laws, letters, interviews and diaries, images, political cartoons, art, photos, etc.


National Archives http://www.archives.gov/research/immigration/#links


Immigration History Research Center at the University of Minnesota https://www.lib.umn.edu/ihrca/

http://www.ellisisland.org/ Contains photo albums, history, timelines, subscribe for free.

Calisphere Callisphere is a gateway to digital collections from California’s great libraries, archives and museums.

Video Streaming Site!

Classroom Video on Demand

Political Cartoons

HarpWeek – American Political Prints
http://loc.harpweek.com/ (1776-1876)

Cartoons for the Classroom — historic and current political cartoons sponsored by the AAEC.
http://nieonline.com/aaec/cftc.cfm?cftcfeature=history

Images

Library of Congress Prints and Photographs Online Catalog
http://www.loc.gov/pictures/

Google Images - www.google.com

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If the work is cited on the web only, then provide the name of the artist, the title of the work, the medium of the work, and then follow the citation format for a website. If the work is posted via a username, use that username for the author.