



Immigrants and refugees

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Refugee

A refugee is a person who is forced to leave their country due to War, Violence, conflict or persecution. They have crossed an international border to find safety in another country. Sometimes, they could ask for political assylum.





Immigrant

An immigrant is someone who comes to live permanently in a foreign country.

Why do immigrants leave their country? The following could be pull factors, that make them voluntary move.

- > lack of local resources
 - > a desire for economic prosperity
 - > To find or engage in paid work
 - > better standards of living
 - > family reunification
 - > retirement
- Or climate.

Difference between refugees and immigrants

Refugees are forced to flee from their country because of threats like war and persecution.

Immigrants are people who choose to move to a another country to live permanently because of jobs that the country has or maybe it's safer. Refugees move because they are forced to, these are called push factors.



Push factor

A push factor is when the government tells or forces you to leave, due to political reasons, severe weather conditions, natural disasters, war and many more reasons.



Pull factors

The pull factor is when you go to another country because that country has higher employment, better economic services, better climate, safer, less crime, political stability, more fertile land, lower risk from natural hazards and much more. With pull factors, people move voluntarily.



Thank you for your time

