immigrant Apresyan (En-Ru)

- **1.** ['imigrənt] *n*
 - 1) иммигрант, переселенец
 - 2) иммигрант, вселенец (животное или растение, прижившееся на территории, где оно ранее не встречалось)
- **2.** ['imigrənt] *a*
 - 1) иммигрирующий, переселяющийся
 - 2) иммигрантский

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im·mi·grant AW [immigrant immigrants] BrE ['Immigrant] *** NAmE ['Immigrant]

noun

a person who has come to live permanently in a country that is not their own

- · immigrant communities/families/workers
- · illegal immigrants

compare †emigrant, †migrant

Word Origin:

late 18th cent.: from Latin immigrant- 'immigrating', from the verb immigrare, on the pattern of emigrant.

Collocations:

Race and immigration

Prejudice and racism

experience /encounter racism/discrimination/prejudice/anti-semitism

face/suffer persecution/discrimination

fear/escape from/flee racial/political/religious persecution

constitute/be a form of racial/race discrimination

reflect/reveal/show/have a racial/cultural bias

be biased/be prejudiced against (especially BrE) black people/(both especially NAmE) people of color/African

Americans/Asians/Africans/Indians, etc.

discriminate against minority groups/minorities

perpetuate /conform to/fit/defy a common/popular/traditional/negative stereotype

overcome/be blinded by deep-seated/racial/(especially NAmE) race prejudice

entrench/perpetuate racist attitudes

hurl/shout (especially BrE) racist abuse; (especially NAmE) a racist/racial/ethnic slur

challenge /confront racism/discrimination/prejudice

combat/fight (against)/tackle blatant/overt/covert/subtle/institutional/systemic racism

Race and society

damage /improve (especially BrE) race relations

practise/ (especially US) practice (racial/religious) tolerance/segregation

bridge/break down/transcend cultural/racial barriers

encourage/promote social integration

outlaw/end discrimination/slavery/segregation

promote/embrace/celebrate cultural diversity

conform to/challenge /violate (accepted/established/prevailingdominant) social/cultural norms

live in a multicultural society

attack/criticize multiculturalism

fight for/struggle for/promote racial equality

perpetuate /reinforce economic and social inequality

introduce/be for/be against (BrE) positive discrimination/(especially NAmE) affirmative action

support/be active in/play a leading role in the civil rights movement

Immigration

control/restrict/limit/encourage immigration

attract/draw a wave of immigrants

assistwelcome refugees

house/shelter refugees and asylum seekers

smuggle illegal immigrants into the UK

deport/repatriate illegal immigrants/failed asylum seekers

assimilate/integrate new immigrants

employ/hire migrant workers

exploit/rely on (cheap/illegal) immigrant labour/(especially US) labor

apply for/gain/obtain/be granted/be denied (full) citizenship

have/hold dual citizenship

Example Bank:

- Businesses may want to hire skilled immigrants.
- European immigrants fleeing Nazism in the 1930s
- · European immigrants settled much of Australia.
- First-generation immigrants may dream of returning 'home'; their children say Britain is their home.
- · Italian immigrants assimilated easily into Brazilian society.

- · Like many first-generation immigrants, they worked hard and saved most of their earnings.
- · Mexican immigrants seeking farm work
- She was the daughter of Chinese immigrants to America.
- The company was founded by two immigrants from Bangladesh.
- The government is eager to attract skilled immigrants.
- · These factors attracted new immigrants.
- These were working-class immigrants, mainly from rural parts of Mexico.
- They are trying to secure immigrant status for their families.
- · a careful mechanism for assimilating immigrants
- · a family of Turkish immigrants living in California
- a law designed to exclude Chinese immigrants
- · a young Afghan immigrant who has worked at the store for years
- · anti-terrorist legislation that targeted immigrants
- · boats bringing illegal immigrants over from North Africa
- different aspects of the immigrant experience
- · immigrants seeking to enter the country
- · poor immigrants from Latin American countries
- recent immigrants who do not speak English
- · ships laden with would-be immigrants who were forcibly returned
- the 11 million undocumented immigrants living in California
- the circumstances under which immigrants were detained
- the immigrants who poured into America
- · the issues faced by Dominican immigrants
- the number of legal immigrants to the US
- Illegal immigrants are to be sent back to their country of origin.
- immigrant communities/families/workers

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[Word Family: noun: \uparrow immigration $\neq \uparrow$ emigration, \uparrow immigrant $\neq \uparrow$ emigrant; verb: \uparrow immigrate $\neq \uparrow$ emigrate] someone who enters another country to live there permanently \Rightarrow emigrant:

an illegal immigrant

a new wave of immigrants from the Middle East

COLLOCATIONS

adjectives

- an illegal immigrant Large numbers of illegal immigrants have found their way into the country.
- a legal immigrant Two thirds of legal immigrants to the country came from Europe and Canada.
- **a recent immigrant** The majority of workers at the factory are recent immigrants.
- European/African etc immigrants There has been a recent increase in the number of African immigrants.
- a first-generation immigrant (=someone who is an immigrant, or whose parents were immigrants) Her parents were first-generation immigrants from Poland.
- a second-generation immigrant (=someone whose parents or grandparents were immigrants) These boys are second-generation immigrants who grew up speaking English.

phrases

- a wave /influx of immigrants (=a large number of them) A new wave of immigrants arrived in the 1950s.
- a flood of immigrants (=a very large number of immigrants that arrive at the same time) He suggested the country would experience a flood of immigrants.

■immigrant + NOUN

- an immigrant family A quarter of the school's students are from immigrant families.
- immigrant workers Many immigrant workers had to live in deprived areas.
- an immigrant community There are shops catering for the various immigrant communities.
- the immigrant population The immigrant population increased rapidly during the 1970s.

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