

WHY DIDN'T THEY JUST LEAVE?

Student Name: _____

In your groups, discuss what kind of paperwork or documents you think it would take to be able to leave (emigrate) the United States to go live in another country today.

List what you think you would need to submit to the United States and what you would need to submit to the country to which you are moving:

| Documents submitted to U.S. Government | Documents submitted to new country |
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Now, take a look at the document about **emigrating from Germany** in the 1930s. List the top three things that you think would have been the hardest to get/do in order to leave the country.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Look now at the document about **immigrating into the United States**. Again, what are the top three obstacles that faced those wishing to come to the United States?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What surprised you the most from what you have learned today about the difficulty of emigrating or immigrating?