



Student worksheet 2: Emigration from Canada

Name _____ Date _____

1. What factors might drive emigration from Canada to the United States? What would cause you or someone you know to move from this country to the United States? List in point form.

2. In the Canada Year Book Historical Collection website (www.statcan.ca/canadayearbook/historical), go to "Browse by year" and select the 1957/1958 edition of the *Canada Year Book*. Read "Emigration from Canada," pages 158 to 162.

3. Conditions in early Canada were much different from what they are now. Did the reasons for emigration to the United States change over time? Were conditions different in the United States? Did early emigrants have certain characteristics, such as their occupations, that made emigration to the United States attractive to them? List in point form your findings from the 1957/1958 edition, noting any changes from one time period to another.
