

Map Overlay Transparency 21 **ACTIVITY 21-2**

Recent Immigrants to America

In recent years, there has been a major shift in the source of immigrants to the United States. Most immigrants now come to America from Latin America and Asia rather than Europe.

DIRECTIONS: Reading a Table Use the table below to answer the questions that follow.

U.S. Immigrants: 1993

REGION								
	CHINA	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	INDIA	MEXICO	PHILIPPINES	RUSSIA	VIETNAM	TOTAL
Northeast	22,693	35,296	13,157	2,883	10,999	23,096	7,063	115,187
Midwest	11,206	191	7,634	11,669	4,936	8,074	6,094	49,804
South	12,854	2,955	9,221	36,289	8,336	4,887	14,082	88,624
West	18,681	201	10,063	75,622	36,453	22,514	32,360	195,894
TOTAL	65,434	38,643	40,075	126,463	60,724	58,571	59,599	449,509

(Source: *Statistical Abstracts of the United States, 1995, page 13.*)

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| <p>1. From which country did the most immigrants come to the United States in 1993?
_____</p> <p>2. From which country did the second most immigrants come? _____
_____</p> <p>3. Which of the countries shown in this table are located in Asia? _____
_____</p> <p>4. Which of the countries shown in this table are located in Latin America? _____
_____</p> | <p>5. In which part of the country did most immigrants from Mexico settle?
_____</p> <p>6. In which part of the country did most immigrants from the Dominican Republic settle? _____</p> <p>7. How many immigrants from China came to the South? _____</p> <p>8. What was the total number of immigrants to arrive in the United States in 1993 from the seven countries shown in the table?
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Answer Key
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1. Mexico
2. China
3. China, Philippines, Russia, Vietnam,
and India
4. Mexico and Dominican Republic
5. West
6. Northeast
7. 12,854
8. 449,509