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# The Immigration Act of 1921



The Immigration Act of 1921, also known as the Emergency Quota Act, was a significant piece of legislation in the United States. It established a quota system for the number of immigrants allowed to enter the country from each foreign country. The act was a response to the growing concern among Americans about the impact of immigration on the labor market and the cultural identity of the nation.

The act set a limit on the number of immigrants from any one country that could be admitted to the United States in any given year. The quota for each country was based on the number of people from that country who were already living in the United States in 1910. This meant that countries with a large population in 1910, such as the United Kingdom and France, had higher quotas than countries with a smaller population.

The act also established a system of visas for immigrants. Before an immigrant could enter the United States, they had to obtain a visa from a U.S. consulate in their home country. The visa would specify the number of immigrants from that country that were allowed to enter the United States in that year.

The act had a significant impact on immigration to the United States. It led to a sharp decline in the number of immigrants from Europe and Asia. The act was a key step in the process of restricting immigration, which culminated in the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1952.







2010 vs US

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### Classical Evolution Notes

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### Classical Evolution Part 2

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### Janet Yung-King Immigrant Chart

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### Alan ...

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### The ...

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A collection of notes including a red heart, a blue triangle, and a green circle with a book icon.

### The Immigrant Act 1921

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