# **ANSWERING THE BIG QUESTION:**

What does it mean to be a nation of immigrants?

#### **PART 1: AN INTERVIEW**

## **10 MARKS**

Ask a family member the following questions:

- "What is our family's immigration history?" and/or "What are your thoughts/feelings about Canadian immigration?"
- **BIG QUESTION**: "What does it mean to be a nation of immigrants?
- "What should future immigration policies to Canada include?"

Summarize your family member's answers in a 250 - 300 word write-up. Include 1 - 2 direct quotes from your interviewee.

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Write your own 250 - 300 word response to the **BIG QUESTION**. Include:

- thoughts, feelings and opinions
- similarities or differences to your family member's response
- include 1 quote from the article, "Room to Grow", by Adrienne Clarkson
- conclude with your vision of Canada's immigration future

## **PART 3: VISUAL**

Add a visual to your write-up. This may include:

- a family photo
- a picture of a family heirloom
- a historic document that provides background to your immigration experience
- a map

Write a brief description/explanation under the visual.

## FORMAT

3 MARKS

- include a title
- PART 1 & 2 should be organized in paragraph form
- quotes require MLA citation
- check for grammar and spelling errors

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## 2 MARKS