Grade 2 | HISTORY AND SOCIAL STUDIES

WEEK 28 • FILLABLE PRACTICE WORKBOOK • DAYS 136–140

Read the matching lesson in the Week 28 Student Textbook first. Type each answer in the box below its question and save a copy. Complete physical measurements, drawing, and hands-on tasks on a printed page. Day 140 is answered on your own.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Day 136: Push and Pull: Why People Move

Push or pull?

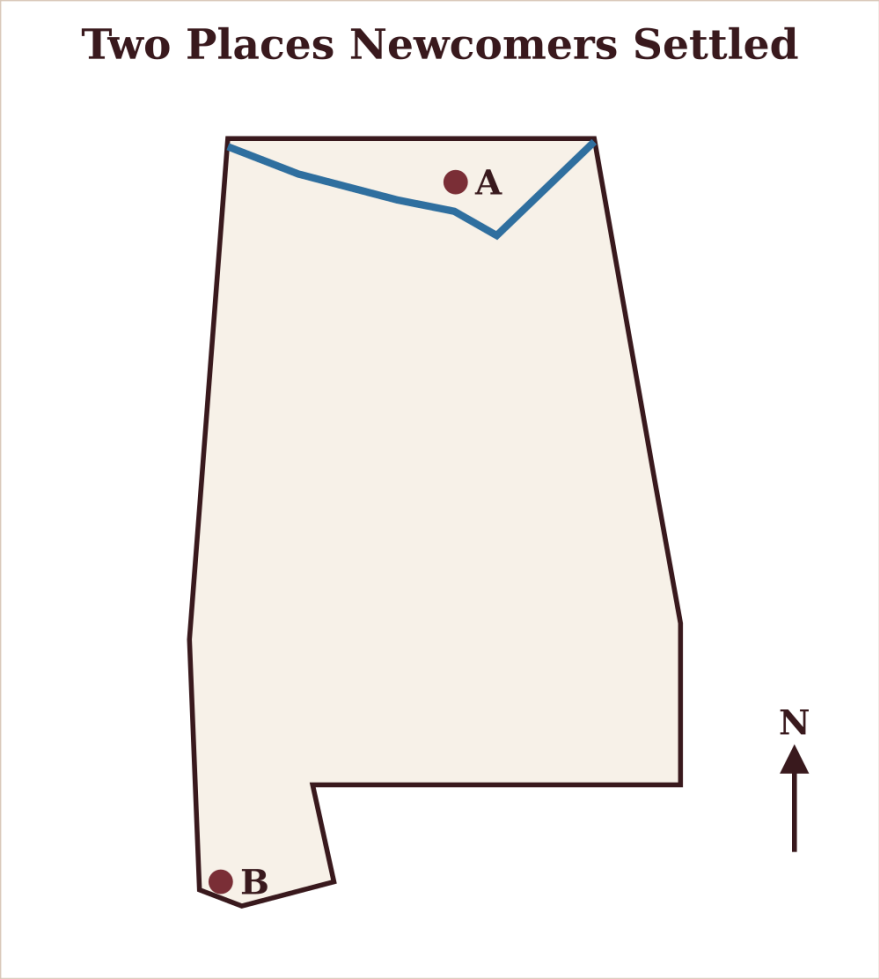
Reason	Push or pull?
A war in the home country	____
A new job in another city	____
A flood destroys a town	____
Grandparents live in the new town	____

1. Write push or pull for each reason in the table.

2. Name one thing a family might bring with them when they move to a new place.

3. Explain the difference between a push and a pull.

Day 137: Rocket Builders Come to Huntsville

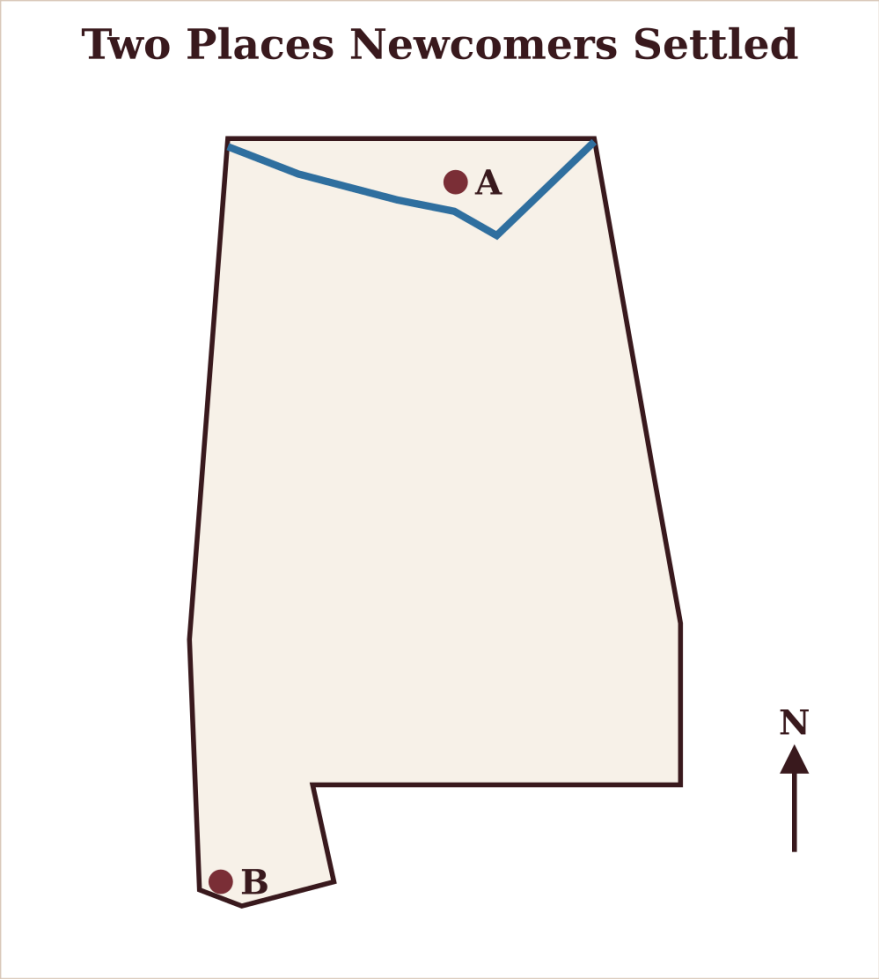


1. In what year was the rocket team brought to Huntsville?

2. What opened in Huntsville in 1960?

3. How did people moving to Huntsville change the city?

Day 138: Families From Southeast Asia Settle on the Coast



1. Which letter on the map shows Bayou La Batre? What kind of work drew families there?

2. Name one push and one pull for the families who came to Bayou La Batre.

3. Compare the rocket team in Huntsville with the families in Bayou La Batre. How are their reasons for moving alike or different?

Day 139: Hands-On: A Migration Map

Hands-on task: make a migration map

1. Read the three make-believe family cards in the table.
2. On a map of Alabama (or the outline below), mark where each family settled and draw an arrow from where it came from.
3. Write one push and one pull for each family.
4. Write what each family brought to its new town: a skill, a food or a tradition.
5. Share your map. Tell which family's reasons were most like the Huntsville rocket team or the Bayou La Batre families.

Make-believe family	Story
The Lopez family	Left a town where the factory closed. Moved to Huntsville for a job building rocket parts. Brought a love of soccer.
The Tran family	Fled a dangerous storm season and lost their home. Moved to the coast where cousins fish. Brought a family noodle recipe.
The Okafor family	Moved from a crowded city to Montgomery to be near grandparents. Brought drumming and dancing.

Push and pull for each family:

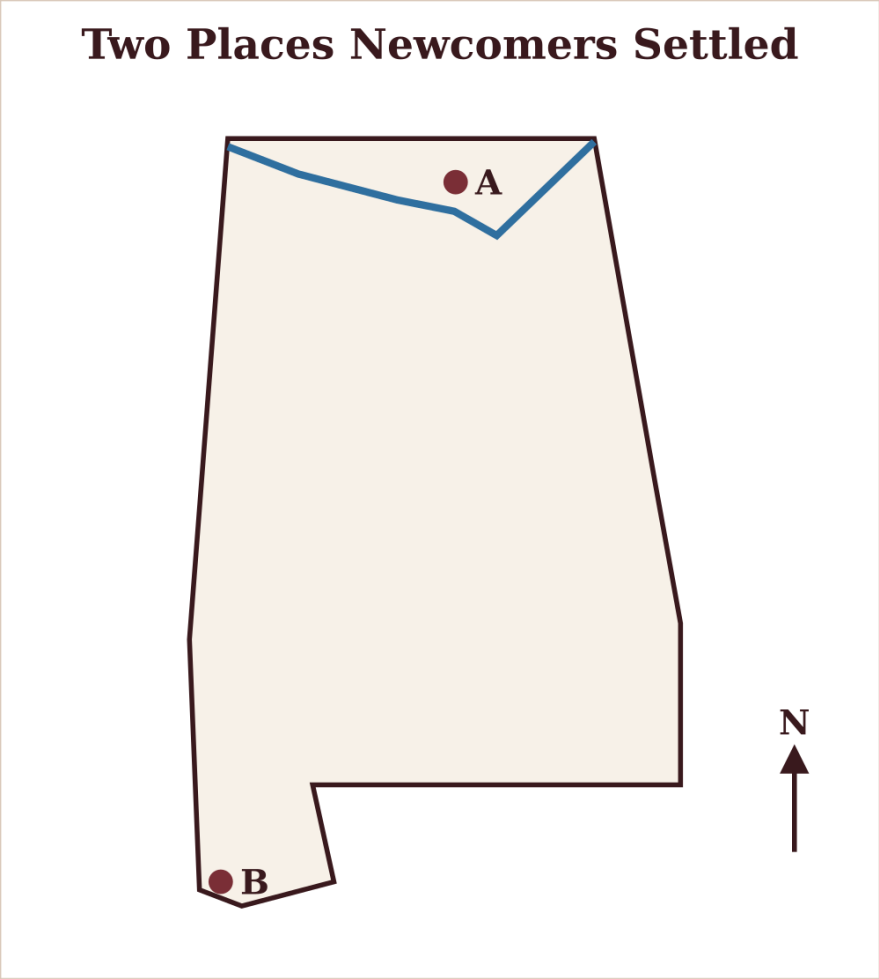
Which real migration one of my families is most like, and why:

1. Write one push for the Lopez family.

2. What did the Tran family bring to its new town?

3. Which real migration is the Lopez family most like? Explain.

Day 140: Independent Check: Migration to Alabama



Answer on your own. An adult may read the questions aloud but should not give the answers.

1. Which letter shows Huntsville? Why did many people move there after 1950?

2. Why did many families from Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia come to Bayou La Batre?

3. Explain one way newcomers changed an Alabama town.