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# ACTIVIZING LESSON SCENARIO

## developed under the Project

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**TOPIC:**  
**Refugees – where, where and why?**





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**OBJECTIVES** of the classes:

Sensitizing children in the country to the fate of refugee children

**TARGET GROUP:** Students of primary schools.

**WORKING METHODS:** Film, brainstorming, group work, individual work, discussion.

**DURATION:** 1 teaching hour.

**TEACHING RESOURCES:** Multimedia projector, computer, film, flipchart, colored markers.

**COURSE OF CLASSES:**

1. Discuss the basic concepts related to migration. Use the glossary of terms.

Time 5 minutes.

2. Discuss the socio-political factors of migration.

People are forced to leave the country because of persecution because of:

- ethnic
- religious
- racial
- political
- cultural.

Important factors influencing the decision to leave the country:

- war
- conflict
- risk of conflict
- government harassment.

Humanitarian refugees flee from:

- armed conflicts
- human rights violations
- persecution.

Some countries have a more liberal approach to humanitarian migrants than others. Humanitarian refugees are likely to move to the nearest safe country hosting asylum seekers.

In recent years, many people have fled to Europe from conflict, terror and persecution in their home countries. More than a quarter of the 295,800 asylum seekers granted protection status in the EU in 2019 came from war-torn Syria, with refugees from Afghanistan and Iraq being the second and third largest groups respectively.

3. Ask students: What are the reasons why people leave their country of origin?

Ask students to write down their answers. Write key answers on the board or flipchart.

10 minutes.

4. Discuss the main directions of migration in Europe and in the world.



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## MIGRATION ROUTES TO EUROPE

Europe is a continent that many people in the world see as a paradise. Many European countries are rated as rich, which attracts residents of less developed countries. Moreover, many European countries have signed the Geneva Convention, which imposes an obligation to provide shelter to persons seeking refugee status. That is why many refugees come to Europe – people who are fleeing their home country from war or persecution.

People mainly from Eastern Europe or Asia come to the countries of Central Europe, looking for work or applying for refugee status. Western European countries are also visited by people from Eastern Europe, Asia and Africa. Examples of migration routes include: Indian and Pakistani people migrating through Iran, Turkey, Greece, Italy and further to France or Great Britain; North, Central and West Africans traveling through Morocco to Spain and France; inhabitants of Chechnya wandering through the Russian Federation, Ukraine or Belarus to Poland.

5. Present on the multimedia board the topic "Welcome Europe" - the evolution of asylum applications from 2010 to 2019: [Wnioski o azyl w UE | Parlament Europejski \(europa.eu\)](https://wnioski.oazyl.wue.parlament.europa.eu)

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