

Undocumented HOME Story Time Vocabulary | November 2020
Lynden Sculpture Garden

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Activity 3: Test your vocabulary, or learn a new word!

Do you know these words, and their meanings?

- **Immigrant:** A person who moves from their home to a new country with plans to live there permanently.
- **Undocumented:** A person who has entered, moved or remained in a country without valid legal status. Alfredo and his father entered the United States without the right documentation. They came to get a better job or a better life.
- **Amnesty:** Forgiveness by the government to a group of people. In this case, amnesty allows those who are undocumented to gain permanent residency in the United States. President Reagan granted amnesty to millions of immigrants in 1986, allowing Alfredo and Papa to become American citizens.
- **Border:** The border between two countries is a line that divides them. Borders between countries change constantly, because of wars, new countries are formed, the earth changes.
- **Rio Grande:** Alfredo and Papa crossed the Rio Grande, the river that forms much of the border between Mexico and the United States. The river it's almost 2,000 miles long!

Find more words in the story that you do not understand, and find out what they mean by asking, or looking it up in a dictionary! Use the rest of the page to write your words!

[Write the word] : [Find out and write the meaning]

1) _____ : _____

2) _____ : _____

3) _____ : _____