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WALT: Understand the difficulties and success stories of the lives of people who migrated to Britain on the Empire Windrush

Diary Entry

You are going to write a diary entry as someone arriving in Britain on the Empire Windrush in 1948. Watch this video to find out more about the different experiences:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/av/uk-44568095/windrush-generation-three-stories>



Windrush generation: Three stories

The Empire Windrush arrived in Britain 70 years ago, carrying passengers from the Caribbean and from Poland.

They were invited by Britain to assist with post-war reconstruction.

Three people tell their stories.

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Or for a more challenging read you could look at this article:

<https://newafricanmagazine.com/16729/>

Some other sources to inform your work:



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<https://www.theguardian.com/artanddesign/gallery/2019/oct/12/the-last-of-the-windrush-arrivals-in-1962-in-pictures>

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