

# Story of Migration to Australia



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The story of migration to Australia begins with the Aboriginal people who arrived many thousands of years ago, and extends through the first European settlement, to the more than 100 000 newcomers who now arrive each year from all over the world. Some migrants hope to improve their economic position through better work opportunities, some are fleeing persecution and war, others are joining family members. Whatever the reason for their move, migrants go on to become an integral part of their new culture, changing and shaping it just as those who came before them did.

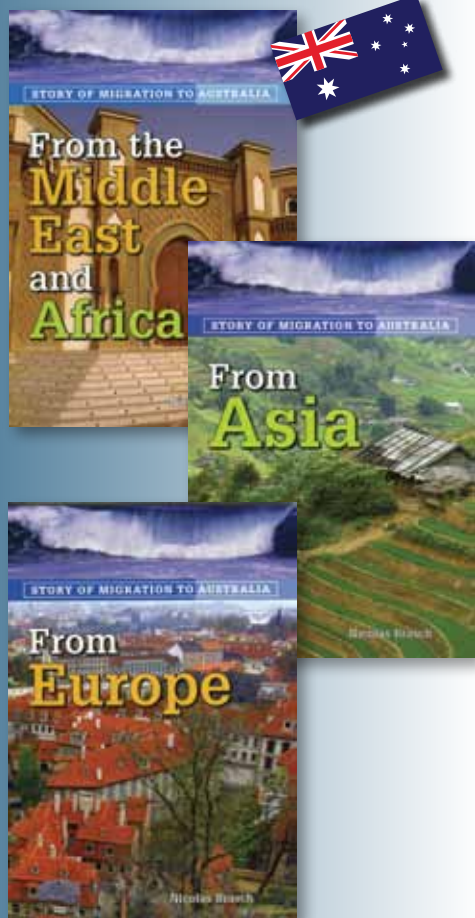
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In 1989, the restrictions on free speech became too much for thousands of Chinese people, and they took part in anti-government demonstrations in Tiananmen Square in Beijing, China's capital. The Chinese Government sent in the military to deal with the protestors. Hundreds, possibly thousands, of protestors were killed, and the events signalled a new crackdown on free speech for the Chinese people.



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