

1. The United States has historically attracted immigrants with the promise of more
2. freedom and financial opportunity than they could ever expect at home.
3. Now, however, the tables are turning, and many educated immigrants
4. particularly those from China and India—are leaving the United States to go
5. back to their native lands.
6. Vivek Wadhwa, a researcher at Duke University, estimates that 200,000 Chinese
7. and Indian immigrants will return home over the next five years, greatly
8. reducing the scientific and technological advantage currently enjoyed by the
9. United States.

### Further Questions & Sample Answers

10. 1) How has the United States historically attracted immigrants?

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23. center of high technology—had been founded by immigrants filed over 25 percent
24. of all U.S. patent applications.

### Further Questions & Sample Answers

25. 3) What degree do many of returnees hold?

26. *Over 50 percent of returnees hold master's degrees and many hold doctorates as*

27. *well.*

28. 4) Why are immigrants important in the United States?

29. *The talent pool has been essential for innovation and economic growth in the*

30. *United States.*

31. A weakening U.S. economy was originally suspected to be causing the wave of
32. returnees, but Wadhwa's survey indicates that financial gain is not significant
33. motivator.

34. About 84 percent of Chinese and 69 percent of Indian immigrants said they were

35. leaving the United States to pursue professional opportunities at home, despite  
36. the lower salaries awaiting them.

37. In the United States, many educated immigrants are stereotyped as  
38. “techies”—technical experts with only a very specialized skill set.

39. As such, they are highly regarded but are rarely considered for management  
40. positions.

41. If they return home, most can enter midlevel or senior management positions.

### Further Questions & Sample Answers

42. **5) Will most returnees be paid more than in the United States after they return  
43. home?** *No, they said they were leaving the United States to pursue professional  
44. opportunities at home despite the lower salaries awaiting them.*

45. **6) Why are immigrants rarely considered for management positions?**

46. *In the United States, many educated immigrants are stereotype as  
47. “techies”—technical experts with only a very specialized skill set.*

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58. **7) Why might the lower wages for returnees not be important?**

59. *While the wages are lower, money goes further. Returnees can often afford  
60. educational opportunities for their children*

61. *and other services that are beyond reach in the United States.*

62.

63. **8) Why are some immigrants uncomfortable with the American way of life?**

64. *They find it difficult to adjust to a society with values different from their own.*

65. An increasing number of educated immigrants are also returning home because  
66. of troublesome U.S. immigration policies.

67. Immigrants who succeed in starting U.S. companies have, for the most part,  
68. obtained permanent residency.

69. The problem is that there are over a million applicants for the 120,000  
70. permanent resident cards granted annually; many people wait 10 years or more  
71. to obtain one.

72. Recent changes in visa regulations to improve homeland security have actually  
73. made it more difficult not only for immigrants to obtain their first work visas, but

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74. also for workers with visas to renew them.

75. Unless the rules are amended, the loss of educated immigrants will pose a  
76. serious problem for the United States in the future, since it is predicted that  
77. there will be a lack of native-born workers to fill positions in science, technology,  
78. and engineering.

### Further Questions & Sample Answers

79. 9) What's the problem with the U.S. immigration policy?

80. *The problem is that there're over a million applicants for the 120,000*  
81. *permanent resident cards granted annually.*

**\*Choose the correct answer from these choices.**

82. (38) Based on research carried out by Vivek Wadhwa, it can be concluded that?

83. 1. many immigrants to the United States will have to return home if they

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94. 2. They generally have an inferior educational background to U.S. workers as  
95. their parents could not afford to send them to good schools.

96. 3. There is a widespread feeling that technically skilled immigrants are not well  
97. suited to such positions.

98. 4. The weak U.S. economy has contributed to increasing hostility towards  
99. foreign workers.

100. (40) What is one factor that influences immigrants when deciding whether to go  
101. back to their country of origin?

102. 1. The fact that the U.S. educational system uses teaching methods that do not  
103. fit their expectations.

104. 2. The fact that they are usually guaranteed to find a good job through family  
105. connections in their own country.

106. 3. The difficulty of dealing with the high levels of pollution in the U.S. cities  
107. where they live and work.

108.4. The difficulty they have accepting the differences between cultural practices  
109 in the United States and their own country.

110.(41) What does the author of the passage believe the U.S. government should do  
111 to help prevent the loss of educated immigrants?

112.1. Introduce regulations that require science and technology companies to fill a  
113 certain percentage of positions with immigrant workers.

114.2. Change visa regulations that are currently acting as an obstacle for  
115 immigrant workers.

116.3. Give financial aid to permanent residents who choose to study for degrees in  
117 technical fields.

118.4. Extend the length of time immigrants can remain in the country once they  
119 have made an application for permanent residency.

## Review Questions

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130.5) *Will most returnees be paid more than in the United States after they return  
131 home?*

132. *No, they said they were leaving the United States to pursue professional  
133 opportunities at home despite the lower salaries awaiting them.*

134.6) *Why are immigrants rarely considered for management positions?*

135. *In the United States, many educated immigrants are stereotype as  
136 "techies"—technical experts with only a very specialized skill set.*

137.7) *Why might the lower wages for returnees not be important?*

138. *While the wages are lower, money goes further. Returnees can often afford  
139 educational opportunities for their children*

140. *and other services that are beyond reach in the United States.*

141.8) *Why are some immigrants uncomfortable with the American way of life?*

142. *They find it difficult to adjust to a society with values different from their own.*

143.9) *What's the problem with the U.S. immigration policy?*

144. *The problem is that there're over a million applicants for the 120,000 permanent  
145 resident cards granted annually.*





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日本語訳付

3[C] America's Brain Drain ? Lesson11 P1 Chobun dokkai AP1E 10-2

1. The United States has <sup>歴史的 (れきしてき) に</sup> historically <sup>魅了 (みりょう) してきた</sup> attracted <sup>移民 (いみん)</sup> immigrants with the promise <sup>自由 (じゆう)</sup> of more freedom and <sup>経済的 (けいざいてき) な</sup> financial <sup>見込 (みこ) む</sup> opportunity than they could ever expect at home.
4. Now, however, <sup>しかしながら</sup> the tables are turning, <sup>状況 (じょうきょう) は変 (か) わってきている</sup> and many <sup>学識 (がくしき) のある</sup> educated immigrants—<sup>とりわけ</sup> particularly those from China and India—are <sup>離 (はな) れていく</sup> leaving the United States to <sup>帰 (かえ) る</sup> go back to their <sup>生 (う) まれた 土地 (とち)</sup> native lands. <sup>研究者 (けんきゅうしゃ)</sup> <sup>見積 (みつ) もる</sup>

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17. A <sup>調査 (ちようさ)</sup> survey by Wadhwa and his team <sup>示 (しめ) す</sup> shows that these <sup>帰 (かえ) っていく人々 (ひとひと)</sup> returnees are <sup>大 (おお) いに 教育 (きょういく) を受 (う) けた</sup> often highly <sup>持 (も) っている 修士号 (しゅうしごう)</sup> educated, with over 50 percent <sup>博士号 (はくしごう) ~もまた</sup> holding master's degrees <sup>才能 (さいのう) プール</sup> and many holding <sup>必要不可欠 (ひつようふかけつ) な</sup> doctorates <sup>革新 (かくしん)</sup> as well.
20. This <sup>経済的 (けいざいてき) な 成長 (せいちょう)</sup> talent pool has been <sup>高度 (こうど) な</sup> essential for innovation and <sup>～までには</sup> economic growth in the United States.
22. By 2005, over 50 percent of all tech companies in Silicon Valley—America's <sup>高度 (こうど) な</sup> center of high technology—had been founded by immigrants filed over 25 percent of all U.S. patent applications.

Further Questions & Sample Answers

25. 3) What degree do many of returnees hold? <sup>自国 (じこく) に帰 (かえ) る人々 (ひとひと) の多く (おほく) は何 (なん) の学位 (がくい) を持 (も) っていますか。</sup>
26. Over 50 percent of returnees hold master's degrees and many hold doctorates as well.
27. 4) Why are immigrants important in the United States? <sup>アメリカ (がっしゅうこく) 合衆国 (いみん) で移民 (いみん) はなぜ (じゅうよう) 重要 (じゅうよう) な</sup>
28. のですか。 The talent pool has been essential for innovation and economic growth in

29. *the United States.*

30. A 弱 (よわ) まっている weakening U.S. 経済 (けいざい) economy was もとは originally 波 (なみ) suspected to be causing the wave  
 31. of returnees, but Wadhwa's survey 示 (しめ) す indicates that 経済的 (けいざいてき) な financial gain is not a  
 32. 重要 (じゅうよう) な significant 離 (はな) れる motivator. About 84 percent of Chinese and 69 percent of Indian  
 33. immigrants said they were leaving the United States to 追 (お) い求 (もと) める pursue  
 34. 機会 (きかい) professional opportunities at home, 〜にも関 (かか) わらず despite the 低 (ひく) い lower 給料 (きゅうりょう) salaries  
 35. 待 (ま) っている awaiting them. In the United States, many educated immigrants are  
 36. 固定観念 (こていかんねん) をもたれている stereotyped as "techies" —technical 専門家 (せんもんか) experts with only  
 37. 専門化 (せんもんか) した a very 能力 (のうりょく) specialized skill set. As such, they are highly regarded but are  
 38. 管理 (かんり) rarely considered for management positions. If they return home, most can  
 39. enter midlevel or senior management positions.

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50. 接近 (せつきん) Proximity to family and friends was also mentioned by many immigrants as a  
 51. 決断 (けつだん) factor in their decision to return home. 加 (くわ) えて In addition, some are 心地 (こち) よくない uncomfortable  
 52. with the American way of life, finding it difficult to 適応 (てきおう) する adjust to a 社会 (しゃかい) society  
 53. with values different from their own.  
 54. 一方 (いっぽう) On the other hand, the return is not always 順調 (じゅんちょう) smooth ; many returnees  
 55. 不平 (ふへい) を言 (い) う complain about problems like severe ひどい urban 都市 (とし) の traffic conditions, 状態 (じょうたい) pollution  
 56. 逆 (ぎゃく) の and reverse culture shock.

Further Questions & Sample Answers



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7) Why might the lower wages for returnees not be important?

57. 帰還者 (きげんしゃ) にとって 帰還者にとって 低賃金 (ていちんぎん) 低賃金はなぜそれほど 重要 (じゅうよう) 重要でないのかもしれないのですか。

58. *While the wages are lower, money goes further. Returnees can often afford educational opportunities for their children*

59. *and other services that are beyond reach in the United States.*

60.

61. **8) Why are some immigrants uncomfortable with the American way of life?**

62. *なぜ移民たちの一部はアメリカ式の生活が心地よくないのですか。*

63. *They find it difficult to adjust to a society with values different from their own.*

64. An <sup>増加 (ぞうか) している</sup> increasing number of <sup>学識 (がくしき) のある</sup> educated immigrants are also returning home

65. because of <sup>面倒 (めんどろ) な</sup> troublesome U.S. <sup>政策 (せいさく)</sup> immigration policies .

66. Immigrants who succeed in starting U.S. companies have, for the most part,

67. <sup>手 (て) に入 (い) れた</sup> obtained <sup>永住権 (えいじゅうけん)</sup> permanent residency.

68. The problem is that there are over a million <sup>応募者 (おうぼしゃ)</sup> applicants for the 120,000

69. permanent resident cards granted annually; many people wait 10 years or more

70. to <sup>手 (て) に入 (い) れる</sup> obtain one.

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79. *すか。 The problem is that there're over a million applicants for the 120,000*

80. *permanent resident cards granted annually.*

**\*Choose the correct answer from these choices.**

81. **(38) Based on research carried out by Vivek Wadhwa, it can be concluded that?**

82. Vivek Wadhwa <sup>おこな</sup>によって行われた<sup>ちょうさ</sup>調査に<sup>もと</sup>基づくと、それらのことが<sup>けつろん</sup>結論づけられていますか。

83. 1. many immigrants to the United States will have to return home if they <sup>手 (て) に入 (い) れる</sup> cannot acquire <sup>特許 (とっきょ)</sup> the patents for which they have applied.

84. 2. The United States will lose a significant amount of scientific and <sup>熟練者 (じゅくれんしゃ)</sup> technological expertise as more immigrants return home.

85. 3. the percentage of immigrants returning to India will be higher than the percentage that will return to China.

86.4. <sup>潜在的 (せんざいてき) な</sup> potential <sup>分野 (ぶんや)</sup> immigrants who want to work in high-tech fields will have  
87. to <sup>手 (て) に入 (い) れる</sup> obtain a master's degree in their home country first.

88.(39) Why do many immigrant workers in the United States find it difficult to  
89.become managers? <sup>アメリカにいる多くの移民の労働者はなぜ管理職になるのが難しいのですか。</sup>

90.1. Their employers are <sup>気 (き) が向 (む) かない</sup> reluctant to <sup>昇進 (しょうしん) させる</sup> promote them because of a fear  
91.that they will return home after a short time.

92.2. They <sup>一般的 (いっぱんてき) に</sup> generally have an <sup>劣 (おと) った</sup> inferior educational <sup>背景 (はいけい)</sup> background to U.S.

93.workers as their parents could not <sup>余裕 (よゆう) がある</sup> afford to send them to good schools.

94.3. There is a <sup>普及 (ふきゅう) した</sup> widespread feeling that technically skilled immigrants are not

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103.2. The fact that they are usually <sup>コネ</sup> guaranteed to find a good job through  
104.family connections in their own country.

105.3. The <sup>難 (むずか) しさ</sup> difficulty of dealing with the high levels of <sup>汚染 (おせん)</sup> pollution in the U.S. cities  
106.where they live and work.

107.4. The <sup>難 (むずか) しさ</sup> difficulty they have accepting the differences between cultural  
108.practices in the United States and their own country.

109.(41) What does the author of the passage believe the U.S. government should  
110.do to help prevent the loss of educated immigrants?

111.この筆者はアメリカ政府が学識のある移民の流失を防ぐのを手助けする為に何をすべきだと考えていますか。

112.1. Introduce regulations that <sup>規則 (きそく)</sup> require <sup>必要 (ひつよう) とする</sup> science and technology companies  
113. to fill a certain percentage of positions with immigrant workers.

114.2. Change visa regulations that are <sup>規定 (きてい)</sup> currently acting as an <sup>現在 (げんざい)</sup> obstacle <sup>障害 (しょうがい)</sup> for



115immigrant workers.

1163. Give financial aid to permanent residents who choose to study for  
117degrees in technical fields.

1184. Extend the length of time immigrants can remain in the country once they  
119have made an application for permanent residency.

## Review Questions

1201) How has the United States historically attracted immigrants?

121*It has promised more freedom and financial opportunities than they could ever*  
122*expect at home.*

1232) According to Vivek Wadhwa, about how many Chinese and Indian immigrants  
124return home each year?

125*About 40,000 immigrants return home each year or 200,000 over the next five*  
126*years.*

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139. *technicians —technical experts with only a very specialized skill set.*

1407) Why might the lower wages for returnees not be important?

141\_ *While the wages are lower, money goes further. Returnees can often afford*  
142*educational opportunities for their children*

143\_ *and other services that are beyond reach in the United States.*

1448) Why are some immigrants uncomfortable with the American way of life?

145\_ *They find it difficult to adjust to a society with values different from their own.*

1469) What's the problem with the U.S. immigration policy?

147\_ *The problem is that there're over a million applicants for the 120,000 permanent*  
148\_ *resident cards granted annually.*

解答: (38)2 (39)3 (40)4 (41)2



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