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In the 1990s, the number of illegal immigrants from Mexico who crossed the United States-Mexican border at night continued to rise. We all know about the situation today, not just in California but in Arizona and other Border States.

In California signs like this one have been posted in most border areas.



Research Assignment

1. Using various sources, including the Internet, find out how and where illegal immigrants enter the United States. Not all statistics are accurate but try and find out the latest estimates of where and how many illegal immigrants are entering across the U.S. – Mexican border.

We will compile your findings on a map, which we will post on the classroom wall.

2. Research how the United States government has so far attempted to stop the flow of illegal immigrants. Are their systems and methods working to stop illegals entering the country?

3. Brainstorm your own idea and in the form of a letter (one-page) to the INS - Immigration and Naturalization Service, explain your idea for solving their illegal immigration problems.