



Push-Pull Factors Worksheet

Name: _____

Date: _____

| Push Factors = reasons to move away from a country  | Pull Factors = reasons to move to a new country  |
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Word Bank: (sort words/phrases into the correct column)

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| Family together | Corrupt government | Poor education |
| Shortage of food/famine | Greater wealth | Lack of jobs |
| Family separation | War or natural disasters | Food availability |
| Medicare care or medicine | Fair government | Poverty |
| Safety or security | Job opportunities | Lack of medical care |
| Educational opportunities | Freedom (religious or in general) | Persecution or fear |

Answer Sheet:

| Push Factors | Pull Factors |
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| Lack of jobs | Job opportunities |
| Poverty | Greater wealth |
| Poor education | Educational opportunities |
| Persecution or fear (religious or other) | Freedom (religious or in general) |
| Lack of medical care | Medical care or medicine |
| War or natural disasters | Safety or security |
| Corrupt government | Fair government |
| Shortage of food/famine | Food availability |
| Family separation | Family together |