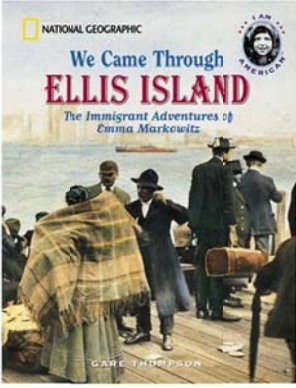




Book Backdrops: Connecting Literature and Primary Sources

<p>Cover Image</p> 	<p>Title: <i>We Came Through Ellis Island: The Immigrant Adventures of Emma Markowitz</i></p> <p>Author: Gare Thompson</p> <p>Grade Level(s): 3rd and 4th</p> <p>Topic/Theme: Immigration</p>	<p>Book Type: Diary entries, letters, and expository writing</p> <p>Setting and Time Period: Russia, the Atlantic Ocean, Ellis Island, and New York City/1893-1897</p> <p>Subjects: immigration, sweatshops, unions, Ellis Island, Judaism, New York City, anti-Semitism</p>
<p>Primary Source Thumbnail</p>	<p>Caption Publication Information Book Notes</p>	<p>URL</p>
	<p>Title: Steerage Passengers Taking Life Easy on an Ocean Liner</p> <p>Creator(s): none listed</p> <p>Date Created/Published: c. 1905</p> <p>Book Notes: The Markowitz family travel across the Atlantic Ocean in Steerage. (pages 14 & 15)</p>	<p>http://www.loc.gov/pictures/item/2005693063/</p>
	<p>Title: .S. inspectors examining eyes of immigrants, Ellis Island, New York Harbor</p> <p>Creator(s): New York : Underwood & Underwood</p> <p>Date Created/Published: c. 1913</p> <p>Book Notes: The Marks family is inspected at Ellis Island and Nathan almost fails the inspection because of a problem with his eye. (pg. 17)</p>	<p>http://www.loc.gov/pictures/item/97501532/</p>



A black and white photograph showing a group of people, likely immigrants, standing in a line at Ellis Island. The image is divided into three vertical panels.	<p>Title: Emigrants [i.e. immigrants] landing at Ellis Island</p> <p>Creator(s): United States: Thomas A. Edison, Inc.</p> <p>Date Created/Published: c. 1903</p> <p>Book Notes: The Marks family arrives in America at Ellis Island (pages 16 & 17).</p>	<p>http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.mbrsmi/lcm/p002.m2a10987</p>
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