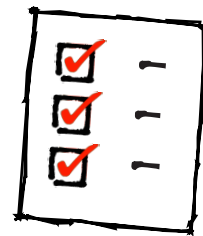


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Day Two

An ICE Raid

Part 1: Tricky phrases and words



→ Read these phrases and words **out loud** to your partner.

- immigrants are in the country legally
 - becoming a nation of laws
 - Luis Espinoza is an activist
 - Local politicians were concerned
 - that the arrests would hurt the community
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Decoding practice:

Circle the base words in the longer words below. The base is a word part that shows the core meaning. The first one is done for you.

arrested

employee

government

legally

lawyer

activist



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Part 2: Last read

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Imagine you're an adult and working at your job at a chicken plant. Suddenly, officers in uniforms rush in and arrest you. This is what happened in Mississippi. Nearly 700 immigrants were arrested on the same day. They were employees at seven different chicken plants.

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The officers worked for the U.S. government. The department they worked for is called ICE. ICE officers focus their attention on immigrants. They want to make sure immigrants are in the country legally. Mike Hurst is a lawyer who works for the government. He was pleased with the arrests. He said, "Today, we are once again becoming a nation of laws."

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Many of the people who were arrested had families. The families were terribly worried. Where was their loved one? When would their loved one come home? The children of the immigrants were especially upset. It was their first day of school. Some of the children cried while they waited for news of their parents.

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A lot of people felt that the arrests were unfair. Luis Espinoza is an activist. He fights for the rights of immigrants. He said, "I don't see illegals. I don't see bad people. They are not criminals."

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Local politicians were concerned. One mayor worried that the arrests would hurt the community. The mayor of Jackson, Mississippi, said that people should wonder about the "soul of our nation."

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Part 3: Comprehension and discussion

Imagine that this happened to your parent or family member. What might you do? How might you feel?

Share your ideas with your partner. Write your partner's ideas here.
