

# Immigration

What's YOUR Opinion?

There is a national debate going on with regards to immigration, thanks to the law that's been passed in Arizona. It has brought the issue to the forefront of Americans' minds, and politicians at the state and national level are having to make some decisions on whether or not the law is fair.

What do you think?

Before You Begin, define:

racial profiling -

SB 1070 -

Directions: Answer the following questions on immigration.

1. List some of the advantages to the Arizona law SB 1070 on immigration.

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2. List some of the disadvantages to the Arizona law SB 1070 on immigration.

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3. The governor of Arizona, Jan Brewer, claims that the Federal Government has not done enough to support Arizona and its illegal immigration problems. Now that Arizona has passed SB 1070, what do you think the US Government should do? Write in complete sentences.

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Directions: Circle whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with each of the

following statements below. Then write in complete sentences as to why you made your choice.

1. It is the people's responsibility, over all else's, to keep illegal immigrants from crossing borders into the United States.

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2. It is the Federal Government's responsibility, over all else's, to keep illegal immigrants from crossing into the United States.

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3. It is business's responsibility, over all else's, not to hire illegal immigrants, which will help keep them from entering the United States.

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4. Jan Brewer was correct in passing the SB 1070 and the rest of the country should follow Arizona's lead on immigration.

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5. SB 1070 will lead to racial profiling and will only break up families and hurt hard-working immigrants.

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The following video sites might help you to better form your opinion.

<http://www.cnn.com/2010/US/studentnews/04/25/transcript.mon/index.html>

<http://www.cnn.com/2010/US/studentnews/05/02/transcript.mon/index.html>