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Discovering the Ninth Street Market:

Summative Unit Exam

Background: Throughout the unit, we have taken a great look into the lives, functions, and history behind the 9th Street Market. We've discussed how cultures came together to form the economic and ethnic meeting place. Now, it's your turn to enter the story.

Directions: Imagine that you are an immigrant coming to America at some time within the 20th century (of your choosing) within the 20th century in order to set up a food shop of your own. Write an essay describing the kind of cultural that *you* would find within the marketplace, and what kind of culture *you* would bring along. In order to answer the question fully, be sure to use all of the Important Concepts we've been using to discuss the 9th Street Market. These words can be found just below the directions for your convenience. What I'm not looking for is a simple definition of each term. You must paint your "life story" of entering the market with vivid details learned from our field trip, our readings, and our discussion. Draw upon our experience pretending we were "Rocky" to help you get started. Please raise your hand if you have any questions. Remember to back up with assertions with evidence from our activities in class.

Important Concepts: Immigrant, 9th Street Market, Vendor, Cultural Hearth, Ethnicity

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Practical Resource: <u>Writing Rubrics for Teachers</u>