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SS Empire Windrush A Memorable Journey

On June 22nd 1948, MV Empire Windrush disembarked at Tilbury Docks in Essex. The ship had made an 8,000 mile journey from the Caribbean to London with 492 passengers destined for new lives in the 'mother country.' SS Windrush started at Trinidad then headed towards Kingston, Jamaica and then north up the Caribbean via Tampico, Havana, Cuba and Bermuda then over the Atlantic Ocean to Tilbury, England.

Use an atlas to complete the activities.

The Journey of SS Windrush

- 1. Use your atlas to locate and label the town and country where SS Empire Windrush started its journey.
- 2. Use your atlas to locate and label the countries which SS Empire Windrush passed on the journey to Tilbury, England.
- 3. Label the ocean the SS Empire Windrush crossed.
- 4. Use your atlas to label the town and country where SS Empire Windrush docked.

Challenge

Use the internet to find out key facts about the countries already located and labelled. Key facts: population, language, currency, Head of State, climate, exported goods, imported goods.







