

# The Refugee Journey



## What is a refugee

A refugee is someone that is forced to flee their home or country because of war or punishment.

By Emma

## *How do refugees survive*

Imagine your home gets destroyed and you are forced to leave your home. You are unlikely to take a lot of your stuff when this thing happens to you. Automatically you turn into a refugee when you turn into a refugee you need to take what you can.. What they have to leave behind are their homes, jobs and many of their personal possessions. When a refugee goes on a plane they have to be separated from their family that's including their little kids. Also some refugees may have health issue which is most likely to happen. Absolutely they need a minimum of shelter. They need their children.

By Akira

## Where do refugees come from?

They come from Sri Lanka, Rwanda, Sudan, Afghanistan, Colombia and Burma. They get forced to flee the country because of persecution, conflict, violence, or other circumstances that place them in need of international protection.

1. Cambodia, Cambodians fled their country because of violence, torture, medical experiments, untreated diseases, forced marched, forced labor and starvation.

2. Afghanistan, Afghanistan fled their country for the results of violence, potential persecution, and poverty.

3. Ukraine, The Ukrainians fled their country because of the start of the war with Russia.

## Where do refugees go ?

- Cambodian refugees go to camps on the Cambodia/Thai border
- In 2001 Afghani refugees primarily go to Pakistan and Iran.
- Ukrainian refugees go to Germany, Poland and Czech Republic.

By Titus

# *What organisations help refugee ?*

The refugee and protection unit promotes the successful resettlement

Red Cross assist millions of people in emergency situations.

Doctors Without Borders give help after trouble.

By Luca



## How does a refugee get to NZ ?

When a refugee gets forced to leave their home and can't find a home, some people are very lucky and they will have a family member that already lives there they will be able to live with the family member that lives in New Zealand.

Quota refugees; New Zealand accepts 1,500 refugees per year under refugee Quota. Under refugee quota you have to be picked by the country to be accepted.

By Anahera Taylor