

### What contribution have refugees made to the history of Norfolk?

**Key Stage: 2**

**Type: Online**

**Length 45 minutes**

**Curriculum links: Citizenship, History**

**Key Themes: Refugees, Local History**

#### Learning Objectives:

- Understand why Dutch and French refugees took refuge in the county, and what they have brought to the local area, including the known as the Strangers
- Find out what the Strangers first impressions were on arriving in Britain and Norwich.
- See how the Strangers integrated into Norwich society by looking at some of their possessions from probate inventories.
- Understand what the Strangers brought to the local area and their legacy.

Time	Activity	Details	Resources	
5 mins	Introduction	Why were the strangers in Norfolk.	ppt	
15 mins	Letters from the Strangers	<p>Explain how we know the information contained in some of the letters send home when the strangers first arrived.</p> <p>Answer questions on these letters in order to discover the Strangers thoughts and feelings.</p>	ppt	Pairs

10 mins	Strangers Possessions	Have a look at some of the clothes and other possessions the strangers had from their probate inventories.	Ppt	class
15 mins	Packing a suitcase	<p>Show the pupils the objects on the screen (all on one screen together)</p> <p>Ask them to imagine they are Lewis Ecker and his family, and to choose 7 of the items to take with them when fleeing the country.</p> <p>Ask them to think of something else that might also be useful if they were to flee today. Report back.</p>	ppt	Small groups