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*Which Way Home* Viewing Guide

While viewing:

Please jot down answers to these questions (they DO NOT have to be complete sentences)

1. Many sources suggest that today‘s youth is forced to mature and grow up faster than ever before. How is this shown in the film? In what ways must the children grow up on their journey?

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1. Why might Jose be as upset as he is? What does his deportation imply about his future?

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1. What happens to families because of illegal immigration? What specifically are some of the dangers and opportunities associated with illegal child immigration?

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1. “The Dog” says he plans to go to the U.S. to be “born again”. What does this mean for him?

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1. Why does Yurico take the separation with Fito and their deportations so hard? What becomes of him?

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1. How is Kevin‘s life different than he had anticipated after his journey? What has he realized? What does this say about the American Dream?

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1. Kevin‘s mother says that she always hoped Kevin, “Would help [her] get ahead.” What does she mean by this? How is this different then parents think of kids in the US?

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After Viewing: Please consider this question and write out an answer or draw a Vinn Diagram to respond:

1. Compare and contrast the story told here with Enrique’s Journey. How are they similar? How are they different? Which one do you think is more effective in its storytelling?

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