

## The migrants crisis

Thousands of migrants are dying every month while trying to enter Europe. Why are they fleeing and risking their lives?

It is estimated that

- In 2015 : more than 1 million migrants came in Europe.
- In 2016 : 350,000 refugees have desperately packed onto overcrowded vessels to Italy after fleeing war-torn countries such as Iraq, Syria and Libya. Now, migrants are increasingly using road and rail transport to access the EU.
- Since the early 2017 : more than 25 000 refugees

### Your work :

Explain the migrants crisis : Why do the migrants flee their country ? What way do they chose? Why is their trip so dangerous? How are their hosting conditions? What is their status?

Make a presentation of the situation. The form is unrestricted. For example, you can describe the testimony of a migrant, or a volunteer worker for the rescue of refugees, or a politician who wants to defend the hosting (or the opposite situation...), ....

Websites :

Some articles

- The migration observatory, University of Oxford : <http://www.migrationobservatory.ox.ac.uk/resources/>
- Migrant crisis: Migration to Europe explained in 7 charts : <http://www.bbc.com/news/world-europe-34131911>
- The network : <http://graphics.thomsonreuters.com/15/migrants/index.html>
- Why is EU struggling with migrants and asylum? <http://www.bbc.com/news/world-europe-24583286>
- Europe's Migration Crisis, Council of foreign relations : <http://www.cfr.org/refugees-and-the-displaced/europes-migration-crisis/p32874>
- How is the migrant crisis dividing EU countries? <http://www.bbc.com/news/world-europe-34278886>
- The Refugee Crisis: What It Means for Europe <http://www.nytimes.com/2015/10/08/world/europe/refugee-migrant-crisis-asylum-seekers-germany.html? r=0>
- Europe's Migration Crisis : <http://www.cfr.org/migration/europes-migration-crisis/p32874>
- At last, the article on Wikipedia is of quality.