



(Image 1 Full Fact, 2018)

Windrush generation

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What is the Windrush generation

- The Windrush generation is a macro level of people who came from the Caribbean countries such as Jamaica, Tobago, Trindad (BBC NEWS,2018).
- It happened in (1948-1971)
- Citizens of the Commonwealth will be allowed to become a citizen of a member of a Commonwealth Nation. This will give legal rights to the nationality laws. Commonwealth countries and Commonwealth citizens will enjoy some of the privileges in a country (GOV.UK, no date).
- The overall majority were children roughly four hundred and ninety two came over on the MV empire Windrush ship. (BBC NEWS,2018)
- They brought new micro levels of their society such as music, food, clothing, and social norms and values in which challenged the British view point of their norms and **values**. (BBC NEWS,2018)



(image 2 ITV,2018)

Why did it happen

- Post war mass migration after world war two, this had an knock on effect when it came to the physical labour shortages such as builders, railway workers and housing for the residents of the United Kingdom
- World war two cost the United Kingdom three hundred eighty-three thousand six hundred military men and non military people sixty-seven thousand seven hundred the overall total is four hundred fifty thousand seven hundred
- The united kingdom payed off its debit of four point three billion to the United States Of America and Canada one point two billion in (2006). (Politics.co.uk, 2006)



(Image 3 NNA,2017)

What did they bring

- They brought ska and reggae evolved in the late (1950s) from an early Jamaican form of rhythm and blues (ENCYCLOPAEDIA BRITANNIA, no date)
- Grime it's massive music industry that makes it irresistible to the rise of DIY culture within black music. It is massive in such places as London, Liverpool and the Manchester area. It is usually created by the micro communities within the Caribbean communities (British Library, 2018).
- Food, Social norms, Language, Values and Priorities



(Image 4 Day Translations, 2018)

Back lash of this

- Racism such as the far right movement in which rebrand the traditional skinhead into the racist group that we know of today and in turn created oi music (Anderson, 2004).
- When the Windrush generation and the commonwealth citizens were having their healthcare cancelled at the NHS. They were being let go from their jobs and being threatened with being deportation from a country that they were legally allowed to have full residency in. because of this it then created poverty and a wider gap between the communities with a micro system (Grmelova.R, 2010).
- It also effected the policy, employment and schooling of this group of people who faced a number of barriers (Grmelova.R, (2010).

Legislation that came out of this

- The Commonwealth Immigration (1967) groups from different country's came to the United Kingdom because they were worried about the discrimination from their national governments This legislation confirms that only one wife and a widow had the legal right to arrive within the United Kingdom (*The Cabinet papers, no date*).
- British Nationality Act (1948) states that the British Empire that controls a country can each cross their citizenships, but they will retained the common status of a British citizen (*The Cabinet papers, no date*).
- Commonwealth Immigrants Act (1968) will required a person that will likely migrants to the United Kingdom to show any proof that themselves, their parents and grandparents were born in the United Kingdom (Legislation.gov.uk, no date).
- Borders Citizenship and Immigration Act (2009) will correct the rules so a person from outside the European Economic Area (*The Cabinet papers, no date*).

what is happening to this group in 2019

- The Windrush generation has been growing in current months, as a number of different reports have been released. About the majority of the elderly people within the Windrush generation being refused local/nation wide services, losing their employment or having to deal with deportation (ALJAZEERA, 2018).
- The British Government Home Office has given a response to the increasing pressure over the indifference to the Commonwealth citizens. The people who this effects have had their lives pulled apart after several.
- The United Kingdom prime minister apologise to the Caribbean community, over the anxiety that the British government has caused. Which the British Government updated their legislation about the conditions of the people that this will affect. These are just some of the people that have been affected by deportation, losing their employment, homes and being denied healthcare they are Michael, Braithwaite, Paulette Wilson and Albert Thompson (Amnesty International UK, 2018).or social assistance. And who knows how many people have been forced out of the country of their home without any media attention and no legal assistance to defend their rights.

Conclusion

- To conclude that the people that came from the Windrush generation have still got barriers that they will have to face such as racism, police, stereotypes and explaining to these communities about FGM.
- Some of these barriers are slowly disappearing away from British society such as a clamp down on FGM and racism is slowly leaving British society.

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