



A People's Flag

February 15 was the 47th anniversary of the Canadian Maple Leaf flag.



Immigrating to Canada is an exciting opportunity for new Canadians to begin their new life and settle down.

There are many reasons that people want to live in Canada. The possibility of a new life, job opportunity, better education or even escape from a war zone.

Top: Marlem power moved to Canada from Mexico City about 10 years ago. "There were not enough jobs and I was not able to go to university in Mexico, so I came over here to get more opportunities," Power said. Photo by Megan Voss

First right: Maha Majeed immigrated to Canada from Iraq in June of 1996. "I couldn't have what I have here in Iraq. Everyone has to have a vision and I made my vision come true," she added about her journey to Canada. Photo by Melissa Murray

Second right: Hai Vo, 35, is glad to have moved to Canada five years ago from Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam "I feel freedom here." Photo by Chloe Ellingson

First left: Frederic Picard immigrated to Canada from France in 2003 because he "followed a blonde here" whom he will marry in June of this year. Photo by Sherry Tompkins

Second left: Ankit Patel moved to Belleville from Ahmedabad, India to enroll in Loyalist's fitness and health promotions program. Photo by Sarah Swenson