April 3, 2022

TO: Participants in NVHC class “Israel’s Changing Collective Identity”

From: Prof. Fred Lazin

RE: Meeting of April 7, 2022

Shalom,

For this class we will discuss the arrival of immigrants from the former Soviet Union and Ethiopia.

Attached find three articles which I wrote on the subject. The option to read or not to read is yours.

“Ethnic and Political Clout” is about the absorption of Ethiopian youth into Israel’s educational system.

“Housing policies for Ethiopians” is about housing Ethiopian Jews upon arrival.

The third article presents an overview of how Israel absorbed both communities.

I am looking forward to seeing you on Thursday.

All the best.

Fred

**PS our final meeting will take place on 19th**