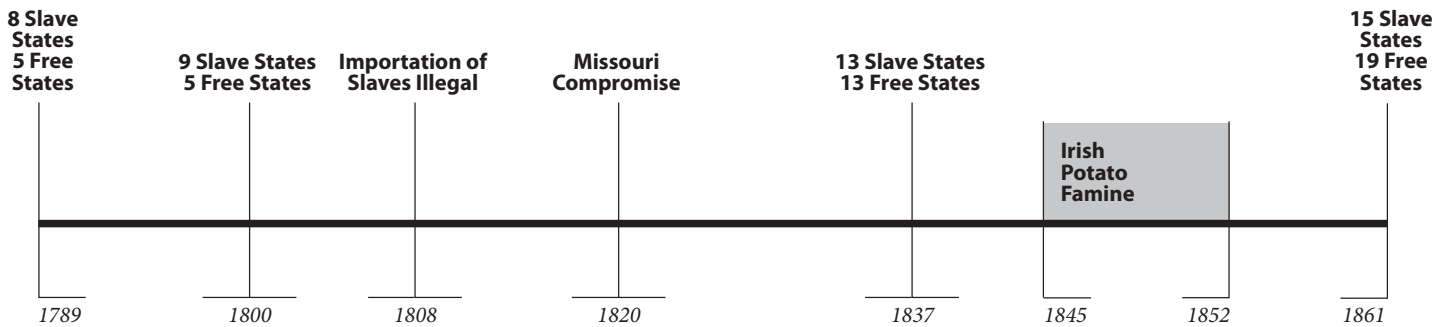
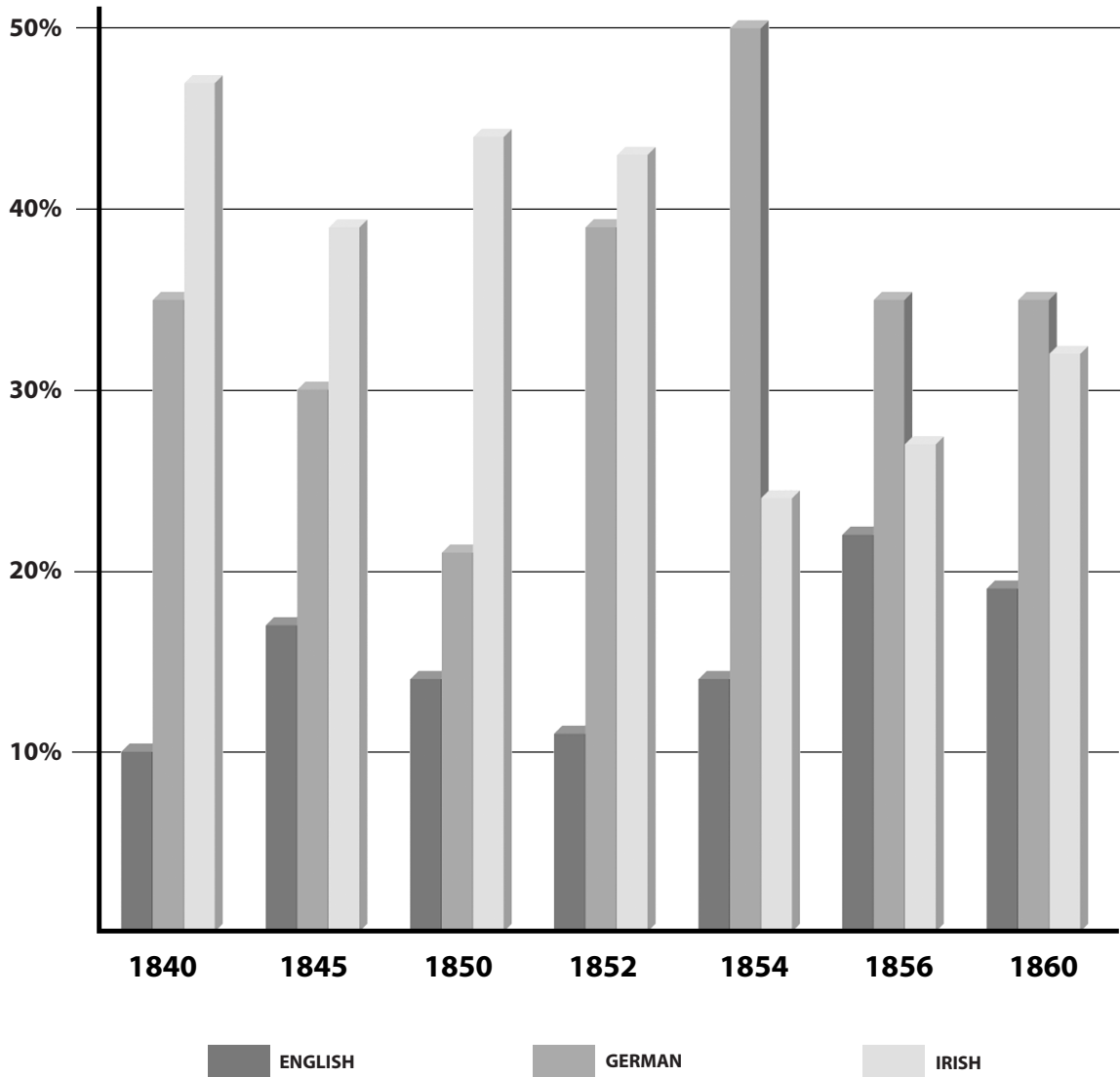


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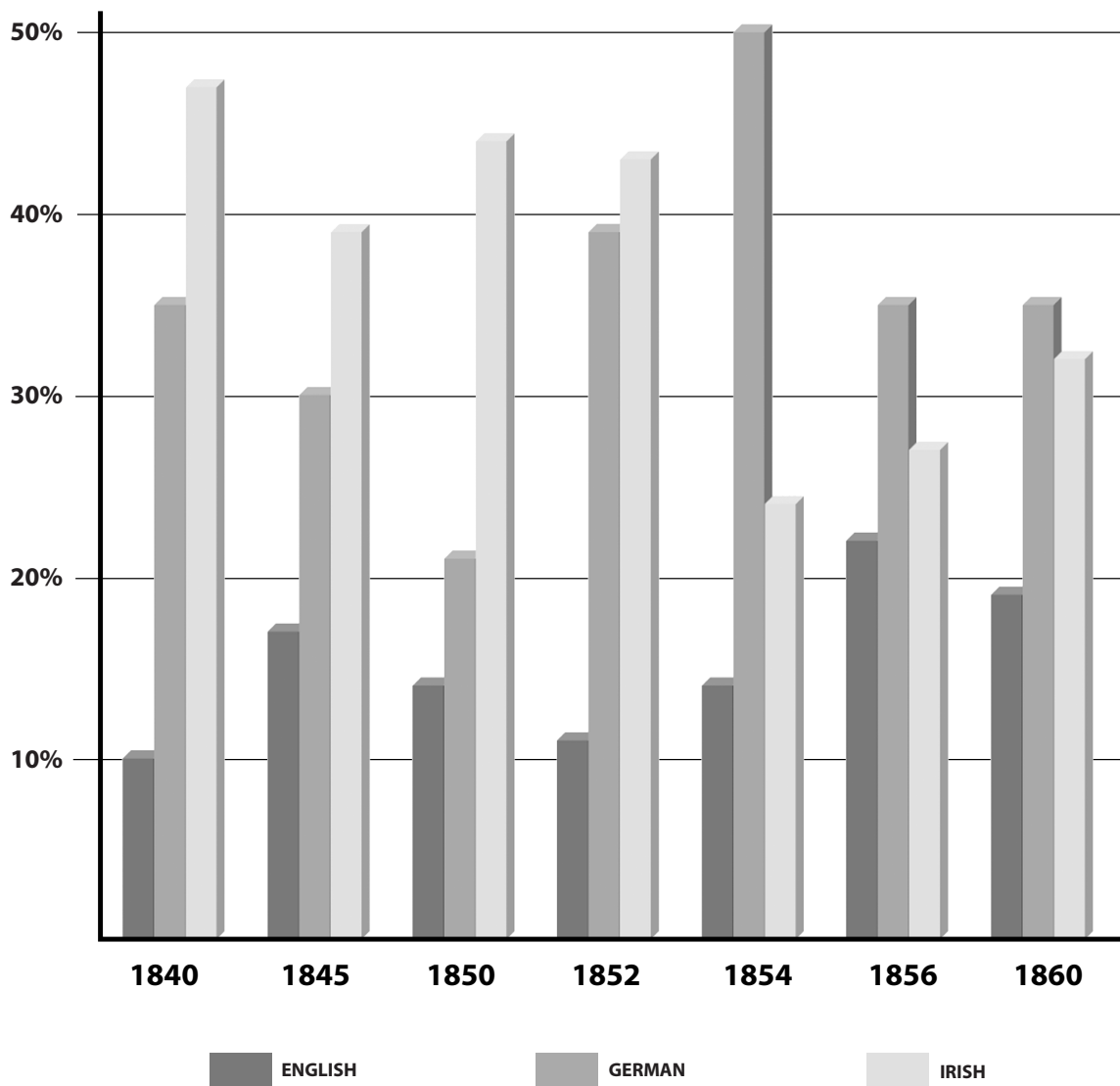
GRAMMAR WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- 1. Capitalism:** In capitalism, individuals have great freedom how to make and spend money and how to buy property. Many immigrants moved to America because of capitalism.
- 2. Slaves:** In 1860, somewhere between 3.2 million and 3.8 million slaves were in America.
- 3. E Pluribus Unum:** One of America's mottos, E Pluribus Unum, means, "From many, we are one." This means that many nationalities come to America, but in the new land, everyone becomes one people, Americans.
- 4. Immigrants:** An immigrant is someone who permanently leaves his home to live in another land, and usually, eventually becomes a citizen.
- 5. Potato Famine:** In Ireland in the 1840s, potatoes were diseased, and the English did not send food or help to Ireland. Over 1 million died and 2 million moved to America.
- 6. Tammany Hall:** Tammany Hall was a Democratic political machine in New York City. Corrupt Democratic politicians paid off people to win their votes.
- 7. Revolutions of 1848:** The European revolutions of 1848 drove many Germans and central Europeans to move to America.

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Answer these questions and test your knowledge.

1. In which year was the largest percentage of immigrants German? 1854
2. In which year was the largest percentage of immigrants Irish? 1840
3. In which year was the least percentage of immigrants English? 1840
4. In which three years was there a higher percentage of German immigrants than Irish immigrants? 1854, 1856, 1860
5. In which years were there more Irish than German immigrants?
1840, 1845, 1850, 1852