Diaspora (noun)

Are you familiar with this word?
What does it mean?
Can you use it in a sentence?

Let's see if we can work out what it means from looking at its etymology.



So what does our word of the week mean?

"Scatter across"

Diaspora (noun)

Definition

People settled far from their ancestral homelands.

The place where these people live.

The movement, migration, or scattering of a people away from an established or ancestral homeland.

Diaspora (noun)

Examples

"The Mexican diaspora is the world's second-largest diaspora."

"His parents were part of the Scots diaspora."

Can you come up with your own?

Diaspora (noun)

Synonyms

Scattering

Displacement

Migration

Dissemination

Dispersion

Antonyms

Return

Diaspora (noun)

Windrush day, on 22 June, first started in 2018 and celebrates the contribution that the Caribbean diaspora communities in Britain have made to the UK.

Find out more about Windrush Day in our assemblies this week.

