

QUIZ 1

Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate words or phrases. Choose from the following list. Each word or phrase can be used only once.

cultural relativistic	worldview
generalizations	collectivistic
belief	stereotyping
assimilation	ethnic
cultural competence	acculturation
subcultures	refugees
assimilate	acculturate
culture	attitude
immigrate	

- 1) This term describes a state of mind or feeling about some aspect of a culture.
Josh had a negative _____ toward the way Indian people ate with their hands.
- 2) This refers to ideas accepted by members of an ethnocultural group as true.
Many Italian elderly people have a/an _____ in the evil eye.
- 3) This term refers to all of the socially transmitted behavioral patterns, arts, beliefs, values, and customs of people that shape who they are. _____ is something that permeates (i.e., is spread through) so much of what we do and think that we have a lot of trouble defining it.
- 4) _____ refers to the development of an awareness of one's own attitudes and behaviors without imposing them upon those of different backgrounds. It is a term that's often used interchangeably with cultural awareness and cultural sensitivity, but there are nuances of difference among them.
- 5) The way that groups or individuals look at the universe through the lens of their own culture is referred to as _____. It can include relationships with nature, social relationships, moral and ethical reasoning, and aesthetics (the sense of what's beautiful).

6) _____ often lead to _____ because they involve an oversimplification of the reasons others are who they are or act the way they do. The example of the latter is when it is assumed that all muslims hate Jewish people and have radical tendencies.

7) Individuals identifying with a _____ culture, such as many people with Asian backgrounds, are more likely to place a higher value on the family than on the individual.

8) _____ or _____ minorities are groups of people who have experiences different from those of the dominant culture. They may be different, for example, in race, ethnic background, residence, sexual orientation, education, religion, or socioeconomic status.

9) _____ refers to the modification of one's own culture--or the loss of some aspects of it--as a result of contact with another one, while _____ means the gradual adoption of the characteristics of the dominant culture. People who _____ voluntarily tend to ac_____ or as_____ to their adopted culture more easily. _____, on the other hand, may not be motivated to adjust smoothly to their new culture because they are likely to have left their homeland involuntarily, due to war, famine, or some other extreme hardship.

10) Examples of extreme _____ positions are the beliefs, for example, that female circumcision, physical punishment of children for discipline, and stoning as a punishment for adultery should be tolerated without judgment because they are embedded in different cultural contexts that must be respected.