



Vocabulary

Identity (I-den-ti-ty): The characteristics and qualities that make a person who they are.

Culture (Cul-ture): The customs, traditions, beliefs, and way of life of a group of people.

Ancestors (An-ces-tors): People from whom you are descended, including previous generations of your family.

Values (Val-ues): A person's important beliefs and principles that guide their behavior and decisions.

Role (Role): The function and responsibility that a person has as a member of a group.

Experiences (Ex-pe-ri-ences): Events or activities that someone goes through.

Community (Com-mu-ni-ty): A group of people living in the same area or sharing something in common.

Asset (As-set): Something valuable or beneficial.

Resources (Re-sour-ces): Materials, money, ideas, people, or other assets that can be used to accomplish something.

Preserve (Pre-serve): To keep something in its original state or in good condition..

Revitalize (Re-vi-tal-ize): To make something active, healthy, alive, or energetic again.

Indigenous (In-di-ge-nous): To be native to a place, or the first ones to live there. Indigenous peoples maintain unique cultural practices, languages, identities, and connections to their ancestral lands.

Imagery (I-ma-ge-ry): Descriptive language that creates vivid pictures in the reader's mind.

Oral Language (Or-al Lan-guage): Using spoken words to communicate.