

Personal and Public Identities

Level	Topics/Resources	Essential Questions
Novice Low/Mid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demographics: age, where I live, where I am from • Greetings/Leave-Taking • Behaviors: eye contact, personal space, gestures, etiquette 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who am I? • How does what I do define who I am? • How do I interact with others from the target culture?
Novice High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nationalities • Image • Stereotypes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who am I, and how do I relate to my community? • How does what I do and where I am from define who I am? • How do others see me? • How am I unique?
Intermediate Low	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethnic Groups • Nationalities • Stereotypes/Image • Etiquette • Cultural Practices • Volunteerism 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do I relate or connect to people from other cultures? • How can I use my language or other skills to relate to cultural groups in my community in an appropriate manner?
Intermediate Mid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character Analysis in Literature • Gender Issues • Image and Stereotypes • Taboos 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How are aspects of a person's identity expressed in various situations? • How do language and culture influence individual actions? • How are roles of men and women in my culture similar to/different from those in other cultures? • How do I interact in a culturally appropriate manner with others?
Intermediate High /Advanced Low	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alienation and Assimilation • Identity • Gender • Language • Self-Image • Generational Issues • Multiculturalism • Nationalism/Patriotism • Image and Stereotypes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How are aspects of identity expressed in various situations? • How does learning another language and culture influence who I am and my view of the world? • Why do some people not adapt well to another culture?

