**Final Grade: %**

Cultural Values Assignment and Checklist

Your culture is formed by your interpretations of the communities and networks to which you belong. Your assignment is to create a soundtrack/ playlist of songs which reflect your cultural values (ex, national values, family values). Remember a value is something that you place importance on in your life. You can value honesty, respect, acceptance, diversity, multiculturalism, success, money among many others.

This assignment has 4 parts:

1. **Fill in the template with your own values you associate with belonging to that culture.** You can consult the list of possible values posted on Ms. Dickie’s website if you need help thinking of values that apply to you. Each layer should have at least 8 values associated with it.
2. **Soundtrack/ playlist:** You will create a soundtrack/ playlist of your personal values. For each layer of culture that we identified, you will select a song you think best represents the values associated with that culture. You will identify at least 6 different values and include 6 different songs that correspond to these values, one per culture. You can write your song choices for each culture on your template.
3. **Group Share:** You will each make a 2 minutes presentation of one of the songs that you selected to the class. You may play up to 30 second of the song that you selected. You must share with the class the value that this song represents as well as why that value is important to you.
4. **Reflection (written component):** You will hand in a reflection of 600-800 words explaining why you chose those specific songs as well as how each song represents one or more of your cultural values.

Values Playlist Assignment Checklist

***Cultural Values Chart:***

* At least 5 values in each culture tier
* The name and artist of the songs that you chose to represent your values in each tier

***Reflection:***

* Identify the songs, artists, and values being represented for each song.
* Describe how **each song** represents one or more cultural values using concrete examples
* 600-800 words
* Organization**:** prioritizing and sequencing ideas; use of paragraphs and transitions between paragraphs; flow, coherence, and unity.

***Group share:***

Content:

* Identify the title and artist of the song that you chose.
* Identify the value(s) that you chose to represent through music.
* Explain what that value means to you.
* Relate the value to the song you chose.

Presentation:

* 2 minute presentation (max. 30 seconds for music clip)
* Be prepared. (Have your song cued up to the place you want to play, no notes)
* Be engaging and enthusiastic. This song should mean something to you and share something you believe is important in your life. The audience should feel that.
* Speak clearly. (Pacing, pronunciation, volume)
* Body language. (No fidgeting, confidence, eye contact)
* Be able to answer any questions from the class.

\*\* You must hand in your template, reflection and this checklist *before* you present. Be prepared to present without notes!