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1. DEFINE CULTURE

Culture is defined as the total way of life shared by a group of people, including beliefs, values, custom, tradition, language, arts and social norms.

2. ENUMERATE FIVE ELEMENTS OF CULTURE AND EXPLAIN THEM

The elements of culture are

- Language
- Food
- Religion
- Festivals
- Dressing
- i. Language; language is the method of human communication using spoken or written words.
- ii. Food; the food people eat is influenced by their culture and environmental influence which include their vocation.
- iii. Religion; religion is the belief of people about the existence of God.
- iv. Festivals; festivals are cultural events that are held periodically to celebrate a particular thing or activity.
- v. Dressing; dressing is an important part of culture. This is because the way people dress easily shows where they can be identified with.

3. IDENTIFY SIX CULTURAL DIFIFFERENCES IN NIGERIA AND EXPLAIN THEM

- Language diversity; Nigeria is home to over 500 languages with Hausa, Yoruba and Igbo being the three largest ethnic group and languages.
- ii. Traditional attires/dressing; different ethnic groups in Nigeria have unique traditional attires.
- iii. Food; food varies across region with each ethnic group having its own traditional dishes and cooking methods.
- iv. Festivals/celebration; Nigeria is replete with diverse cultural festivals and celebration.

- v. Works/vocation; works are common in a particular society which is caused by their environmental factors.
- vi. Religion; Nigeria is religiously diverse with a substantial Islamic population in the north and a significant Christian population in the south.