

## Culture Vocabulary

Word	Phonetic Transcription	Definition
behaviour	bɪ <u>heɪ</u> vjə	The way somebody acts and conducts themselves
belief	bɪ <u>li</u> :f	A strong attitude or faith in something
characteristic	kærɪktə <u>rɪ</u> stɪk	A feature
civil unrest	<u>sɪ</u> vl ʌn <u>rɛ</u> st	Fighting between two groups of people
cultural barrier	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃərəl <u>bæ</u> rɪə	A challenge that people from different cultures face because they don't believe in or accept something from a different culture to theirs
cultural conflict	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃərəl <u>kɒ</u> nflɪkt	A serious disagreement that exists because of different cultural views
cultural diversity	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃərəl daɪ <u>v</u> ɜ:sɪti	The existence of more than one culture in a society
cultural misconception	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃərəl mɪskəns <u>ɛ</u> pʃən	The lack of understanding of a culture different to your own
cultural uniqueness	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃərəl ju: <u>nɪ</u> :kənəs	A characteristic of your culture that is different to others
culturally acceptable	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃərəli ək <u>s</u> əptəbl	Something that is allowed in a certain culture
culture clash	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃə klæʃ	A conflict because of different cultural views
culture shock	<u>kʌ</u> ltʃə ʃɒk	A feeling of discomfort or disorientation due to experiencing a different culture
ethics	<u>ɛ</u> θɪks	Moral principles that define what is "right" and "wrong".

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globalisation	gləʊbəlaɪzɪʃən	Integrating numerous cultures, businesses and governments from around the world
global culture	gləʊbəl kʌltʃə	A shared culture between all of humanity
global village	gləʊbəl vɪlɪdʒ	A shared culture between all of humanity as a result of media and telecommunications
humanity	hjuːmænɪti	The group of humans on earth
local culture	ləʊkəl kʌltʃə	The specific culture experienced every day
organisational culture	ɔːgənaɪzɪʃənəl kʌltʃə	The specific culture experienced within a company
stereotype	stɪərɪətaɪp	A preconceived idea that you have of somebody based on their culture
trait	treɪt	A feature, a characteristic
value	væljuː	According to your principles, what is important in life